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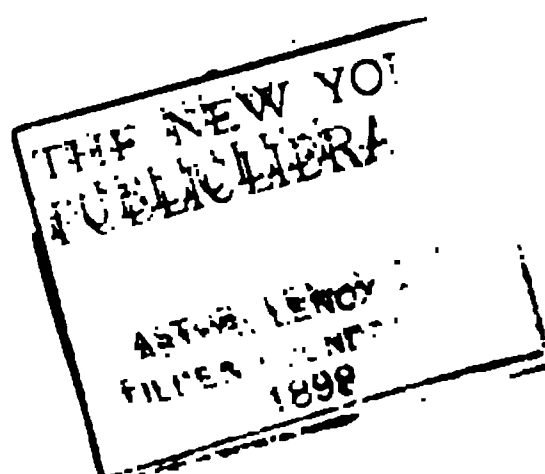
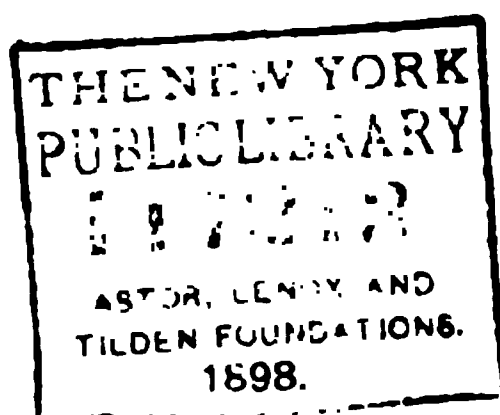
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# List of the Clergy.

June, 1892.

In the order of Present Canonical Residence.

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The year attached to the name indicates the beginning of former residence in the Diocese.

## BISHOP.

THE RIGHT REV. FREDERIC DAN HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D.

Consecrated April 8th, 1839.

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## PRESBYTERS.

- The Rev. William D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Received December 1, 1844.
- The Rev. William Thomas Gibson, D. D., LL. D., Ordained Dec. 18, 1853.
- The Rev. J. Winslow, Ordained December 20, 1857.
- The Rev. William Roberts, Ordained Nov. 21, 1858.
- The Rev. Alfred Bailey Goodrich, D. D., Received August 17, 1859.
- The Rev. Nathan F. Whiting, D. D., Received August 12, 1862.
- The Rev. William Martin Beauchamp, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 12, 1862.
- The Rev. Almon Gregory, (1847) Received June 8, 1863.
- The Rev. John Brainard, D. D., Received Dec. 14, 1863.
- The Rev. Joshua Law Burrows, Ph. D., (1858) Received 1864.
- The Rev. George Gustavus Perrine, Ordained July 2, 1865.
- The Rev. Henry Roswell Lockwood, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 22, 1867.
- The Rev. James Howell Kidder, Received Sept. 26, 1868.
- The Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., Received Aug. 9, 1869.
- The Rev. Alexander H. Rogers, (1861) Received Dec. 2, 1870.
- The Rev. Thomas L. Randolph, Received Dec. 28, 1870.
- The Rev. Robert Paul, Received Sept. 25, 1871.
- The Rev. Charles Babcock, Received Dec. 20, 1872.
- The Rev. Joel Davis, Received Jan. 20, 1873.
- The Rev. Albert Hall Ormsbee, Ordained June 3, 1873.
- The Rev. Robert George Quennell, Received Nov. 1, 1874.
- The Rev. Frederick P. Winne, Ordained Sept. 23, 1875.
- The Rev. James A. Robinson, (1852) Received Oct. 14, 1875.
- The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., (1857) Received Nov. 4, 1875.
- The Rev. William DeLancey Wilson, Ordained Jan. 25, 1876.
- The Rev. Charles Seymour, Received 1876.
- The Rev. Frederick Beverly Cossitt, Ordained June 6, 1876.
- The Rev. William H. Casey, Ordained June 6, 1876.
- The Rev. Bernard Schulte, Received June, 1876.
- The Rev. John Muir, M. D., Ordained March 7, 1877.
- The Rev. Charles P. Jennings, S. T. D., Received May, 1877.
- The Rev. Andrew Hull, D. D., (1841) Received Jan. 4, 1881.
- The Rev. Russell Asa Olin, S. T. D., (1867) Received Feb. 8, 1881.
- The Rev. John H. Eggar, D. D., Received Feb. 18, 1881.
- The Rev. Charles W. MacNish, Ordained May 31, 1881.

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- The Rev. Samuel Wesley Strowger, Ordained May 31, 1881.  
 The Rev. Benajah Emory Whipple, Ordained Dec. 3, 1881.  
 The Rev. John Everett Johnson, Received Jan. 24, 1882.  
 The Rev. John Woodworth Craig, Received Feb. 27, 1882.  
 The Rev. William E. Allen, Received June 16, 1882.  
 The Rev. William B. Coleman, Jr., Received June 27, 1882.  
 The Rev. Robert Murray Duff, S. T. D., (1864) Received Aug. 24, 1882.  
 The Rev. Oliver Owen, Received Jan. 13, 1883.  
 The Rev. Moses Coit Tyler, LL. D., Ordained April 29, 1883.  
 The Rev. Thomas Lewis Banister, Received May 14, 1883.  
 The Rev. William Cooke, Ordained May 18, 1883.  
 The Rev. George H. Kirkland, Received Dec. 31, 1883.  
 The Rev. Gustav E. Purucker, Received March 3, 1884.  
 The Rev. Charles Tyler Olmsted, Received June 1, 1884.  
 The Rev. Ezekiel W. Mundy, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
 The Rev. Frank Nash Westcott, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
 The Rev. George Bowen, Jr., Ordained June 25, 1884.  
 The Rev. James Kellogg Parker, Ordained Dec. 18, 1884.  
 The Rev. Stephen Henry Synnott, Received April 10, 1885.  
 The Rev. Herbert McKenzie Denslow, Received July 7, 1885.  
 The Rev. Henry V. Gardner, Received Jan. 4, 1886.  
 The Rev. John Arthur, Ordained April 2, 1886.  
 The Rev. Hubert Pierre LeFebvre Grabau, Received Sept. 23, 1886.  
 The Rev. James Ferdinand Taunt, (1878) Received March 29, 1887.  
 The Rev. William D. Maxon, Received April 27, 1887.  
 The Rev. George L. Neide, Received May 10, 1887.  
 The Rev. William Bours Clarke, Ordained May 20, 1887.  
 The Rev. John Scott, Received Oct. 4, 1887.  
 The Rev. John T. Rose, Received Jan. 18, 1888.  
 The Rev. Edwin W. Colloque, Received May 4, 1888.  
 The Rev. William Higgs, Ordained May 27, 1888.  
 The Rev. William Edgar Wright, Received Oct. 2, 1888.  
 The Rev. George W. Southwell, Received Nov. 9, 1888.  
 The Rev. John B. Pitman, Received Jan. 14, 1889.  
 The Rev. J. Evarts Walton, Received April 2, 1889.  
 The Rev. Samuel Hanson Coxe, S. T. D., (1854) Received April 22, 1889.  
 The Rev. Philip Nelson Meade, Received May 13, 1889.  
 The Rev. Henry Dows Stebbins, Ordained May 29, 1889.  
 The Rev. Herbert Guibord Coddington, Ordained Dec. 11, 1889.  
 The Rev. James Jones Burd, Received Dec. 31, 1889.  
 The Rev. Joseph H. Young, Received Feb. 20, 1890.  
 The Rev. Arthur Cleveland Clarke, Ordained June 4, 1890.  
 The Rev. Mead Burgess, Ordained June 6, 1890.  
 The Rev. William Henry Platt, Received July 4, 1890.  
 The Rev. James Battle Avirett, Received August 4, 1890.  
 The Rev. James B. Murray, D. D., Received Oct. 6, 1890.  
 The Rev. Charles H. Tindell, (1881) Received Jan. 3, 1891.  
 The Rev. Samuel D. Day, Received Jan. 27, 1891.

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The Rev. Antoine G. Singsen, Received April 25, 1891.  
 The Rev. Anson J. Brockway, Received April 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles Ferguson, Received May 14, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles D. Atwell, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
 The Rev. Abram Willis Ebersole, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
 The Rev. William Gordon Bentley, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
 The Rev. Edwin Cheney Alcorn, Received June 5, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles Mortimer Carr, Received Sept. 1, 1891.  
 The Rev. Joseph Morison Clarke, D. D., (1852) Received Nov. 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. George Frederick Clover, Ordained Dec. 18, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles Donohue, Ordained Dec. 18, 1891.  
 The Rev. John Frederick Esch, (1868) Received Jan. 19, 1892,  
 The Rev. Robert Hudson, Ph. D., Received April 10, 1892.  
 The Rev. Joseph Benedict Trevett, M. D., Received July 1892,

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The Rev. Henry Riley Fuller, Ordained Jan. 8, 1888.  
 The Rev. Daniel Daly, Ordained March 9, 1890.  
 The Rev. Orin Arnold Sands, Ordained March 11, 1891.  
 The Rev. William Morris Gilbert, Ordained Sept. 22, 1891.  
 The Rev. Walter Edmund Bentley, Ordained Oct. 1, 1891.  
 The Rev. Albert Cusick, Ordained Oct. 1, 1891.  
 The Rev. Edward Macomb Duff, Ordained Dec. 22, 1891.  
 The Rev. Frank P. Tompkins, Ordained Dec. 22, 1891.  
 The Rev. Arnold Harxthall Redding, Ordained Dec. 22, 1891.  
 The Rev. Joseph Marchand Hayman, Ordained March 10, 1892.  
 The Rev. Charles Orvis Dantzer, Ordained March 10, 1892.

**Candidates for Holy Orders.**

John Ernest Bates,	Earle Henry Kenyon,
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Joseph Hipkin Brown,	George Wharton McMullin,
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Arthur Lester Byron Curtiss,	George Fletcher Potter,
Henry Aaron Dexter,	Charles E. S. Rasay,
Edward Burdick Doolittle,	Charles Tefft Raynor,
David L. Ferris,	John Smiley,
William Neely Freeman,	Charles Alexander Smith,
Matthew Irving Hunt,	George N. Smith,
William Herbert Hawken,	Paul C. Tribe.

**Postulants.**

Albert Edward Bentley,	Gilbert William Laidlow,
J. Winslow Clarke.	Arthur Lincoln Mowry,
Ernest Frederick George,	Dwight A. Parce,
John C. Kirtland, Jr.,	William Earle Stillwell.

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June, 1892.

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Allen, William E., Rector of Christ Church, Sherburne.

Alcorn, Edwin C., Rector of Gethsemane Church, Westmoreland, (p. o.) and  
St. Mark's Church, Clark's Mills.

Arthur, John, Rector of St. John's Church, Oneida.

Avirett, James B., Rector of Grace Church, Waterville.

Atwell, Charles D., in charge of Emmanuel Mission, Elmira, (p. o.) and  
Christ Church, Wellsburgh.

Babcock, Charles, Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.

Babcock, Theodore, D. D., Rector of Christ Church, Manlius, (p. o.) and St.  
Mark's Church, Jamesville.

Banister, T. Lewis, Rector of St. Stephen's Church, New Hartford.

Beauchamp, William M., S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Baldwinsville.

Bentley, Walter E., Missionary at Oriskany Falls, (p. o.) and Augusta.

Bentley, William G., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Constableville, (p. o.) and  
St. Mark's Church, Port Leyden.

Bowen, George, Jr., Waverly.

Brainard, John, D. D., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Auburn.

Brockway, Anson J., Rector of Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor.

Burd, James J., Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, Utica.

Burgess, Mead, Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Moravia.

Burrows, Joshua L., Ph. D.

Carr, Charles M., Rector of Grace Church, Watertown.

Casey, William H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Aurora, (p. o.) Grace Church,  
Union Springs, and St. Luke's Church, Cayuga.

Clarke, Joseph M., D. D., Bishop's Chaplain, Syracuse.

Clarke, William B., Rector of Grace Church, Cortland.

Clarke, Arthur Cleveland, Chaplain of St. John's School, Manlius.

Clover, George F., Rector of Calvary Church, Homer.

Coddington, Herbert G., Rector of Grace Church, Syracuse.

Coleman, William B., Jr., Rector of St. George's Church, Utica.

Colloque, Edwin W., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Oxford.

Cooke, William, Assistant Minister of Grace Church, Utica.

Cossitt, Frederick B., Waterville.

Coxe, S. Hanson, S. T. D., Utica.

Craig, John W.

Cusick, Albert, Missionary, Onondaga Reservation.

Day, Samuel D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.

Daly, Daniel, Missionary at Lacona.

Dantzer, Charles O., Missionary to Deaf Mutes. p. o. Syracuse.

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- Davis, Joel, Rector of Trinity Church, Camden.  
 Denslow, Herbert M., Rector of Trinity Church, Seneca Falls.  
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 Duff, Robert M., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo.  
 Duff, Edward M., in charge of St. Thomas' Church, Hamilton.  
 Ebersole, Abram W., Rector of Trinity Church, Fayetteville.  
 Egar, John H., D. D., Rector of Zion Church, Rome.  
 Esch, John F., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Smithboro.  
 Ferguson, Charles, Rector of St. James' Church, Syracuse.  
 Fuller, Henry R., Assistant Minister of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.  
 Gardner, Henry V., East Aurora, N. Y.  
 Gibson, William T., D. D., LL. D., Chaplain of the N. Y. S. Hospital, Utica.  
 Gilbert, William M., Minister of Grace Church, Carthage.  
 Goodrich, Alfred B., D. D., Rector of Calvary Church, Utica.  
 Grabau, Hubert P. LeF., Rector of the Church of the Evangelists, Oswego.  
 Gregory, Almon, Syracuse.  
 Hayman, Joseph M., Minister of St. Joseph's Church, Rome.  
 Higgs, William, Missionary at McDonough.  
 Hudson, Robert, Ph. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Syracuse.  
 Huil, Andrew, D. D., Elmira.  
 Jennings, Charles P., S. T. D., Shelbyville, Indiana.  
 Johnson, J. Everett, in charge of Calvary Church, Syracuse, and Emmanuel Mission, East Syracuse.  
 Kidder, James H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Owego.  
 Kirkland, George H., Rector of St. Andrew's Church, New Berlin.  
 Lockwood, Henry R., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.  
 Maxon, William D., Rector of Trinity Church, Utica.  
 McKnight, George H., D. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Elmira.  
 MacNish, Charles W., Missionary at Ovid, (p. o.) Hayt's Corners and Willard.  
 Meade, Philip N., Rector of Christ Church, Oswego.  
 Muir, John, M. D.  
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 Murray, James B., D. D., Rector of St. John's Church, Auburn.  
 Neide, George L., Rector of St. James' Church, Cleveland.  
 Olin, Russell A., S. T. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown.  
 Olmsted, Charles T., Rector of Grace Church, Utica.  
 Ormsbee, Albert H., Rector of Grace Church, Mexico.  
 Owen, Oliver, Rector of St. James' Church, Clinton.  
 Parker, James K., Rector of St. John's Church, Whitesboro, (p. o.) St. Peter's Church, Oriskany, and St. James', New York Mills.  
 Paul, Robert, Rector of St. James' Church, Pulaski.  
 Perrine, George G., Rector of St. James' Church, Theresa, (p. o.) and St. Peter's Church, Redwood.  
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 Platt, William H., Rector of Trinity Church, Binghamton.  
 Purucker, Gustav E., Rector of St. Mark's Church, Candor.  
 Quennell, Robert G., Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton.

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- Randolph, Thomas L., Alameda, California.  
Redding, Arnold H., Missionary at North Watertown, and Brownville.  
P. o. Watertown.  
Robinson, James A., Rector of Grace Church, Whitney's Point.  
P. o. Cortland.  
Rogers, Alexander H., Rector of Zion Church, Greene.  
Roberts, William, in England.  
Rose, John T., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Cazenovia.  
Sands, Orin A., Minister of Zion Church, Windsor.  
Schulte, Bernard, Rector of St. Luke's Memorial Church, Utica.  
Scott, John, in charge of the Indian Mission, Onondaga Reservation.  
Seymour, Charles, Nyack, N. Y.  
Singsen, Antoine G., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge, (P. o.) and  
St. Ann's Church, Afton.  
Southwell, George W., Rector of Christ Church, Jordan.  
Stebbins, Henry D., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Norwich.  
Strowger, Samuel W., Rector of St. John's Church, Cape Vincent.  
Synnott, Stephen H., Rector of St. John's Church, Ithaca.  
Taunt, James F., New York City.  
Tompkins, Frank P., Hamilton.  
Tindell, Charles H., Rector of the Church of the Epiphany, Trumansburgh.  
Trevett, Joseph B., M. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Antwerp.  
Tyler, Moses Coit, LL. D., Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.  
Walton, J. Evarts, Rector of Christ Church, Clayton, (P. o.) and St. Paul's  
Church, LaFargeville.  
Westcott, Frank N., Rector of St. James' Church, Skaneateles.  
Whipple, Benajah E., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Paris Hill.  
Whiting, Nathan F., D. D., Cape Vincent.  
Wilson, William D., D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Dean of St. Andrew's  
Divinity School, Syracuse.  
Wilson, William DeL., Rector of St. John's Church, Syracuse.  
Winslow J., Rector of Christ Church, Sacketts Harbor. P. o. Watertown.  
Winne, Frederick P., Assistant Minister of Trinity Church, Watertown.  
Wright, William E., Rector of Grace Church, Elmira.  
Young, Joseph H., New York City.

# List of Parishes, Chapels and Missions.

With the Names of Ministers and Date of Organization.

Self-Supporting Parishes in SMALL CAPITALS. Not admitted to Union in *Italics*.

## BROOME COUNTY.

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
BINGHAMTON	CHRIST CHURCH	Rev. R. G. Quennell	1810
"	TRINITY	" W. H. Platt	May 12 1886
"	GOOD SHEPHERD.	" S. D. Day	Feb. 3, 1873
<i>Chenango Forks</i>	<i>St. John's</i>	" R. G. Quennell	Nov. 20, 1880
Harpursville	St. Luke's	" A. G. Singsen	April 15, 1799
Whitney's Point	Grace	" J. A. Robinson	Dec. 19, 1870
Windsor	Zion	" O. A. Sands	August, 1842

## CAYUGA COUNTY.

AUBURN	ST. PETER'S	Rev. J. Brainard, D. D.	July 1, 1805
"	St. John's	" J. B. Murray, D. D.	April 13, 1868
Aurora	St. Paul's	" W. H. Casey	Feb. 11, 1885
Cayuga	St. Luke's	" " "	July 5, 1871
Kelloggsville.	Mission.	" M. Burgess	
Moravia	St. Matthew's	" " "	July 14, 1828
Northville	Calvary	" H. H. Casey	1862
Port Byron	St. Paul's		1849
Union Springs	Grace	" W. H. Casey	Feb. 9, 1867
Weedsport.	St. John's		Feb. 26, 1866

## CHEMUNG COUNTY.

Big Flats	St. John's		1862
ELMIRA	TRINITY	Rev. G. H. McKnight, D. D.	June 12, 1833
"	GRACE.	" W. E. Wright	June 20, 1864
"	Emmanuel Mis'n	" C. D. Atwell	
Horseheads.	St. Matthew's		
Millport	St. Mark's Mis'n		1862
Wellsburg.	Christ Church	" C. D. Atwell	1871

## CHENANGO COUNTY.

Afton	St. Ann's	Rev. A. G. Singsen	1860
Bainbridge	St. Peter's	" " "	1825
GREENE	ZION	" A. H. Rogers	1833
Guilford	Christ Church		Sept. 9, 1830
McDonough	Calvary Mission	" W. Higgs	
Mt. Upton	Grace		April, 1833
NEW BERLIN	ST. ANDREW'S	" G. H. Kirkland	June 22, 1814
NORWICH.	EMMANUEL	" H. D. Stebbins	Sept. 17, 1832
OXFORD	ST. PAUL'S	" E. W. Colloque	1814
SHIRBRURNE	CHRIST CHURCH	" W. E. Allen	July, 1828

## CORTLAND COUNTY.

CORTLAND	GRACE	Rev. W. B. Clarke	Oct. 14, 1847
Homer	Calvary	" G. F. Clover	June 6, 1831



*List of Parishes and Missions—Jefferson—Lewis—Madison—Oneida.*

JEFFERSON COUNTY.				
PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.	
Adams .....	Emmanuel .....		Feb.,	1849
Alexandria Bay ...	St. Lawrence ...	Rev. R. A. Olin, D. D. ...		
Antwerp .....	St. Paul's .....	" J. B. Trevett, M. D. Jan. 19,	1869	
Brownville .....	St. Paul's .....	" A. H. Redding .....	August,	1826
Cape Vincent .....	St. John's .....	" S. W. Strowger .....		1841
CARTHAGE .....	GRACE .....	" W. M. Gilbert .....		1862
Champion .....	St. John's .....		April,	1867
Clayton .....	Christ Church ...	" J. E. Walton .....		1868
Dexter .....	All Saints' .....			1839
Ellisburgh .....	Christ Church ...	" A. J. Brockway .....		1879
Evans Mills .....	Mission .....	" J. B. Trevett, M. D.		
Frederick's Corners	Mission .....	" A. J. Brockway .....		
Great Bend. ....	Trinity Chapel ...	" R. A. Olin, D. D. ...		
LaFargeville .....	St. Paul's .....	" J. E. Walton .....		1891
Millen's Bay .....	Mission .....	" S. W. Strowger .....		
North Watertown.	Redeemer .....	" A. H. Redding .....		
PIERREPONT MANOR.	ZION .....	" A. J. Brockway .....	Jan. 4,	1836
Redwood .....	St. Peter's .....	" G. G. Perrine .....	August,	1850
Sackett's Harbor ..	Christ Church ...	" J. Winslow. ....		1823
Theresa .....	St. James .....	" G. G. Perrine .....		1848
WATERTOWN .....	TRINITY .....	" R. A. Olin, D. D. ...	May,	1828
" .....	GRACE .....	" C. M. Carr .....	August,	1867
Wood Falls .....	St. Andrew's ...	" A. H. Redding .....		
LEWIS COUNTY.				
Constableville .....	St. Paul's .....	Rev. W. G. Bentley .....		1817
Copenhagen .....	Grace .....		Dec. 12,	1879
LOWVILLE .....	TRINITY .....		Sept. 24,	1838
Port Leyden .....	St. Mark's .....	" W. G. Bentley .....	June 14,	1865
MADISON COUNTY.				
CAZENOVIA .....	ST. PETER'S .....	Rev. J. T. Rose .....		1845
Canastota .....	Trinity Mission ..			
Chittenango .....	St. Paul's .....			1855
Earlville .....	Grace Mission ...			
HAMILTON .....	ST. THOMAS .....	" E. M. Duff .....	Sept. 21,	1835
ONEIDA .....	ST. JOHN'S .....	" J. Arthur .....	May 6,	1843
Perryville .....	St. Stephen's ...			1816
ONEIDA COUNTY.				
Augusta .....	St. Andrew's .....	Rev. W. E. Bentley ....		1866
Boonville .....	Trinity .....			1857
Bridgewater .....	Christ Church ...		Oct.	1839
Camden .....	Trinity .....	" J. Davis .....		1843
Chadwicks .....	St. George's .....	" T. L. Banister .....		
Clarks Mills .....	St. Mark's .....	" E. C. Alcorn .....		1863
Clayville .....	St. John's .....	" B. E. Whipple .....		1849
CLINTON .....	ST. JAMES' .....	" O. Owen .....	May 19,	1862
Deerfield .....	Mission .....	" W. D. Maxon .....		
Durhamville .....	Mission .....	" J. Arthur .....		
Forestport .....	Christ Church ...			1857
Holland Patent ...	St. Paul's .....		June 21,	1821
NEW HARTFORD ...	ST. STEPHEN'S ...	" T. L. Bannister .....	Sept. 1,	1824
New York Mills ...	St. James' .....	" J. K. Parker .....		1890
Oriskany .....	St. Peter's .....	" " .....	May,	1830
Oriskany Falls ...	Good Shep'd Mis'n	" W. E. Bentley .....		
PARIS HILL .....	ST. PAUL'S .....	" B. E. Whipple .....		1795
ROME .....	ZION .....	" J. H. Egar, D. D. ...		1827
" .....	St. Joseph's .....	" J. M. Havman .....		
UTICA .....	CALVARY .....	" A. B. Goodrich, D. D.	Dec. 16,	1850
" .....	GRACE .....	" C. T. Olmsted .....	May 21,	1838
" .....	HOLY CROWN .....	" J. J. Burd .....		
" .....	ST. GEORGE'S ...	" W. B. Coleman, Jr. ...	May 19,	1862

*List of Parishes and Missions—Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins.*

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS	ORGANIZED.
UTICA.....	ST LUKE'S.....	Rev. B. Schulte.....	April 14, 1837
" .....	TRINITY .....	" W. D. Maxon.....	1798
WATERVILLE .....	GRACE.....	" J. B. Avirett .....	Aug. 10, 1840
Westmoreland ...	Gethsemane.....	" E. C. Alcorn.....	1842
Whitesboro .....	St. John's.....	" J. K. Parker.....	1845

ONONDAGA COUNTY.

BALDWINVILLE.....	GRACE... ..	Rev. W. M. Beauchamp, D.D.	1838
East Syracuse. ...	Emmanuel Mis'n	" J. E. Johnson .....	
FAYETTEVILLE .....	TRINITY .....	" A. W. Ebersole.....	1830
Jamesville .....	St. Mark's .. ..	" T. Babcock, D. D....	July 12, 1831
JORDAN.....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" G. W. Southwell....	1841
Manlius .....	Christ Church. ...	" T. Babcock, D. D....	Jan. 16, 1811
Marcellus .....	St. John's.....		1825
Onondaga .....	Indian Mission..	" J. Scott .....	
SKANEATELES.....	ST. JAMES'.....	" F. N. Westcott.....	Jan. 4, 1816
SYRACUSE .....	Calvary .....	" J. E. Johnson.....	1881
" .....	GRACE.....	" H. G. Coddington...	Mar. 27, 1871
" .....	ST. JAMES' .....	" C. Ferguson.....	1848
" .....	ST. JOHN'S.....	" W. DeL. Wilson....	1889
" .....	St. Luke's Miss'n	" J. E. Johnson....	
" .....	ST. MARK'S.....	" E. W. Mundy .....	Jan. 10, 1832
" .....	ST. PAUL'S.....	" H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.	1826
" .....	TRINITY .....	" R. Hudson, Ph. D....	March 3, 1856

OSWEGO COUNTY.

Albion .....	Mission .....		
Cleveland.....	St. James' .....	Rev. G. L. Neide . . . . .	July 22, 1867
Fulton .....	Zion.....		June 23, 1835
Mexico.....	Grace .....	" A. H. Ormsbee .....	Dec. 4, 1848
OSWEGO.....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" P. N. Meade.....	1817
" .....	EVANGELISTS'....	" H. P. L. Grabau....	August, 1850
Pulaski .....	St. James.....	" R. Paul.....	1846
Redfield.....	Grace Mission...		
Sandy Creek .....	Emmanuel Mis'n	" D. Daly.. ..	
Smartsville.....	Mission.....	" .....	

SENECA COUNTY.

SENECA FALLS. .	TRINITY .....	Rev. H. M. Denslow .....	January, 1831
Dey's Landing .....	St. Andrew's M'n		
Hayt's Corners .....	Calvary Mission .	" C. W. MacNish.....	
Ovid .....	Trinity Mission..	" .....	
Romulus .....	St. Stephen's....		
WATERLOO .....	ST. PAUL'S .....	" R. M. Duff, D. D. .	October, 1817
Willard .....	Mission.....	" C. W. MacNish.....	
Willowdale .....	Grace .....		

TIOGA COUNTY.

Candor .....	St. Mark's .....	Rev. G. E. Purucker.....	1831
OWEGO.....	ST. PAUL'S .....	" J. H. Kilder. ....	Feb. 10, 1834
Smithboro .....	Emmanuel.....	" J. F. Esch .....	1871
Spencer .....	Mission.....	" G. E. Purucker.....	
Van Etten .....	Mission .....	" .....	
Waverly.....	Grace.....	" C. Donohue .....	1854

TOMPKINS COUNTY.

ITHACA .....	ST. JOHN'S .....	Rev. S. H. Synnott.....	1822
" .....	ST. PAUL'S .. ..	" C. Babcock.....	Sept. 20, 1874
" .....	Christ Mission ...	" S. H. Synnott .....	
McLean .....	Zion.....	" W. B. Clarke.....	1833
Speedsville .....	St. John's.....	" M. C. Tyler, LL. D.,	
Slaterville .....	Mission. ....	" .....	
TRUMANSBURGH....	EPIPHANY.....	" C. H. Tindell.....	Jan. 6, 1871

# THE CONVENTION, 1892.

## Clergy in Attendance.

### BISHOP.

THE RT. REV. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D.

### PRESBYTERS.

Rev. W. E. Allen,	Rev. H. P. LeF. Grabau,
“ John Arthur,	“ R. Hudson, Ph. D.,
“ C. D. Atwell.	“ J. H. Kidder,
“ J. B. Avirett.	“ G. H. Kirkland,
“ E. C. Alcorn.	“ H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,
“ Theo. Babcock, D. D.,	“ G. H. McKnight, D. D.,
“ W. M. Beauchamp, S. T. D.	“ W. D. Maxon.
“ John Brainard, D. D.,	“ C. W. MacNish,
“ A. J. Brockway,	“ P. N. Meade.
“ J. J. Burd,	“ J. B. Murray, D. D.,
“ W. H. Casey,	“ G. L. Niede.
“ J. M. Clarke, D. D.,	“ R. A. Olin, S. T. D.,
“ Wm. B. Clarke,	“ C. T. Olmsted,
“ A. C. Clarke.	“ A. H. Ormsbee,
“ G. F. Clover,	“ J. K. Parker.
“ W. B. Coleman, Jr.,	“ Robert Paul.
“ H. G. Coddington,	“ R. J. Quennell.
“ E. W. Colloque,	“ J. A. Robinson,
“ Wm. Cooke.	“ A. H. Rogers.
“ Samuel D. Day,	“ J. T. Rose,
“ Joel Davis,	“ Bernard Schulte.
“ H. M. Denslow,	“ A. G. Singsen.
“ C. Donohue,	“ G. W. Southwell,
“ R. M. Duff, S. T. D.,	“ H. D. Stebbins,
“ A. W. Ebersole,	“ C. H. Tindell.
“ J. H. Eggar, D. D.,	“ W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D.,
“ C. Ferguson,	“ W. DeL. Wilson,
“ W. T. Gibson, D. D., LL. D.,	“ J. Winslow,
“ A. B. Goodrich, D. D.,	“ Rev. F. P. Winne.

### DEACONS.

Rev. W. E. Bentley,	Rev. J. M. Hayman,
“ Daniel Duly,	“ A. H. Redding.
“ C. O. Dantzer,	“ F. P. Tompkins.
Rev. O. A. Sands.	

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*Lay Delegates in Attendance.*

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## Lay Delegates in Attendance.

BROOME COUNTY.

BINGHAMTON, *Christ Church*—ARTHUR S. MINER, FREDERICK S. WESTCOTT,  
JAMES ELLIOT.

“ *Trinity*—JOHN ANDERSON, JAMES K. WELDEN.

HARPURSVILLE, *St. Luke's*—J. D. APPLEY, M. D.

CAYUGA COUNTY.

AUBURN, *St. Peter's*—ALFRED N. HOLLISTER, FRANK P. TABER.  
MORAVIA, *St. Mathew's*—WING T. PARKER.

CHEMUNG COUNTY.

ELMIRA, *Grace*—L. L. BARNEY.

CHENANGO COUNTY.

GREENE, *Zion*—JOSEPH E. JULIAND.  
NEW BERLIN, *St. Andrew's*—H. O. MOSS, JOHN T. WHITE.  
NORWICH, *Emmanuel*—NORMAN CARR, CHARLES H. BURDICK.  
OXFORD, *St. Paul's*—JOHN R. VANWAGENEN.

CORTLAND COUNTY.

CORTLAND, *Grace*—GEORGE J. MAGER, HENRY B. HUBBARD.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.

BROWNVILLE, *St. Paul's*—EDWIN NELSON GILES.  
PIERREPONT MANOR, *Zion*—WILLIAM M. WHITE.  
WATERTOWN, *Trinity*—JOHN M. TILDEN.  
“ *Grace*—JAMES T. OUTTERSON.

MADISON COUNTY.

CAZENOVIA, *St. Peter's*—ROBERT J. HUBBARD, WILLIAM WATKINS.  
HAMILTON, *St. Thomas'*—JOSEPH MASON.  
ONEIDA, *St. John's*—C. W. MOTT.

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*Lay Delegates in Attendance.*


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## ONEIDA COUNTY.

CAMDEN, *Trinity*—A. W. ABBOTT.  
 CLINTON, *St. James'*—JOHN T. MONTROSS.  
 NEW HARTFORD, *St. Stephen's*—J. V. H. SCOVILL.  
 UTICA, *Calvary*—E. A. PINKNEY.  
     *" Grace*—WILLIAM M. WHITE, DANIEL N. CROUSE.  
     *" St. George's*—EDWARD TREVVETT.  
 WATERVILLE, *Grace*—E. HICKS MOTT.

## ONONDAGA COUNTY.

BALDWINVILLE, *Grace*—RICHARD RICHARDSON, R. C. SCOTT.  
 FAYETTEVILLE, *Trinity*—CHARLES H. JACKSON.  
 JORDAN, *Christ Church*—J. P. WATTS.  
 MANLIUS, *Christ Church*—ELIJAH STANTON.  
 MARCELLUS, *St. John's*—A. M. SEYMOUR.  
 SKANEATELES, *St. James'*—JOHN D. BARROW.  
 SYRACUSE, *Grace*—WELLS B. HATCH, GEORGE JACK.  
     *" St. James'*—D. O. SALMON, GEORGE J. GARDNER, C. L. BEHM.  
     *" St. John's*—SMITH RIKER, CHARLES T. RAYNOR.  
     *" St. Paul's*—W. D. DUNNING, HOWARD G. WHITE, H. S. WHITE.  
     *" Trinity*—J. B. FISHER, GEORGE E. CONGDON.

## OSWEGO COUNTY.

CLEVELAND, *St. James'*—GEORGE G. BAKER.  
 OSWEGO, *Christ Church*—C. H. BUTLER, GEORGE B. SLOAN, H. D. McCAFFRY.  
     *" Evangelists'*—BENJAMIN DOOLITTLE.

## SENECA COUNTY.

SENECA FALLS, *Trinity*—CHARLES L. HOSKINS, W. M. FOLLETT, M. D.

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## FIRST DAY.

CHRIST CHURCH, OSWEGO, }  
Tuesday, June 14th, 1892. }

This being the day appointed for the meeting of the Twenty-fourth Annual Convention of the Diocese of Central New York, the Right Rev. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of the Clergy and Laity, assembled in Christ Church, in the city of Oswego, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

Evening Prayer was said by the Rev. Charles Donohue and the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D.

At the conclusion of Divine Service, the Rt. Rev. the President took the chair and called the Convention to order.

The Secretary called the roll of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, when sixty-one answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 16.*)

The credentials of Lay Delegates were presented and referred to a committee consisting of the Rev. F. P. Winne, Mr. F. S. Westcott, and the Secretaries.

On the report of the committee the roll was called, when fifty-three delegates, representing thirty-four parishes, answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 17.*)

A quorum of the Clergy and of the Lay Delegates being present, the Rt. Rev. the President declared the Convention to be duly organized and ready for business.

The Convention proceeded to the election of a Secretary, when, on motion, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and the Rev. Alfred B. Goodrich, D. D., was chosen.

The Rev. Dr. Goodrich, having tendered his resignation as Secretary of the Convention, was unanimously requested to

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*Committees—Clergy Invited to Seats.*


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withdraw it. The Secretary consented to perform the duties of the office during the present session of the Convention.

On motion, the Rev. Dr. Babcock, the Rev. W. E. Allen and Mr. H. O. Moss were appointed a committee to confer with the Rev. Dr. Goodrich with reference to his continuance in the office of Secretary.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following committees:

*On the Admission of Churches into Union with the Convention*—The Rev. J. K. Parker; Messrs. E. H. Mott and J. K. Welden.

*On Unfinished Business*—The Rev. B. E. Whipple; Messrs. W. E. Burhans and E. A. Pinkney.

*On the Report of the Missionary Board*—The Rev. A. G. Singsen; Messrs. George Jack and C. L. Behm.

*On the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society*—The Rev. J. J. Burd; Messrs. R. J. Hubbard and W. H. Standfield.

The Secretary presented the Report of the Bible and Prayer Society, which, on motion, was referred to the appropriate committee.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Clarke, it was

*Resolved*, That all Clergy of this Church, and of any Church in communion with this Church, not canonically resident in this Diocese, and also all Candidates for Holy Orders, who may be present, be admitted to honorary seats in this Convention.

Under this resolution there were present Messrs. Frederick F. Llewellyn, W. H. Hawken and E. H. Kenyon, Candidates for Holy Orders.

The Convention then, on motion, took a recess until 7.30 o'clock this evening.

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TUESDAY EVENING, 7.30 o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the chair.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Olin, it was

*Resolved*, That pending the readjustment of the Rules of Order, the Bishop be requested to follow such order in conducting the business of the Convention as he may deem expedient.

*Secretary's Report.*

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Mr. George J. Gardner read his Report as Treasurer of the Diocese, and the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund. (*See Appendix I. E. F.*)

On motion, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and Mr. George J. Gardner was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

The Secretary of the Convention presented the following

REPORT:

The undersigned respectfully reports that since the last Convention the following contributions to the Diocesan Archives have been received:

From the Bishop of the Diocese about fifty Convention Journals and other pamphlets.

From the Misses Cuming, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, papers belonging to the late Rev. J. C. Rudd, D. D., namely: forty manuscript sermons and addresses, and a series of lectures on sacred history; also several journals and diaries, beginning with 1808.

From the Rev. J. Edward Pratt, of Lancaster, Penn., ten Journals of the Diocese of Central New York.

From Miss Mary E. Wood, of Rome, N. Y., 3 bound volumes of the Spirit of Missions, Journals of the Diocese of Western New York for 1837, 1839, 1841, 1842, 1843, 1845, 1857; Charges by Bishop DeLancey on the Extent of Redemption (1843) and Religious Training (1849,) and 80 other pamphlets.

From W. W. DeAngelis, Esq., of Holland Patent, N. Y., Life of Bishop Jeremy Taylor, Discourses by Bishop Seabury, and Letters by Bishop Hopkins on "The novelties that disturb our peace," (1844); also sets of the Gospel Messenger and the Living Church, 1891-92.

Respectfully submitted,

Utica, May 13, 1892.

A. B. GOODRICH.

The Rev. Dr. Lockwood read the Report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. (*See Appendix I. A.*)

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Gibson, it was

*Resolved*, That in accordance with the recommendation of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, who have informed this Convention that the extraneous resources relied upon to increase the amount of the regular salary of the Bishop's Chaplain have proved unproductive, the Standing Committee are herely authorized to assess the amount of said salary at one thousand five hundred dollars instead of one thousand dollars as heretofore.



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*Report of the Committee on a Substitute for Canon X.*

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The Rev. Dr. Olin, from the Committee appointed at the last Convention on the matter of a substitute for Canon X, presented the following

REPORT:

The Committee to whom was assigned the duty of considering the question of a substitute for Canon X of this Diocese, beg to report, that having endeavored to give careful and considerate attention to so important a matter, they find:

*First.* That the giving for Diocesan missions in our Diocese is neither as liberal nor as general as the cause demands, or the ability of our communicants easily admits of.

Upon consulting the Diocesan Journals for the past ten years, it appears that the average yearly giving per communicant for Diocesan Missions, including the offerings for this purpose by the W. A. and the Sunday Schools, has been about 64 cents. Assuming that 8 per cent. of this has been given by the W. A. and the Sunday Schools, the average giving per communicant in the regular monthly offerings for Diocesan missions, has been less than 60 cents a year—or not quite one-half the minimum asked for by our Bishop.

*Secondly.* During this period, while there have been fluctuations from year to year, your Committee fail to discover any signs of growth in individual giving for this object through the Diocese at large. Sixteen, out of 145 parishes and missions, last year reported offerings for this purpose in excess of the minimum rate. Even a smaller number may with fairness be said to have approximated it, while in the great body of parochial and mission centres there are numerous evidences of chronic indifference to the whole matter. A signal falling off in giving for Diocesan missions is noticeable in the smaller mission fields where the stipends have regularly been granted. These statements receive their proper emphasis when it is understood that only half of the 16 parishes above mentioned are of the wealthier sort, while the whole 16, representing but one-sixth of the communicants of the Diocese, gave last year over half the entire sum reported for Diocesan missionary work. Fifteen other parishes and missions reported actually less than an average of 7 cents per communicant for this object!

*Thirdly.* It is thus seen that the giving for this object by the parishes has borne little relation to their ability. This applies the more noticeably to the giving by districts; the wealthier districts, as a rule, having given per communicant little more, and in one notable instance much less, than the poorer districts.

*Fourthly.* There has therefore been a great lack of equalizing the burden. Parishes and missions less able have borne more than their share. And if the recurring appeals for additional offerings from the more faithful parishes and missions to supplement the deficiencies of those persistently indifferent to the whole matter, have not amounted to a premium upon such indifference, they seem at least to operate as a tax upon systematic fidelity in giving.

Your Committee entirely agree with the Committee which reported last year upon this same subject, that any change from our present Canon, which, in the judgment of the Convention, may operate more effectually to stimulate local interest and develop the sense of local responsibility in the cause of our Diocesan missions, is much to be desired. Not that we underestimate the proved excellencies of the present Canon; but, while recognizing these, we certainly think there may yet be room for improvement in this important respect. Progress here, as elsewhere, must question the perfection of what is.

In the Canon therefore which we venture herewith to submit to this Convention, as a substitute for the present Canon X, the primary and controlling object has been to bring the missionary interests and responsibilities of the Diocese as effectually as possible before the people. We think, with the pre-

*Report of the Committee on Canon X.*

vious committee, that the natural way to secure this is to place the Missionary Districts "upon their own mettle."

To further stimulate local giving, and at the same time to guide in making discriminate appropriations for our Missionary work, your Committee have incorporated in their proposed Canon the feature of a tabular exhibit, showing at a glance the Missionary status of every parish and mission in the Diocese, and giving credit wheresoever credit is due.

The taking of Madison and Cortland counties from the Fourth District, and adding them respectively to the Third and Sixth, your Committee trust will meet with the judgment and approval of the Convention.

After some discussion we have decided in the proposed Canon to adhere to the existing nomenclature of the present Canon, leaving any change in this respect to such action, if any, as the Convention may deem advisable.

The nomination of the Presidents by their respective Districts, as provided for in the proposed Canon, your Committee have reason to believe, will prove a grateful relief to our Bishop. And we also trust that the general provisions of the Canon proposed may operate to his personal relief from many cares connected with minor details of the Missionary work of the Diocese, which he will thus be enabled to devolve upon other shoulders, reserving to himself the general oversight and direction of the Missionary work pertaining to his sacred charge. Another object has been to place as few restrictions as possible upon the Districts, and give them as wide a scope as may be for spontaneous effort and generous rivalry.

Your Committee have but to add that by reliable information which they have gained of the operation of like provisions in various other Dioceses, they confidently anticipate that such changes as they venture to recommend, will, if adopted, tend to promote what we all have at heart, the forwarding of Missionary interest and work in our Diocese.

Your Committee therefore offer the following as a substitute for Canon X:

CANON X.

*Of Diocesan Missions and Collections.*

SECTION I. All Members of the Church in the Diocese of Central New York constitute its Diocesan Missionary Society; and the Convention of the Diocese is also the Diocesan Board of Missions, sitting as such, as the Missionary interests of the Diocese may require.

SEC. II. For Missionary purposes the Diocese shall be divided into Six Districts, as follows:

First District—Jefferson and Lewis Counties.

Second District—Oneida County.

Third District—Broome, Chenango and Madison Counties.

Fourth District—Onondaga and Oswego Counties.

Fifth District—Cayuga and Seneca Counties.

Sixth District—Chemung, Tompkins, Tioga, and Cortland Counties.

SEC. III. 1. The principal officer of each Missionary District shall be the President of the District. He shall be appointed every four years by the Bishop, from the Clergy of the District, after nomination in a regular Convocation of the same. Under the Bishop he shall have the oversight of all Missionary work in his District.

2. Each Missionary District shall annually elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, at its first regular Convocation after the Annual Convention of the Diocese.

3. If the Presidency of any Missionary District become vacant, by removal or otherwise, the Bishop shall appoint a successor for the remainder of the term.

SEC. IV. 1. In the general Missionary work of the Diocese, the Bishop shall be assisted by a Diocesan Board of Managers consisting, together with

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*Report of the Committee on Canon X.*

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the Bishop, of the Treasurer of the Diocese, who shall also be the Treasurer of the Board, the six District Presidents, and six Clergymen and six Laymen, one of each from each Missionary District, to be elected by ballot at each Annual Meeting of the Diocesan Board of Missions. In any vacancy of the Episcopate, the Board of Managers shall elect one of its members to preside.

2. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall consult for the promotion of the Missionary work of the Diocese. It shall each year, present to the Diocesan Board of Missions, at its annual session, a report of the Missionary work of the Diocese during the conventional year.

3. At each Annual Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall submit to the Diocesan Board of Missions for its action, an estimate of the sum required for the Missionary work of the Diocese during the current year. Immediately after the adjournment of the Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall meet and determine how much of the money voted by the Diocese for its Missionary work during the year, shall be assessed to each District, and what part of it shall be given to the same for apportionment among its Stipendiary Clergy.

4. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall, through its Treasurer, prepare for publication in each Journal of the Convention, a Table, by Districts, of all the Parishes and Missions in the Diocese, the sum assessed to each District to be raised for Diocesan Missionary work, the amount assessed by the District to each Parish and Mission for the same, and the sum actually given for this purpose by each Parish and Mission. It shall also contain the amount of Stipendiary Funds given to each District, together with the sum apportioned to each of its Stipendiary Parishes and Missions.

5. Other meetings of the Board of Managers shall be held at the call of the Bishop, or, in a vacancy of the Episcopate, of four District Presidents. Eleven members of the Board, including three District Presidents, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; but no action of the Board shall be valid without the approval of the Bishop.

SEC. V. 1. Each Missionary District shall hold not less than two stated Convocations yearly. At the first of these, which shall be held as soon after the adjournment of the Annual Convention as the District may determine, appropriations shall be made by it in aid of the Missionary work in the said District.

2. Each Missionary District shall be represented in its Convocations by the Clergy canonically resident, and by the Lay Delegates from each of its Parishes to the last Annual Convention of the Diocese.

3. Each Missionary District shall have power to assess upon its own Parishes and Missions whatever sum may canonically be required of it for the Missionary work of the Diocese.

4. On the first day of May, August, November and February of each year the Treasurer of each District shall balance his account with the Treasurer of the Board of Managers.

5. At least two weeks before the Annual Convention of the Diocese, the Secretary of each Missionary District shall make a report of the year's work of the District to the Secretary of the Board of Managers, including the items called for in Section IV (4) of this Canon.

6. Any Missionary District may, with the approval of the Bishop, undertake special Missionary work, provided it shall first have complied with all Canonical requirements, and shall be free to make its own regulations and conduct its own Missionary work in all ways not conflicting with the provisions of this Canon.

7. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman in charge of a Parish or Mission, to attend all Convocations of his District, and report to the same the Missionary work done in his Cure.

*Amendments to the Proposed Canon X.*

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SEC. VI. 1. Collections shall be taken systematically in the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese, as follows:

For the Communion Alms, on the first Sunday in each month.

For the Domestic Committee of the Board of Missions, on the second Sunday in December.

For the Christmas Fund, on Christmas Day.

For the Foreign Committee of the Board of Missions, in Epiphany.

For the Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York, or the Bible and Prayer Book Society of New York, in the discretion of the Minister, on Whitsunday.

For the increase of the Ministry, on Easter, or some other near and convenient Sunday.

For the Diocesan Church Building Fund, on the fourth Sunday in March and September.

2. Collections for Diocesan Missions shall be taken in every Parish and Mission in the Diocese either on the third Sunday of each month, when one of the above named Sundays is not the third Sunday, or else such collections shall be taken at such times, not less than four in a year, as the District may direct. All such collections shall be forwarded promptly to the Treasurer of the District.

It is also recommended that the Minister of each Parish or Congregation, at the Episcopal visitation, ask an offering, which shall be placed in the hands of the Bishop, to be used at his discretion for the benefit of needy persons, and which shall be called the Bishop's Relief Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. OLIN,  
C. T. OLMSTED,  
R. G. QUENNELL,  
H. M. DENSLOW,  
J. E. JULIAND,  
H. V. BOSTWICK,  
J. V. H. SCOVILL,  
*Committee.*

The Convention proceeded to the consideration of the proposed Canon, section by section, and the following amendments were, on motion, adopted:

Section I was amended so as to read, in the last clause, "the Convention of the Diocese shall be the Diocesan Board of Missions." Section III was amended by substituting for the words "shall be the President," the words "shall be called the Dean," and for the word "Presidency," the words "office of Dean." Section IV was amended by inserting in the eighth line after the word "year," the words "through its Secretary," and by substituting the word "Deans" for the words "District Presidents." Section V was amended by striking out sub-section 4, by substituting for the words "the lay delegates from each of its parishes to the last Annual Convention of the Diocese," the words "two lay delegates from each of its Parishes and Missions," and by adding after the words "Missionary work of the diocese." the words "and all moneys raised or collected for Diocesan Missions shall be promptly paid by the Treasurer of the District to the Treasurer of the Diocesan Board of Managers, and by him paid to the Missionaries on the order of the Treasurer of the District." Section VI was amended by substituting the word "offerings" for the word "collections," the words "on a Sunday in Advent" for the words "the second Sunday in December," the words "on a Sunday in Epiphany" for the words "in Epiphany," by adding the words "For the Mission among Deaf Mutes in the Diocese, on the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity," and by

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*Vote on the Adoption of the Proposed Canon X.*

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striking out in the eleventh line the word "either," and in the next line the words "or else such collections shall be taken at such times, not less than four in a year, as the District may direct."

The Rev. W. E. Allen moved that the final action on the Canon be made the special order immediately after the election of the Standing Committee and the Deputies to the General Convention, and the motion was lost.

A vote by orders was taken on a motion to adopt the Canon as amended, and resulted as follows:

*Clergy Voting in the Affirmative*—The Rev. Messrs. W. E. Allen, John Arthur, E. C. Alcorn, W. M. Beauchamp, D. D., A. J. Brockway, J. J. Burd, J. M. Clarke, D. D., W. B. Clarke, A. C. Clarke, H. G. Coddington, E. W. Colloque, Wm. Cooke, S. D. Day, H. M. Denslow, C. Donohue, A. W. Ebersole, Charles Ferguson, W. T. Gibson, D. D., H. P. LeF. Graban, H. R. Lockwood, D. D., W. D. Maxon, C. W. MacNish, P. N. Meade, G. L. Neide, R. A. Olin, D. D., C. T. Olmsted, J. K. Parker, R. G. Quennell, A. H. Rogers, A. H. Redding, O. A. Sands, A. G. Singsen, H. D. Stebbins, W. D. Wilson, D. D., Wm. DeL. Wilson, F. P. Winne—36.

*Clergy Voting in the Negative*—The Rev. Messrs. J. B. Avirett, Theodore Babcock, D. D., John Brainard, D. D., W. H. Casey, R. M. Duff, D. D., J. H. Egar, D. D., Robert Hudson, Ph. D., J. H. Kidder, G. H. McKnight, D. D., J. B. Murray, D. D., A. H. Ormsbee, J. A. Robinson, J. T. Rose, C. H. Tindell—14.

*Parishes Voting in the Affirmative*—Christ Church, Binghamton; Trinity Church, Binghamton; St. Luke's, Harpursville; Zion, Greene; St. Andrew's, New Berlin; Emmanuel, Norwich; St. Paul's, Oxford; Grace, Cortland; St. Paul's, Brownville; Zion, Pierrepont Manor; Trinity, Watertown; Grace, Watertown; St. John's, Oneida; St. Stephen's, New Hartford; Calvary, Utica; Grace, Utica; Trinity, Fayetteville; St. James, Skaneateles; Grace, Syracuse; St. John's, Syracuse; St. Paul's, Syracuse; Christ Church, Oswego; Evangelists, Oswego; Trinity, Seneca Falls—24.

*Parishes Voting in the Negative*—St. Peter's, Auburn; St. Matthew's; Moravia; St. Peter's, Cazenovia; Grace, Waterville; Christ Church, Manlius; Trinity, Syracuse; St. Thomas', Hamilton—7.

So the motion to adopt the Canon as amended was carried, two-thirds of each order concurring therein.

(On motion of Mr. W. T. Parker, it was

*Resolved*, That a committee of one person from each missionary district be appointed by the chair to report the names of six clergymen and six laymen to constitute a Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions.

The Convention then, on motion, adjourned until nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

*Opening Services Second Day.*

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SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, June 15, 1892.

The Convention met, pursuant to adjournment, at nine o'clock A. M.

Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. A. G. Singsen and the Rev. Robert Hudson, Ph.D.

The Holy Communion was administered by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. J. M. Clarke, D. D., the Rev. W. T. Gibson, D. D., the Rev. J. Winslow, and the Rev. P. N. Meade.

The services being ended, the Rt. Rev. the President called the Convention to order.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

On calling the names of members not present yesterday four clergymen and eight lay delegates appeared and took their seats. (*See pp. 16, 17.*)

Mr. Joseph Mason, a delegate from St. Thomas' Church, Hamilton, asked that that parish be recorded as voting in the negative on the question of adopting the new Canon X, which request, on motion, was granted.

The chair appointed the following as the committee of one from each Missionary District to report the names of six clergymen and six laymen to nominate a Board of Managers, namely: The Rev. C. D. Atwell, the Rev. F. P. Winne, the Rev. C. W. MacNish, Messrs. J. T. Montross, Joseph E. Juliand, and C. H. Butler.

The Bishop read his Annual Address.

On motion of Mr. J. T. Montross, it was

*Resolved*, That it shall be in order to nominate in open Convention all candidates to be voted for for every office in the gift of this Convention.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Olin, it was

*Resolved*, That the Bishop be requested to continue the Presidents of Convocation until their successors are appointed under Canon X.

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*Standing Committee and Trustees of Funds Elected.*

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The Convention proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as tellers, to receive the votes of the clergy, the Rev. Charles Ferguson and Mr. C. L. Hoskins; and to receive the votes of the laity, the Rev. A. Cleveland Clarke, and Mr. W. T. Parker.

A vote on the amendments to the Constitution proposed in the last Convention (see Journal of 1891, pp. 31, 32,) was, on motion, reconsidered, and no further action was taken thereon.

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, it was

*Resolved.* That this Convention nominate Edward N. Westcott to the Trustees of the Christmas Fund for election to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of his term of office.

Mr. W. D. Dunning read the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund. (*See Appendix I. H.*)

A vote by ballot being taken, the Secretaries acting as tellers, Mr. Seymour H. Stone and M. C. Comstock were declared duly elected Trustees of the Parochial Fund for three years from September 1, 1892.

The Rev. Dr. Egar offered the following resolution:

*Resolved.* That the new Canon X of Diocesan Missions and Collections go into effect on the 1st of October, 1892.

The Rev. J. B. Avirett moved as a substitute for the resolution of the Rev. Dr. Egar, that the whole matter of the proposed new Canon on Missions be referred to the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, and the motion was lost.

The tellers presented their report, from which it appeared that the following named persons had received a majority of all the votes given, and they were therefore declared duly elected.

STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Rev. John Brainard, D. D.,	Mr. Daniel O. Salmon,
The Rev. William T. Gibson, D. D., LL. D.,	Mr. Thomas D. Green,
The Rev. Henry R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,	Mr. Azariah H. Sawyer.
The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D.,	Mr. John R. Van Wagenen.

The Convention then, on motion, took a recess until three o'clock P. M.



*Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions.*

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, three o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the chair.

The Rev. F. P. Winne, from the committee appointed to nominate a Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions, presented the following

REPORT:

The committee appointed by the chair to recommend the names of one clergyman and one layman from each Missionary District to act on the Board of Diocesan Missions, recommend the following: 1st District, the Rev. F. P. Winne, Mr. J. M. Tilden; 2d District, the Rev. B. Schulte, Mr. Edward Trevvett; 3d District, the Rev. R. G. Quennell, Mr. H. O. Moss; 4th District, the Rev. W. M. Beauchamp, D. D., Mr. D. O. Salmon; 5th District, the Rev. R. M. Duff, D. D., Mr. A. N. Hollister; 6th District, the Rev. W. B. Clarke, W. C. Wey, M. D.

A vote by ballot being taken, the persons recommended by the committee were declared duly elected the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions for the ensuing year.

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, it was

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer be and is hereby authorized to pay to the Bishop, and to each of the Clerical Deputies to the General Convention, the sum of fifty dollars, to assist in defraying their expenses while in attendance upon said body.

The Convention proceeded to the election of Deputies to the General Convention. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as tellers the same members who had acted as the tellers of the votes for the Standing Committee.

Mr. J. T. Montross offered the following resolution, which, on motion, was referred to the Committee on the Constitution and Canons:

*Resolved*, That Canon XVI. Section 2, be amended by striking out the following words, viz.: "no printed ballot shall be allowed."

On motion, the resolution of the Rev. Dr. Eggar with reference to Canon X was laid on the table for the present.

The Rev. J. T. Rose read the Report on Christian Education. (See Appendix I. D.)

The Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, presented the following



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*Reports of Committees.*


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**REPORT:**

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

We have examined the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, and find the same correct. We have also examined the investments of the permanent fund, amounting to \$12,200, and find the full amount accounted for and the securities ample for the amounts loaned.

HAMILTON S. WHITE,  
HENRY B. HUBBARD.

The Standing Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese respectfully reports: The amount received by the Treasurer, as acknowledged monthly in the *Gospel Messenger*, including balance on hand May 1st, 1891, \$25,592.74. Amount of disbursements, the vouchers for which we have examined in detail and find correct, \$23,029.43. Balance on hand May 1, 1892, \$2,563.31.

ROBERT J. HUBBARD.  
GEORGE JACK,  
*Committee.*

The Rev. W. D. Maxon read the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund. (*See Appendix I. (7.)*)

Mr. H. O. Moss, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund make report as follows: We have examined in detail their report giving statements of the receipts of principal and income of the fund, also of disbursements of same, and have found the same correct. We have also examined the securities, the bonds and mortgages, and contracts, in which the fund is invested, on which no indorsements of receipts of principal or interest are usually made, and find that the amount of same corresponds with the statement of the Trustees in their report. There has been an increase of the principal of the fund in the sum of five hundred dollars, a legacy received from Miss Mary D. Pierrepont.

We have also examined the securities of the DeLancey Fund, and find them to be as stated in the report of the Trustees.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

H. O. MOSS.  
F. G. CLARKE,  
WM. M. WHITE,  
*Committee.*

May 26th, 1892.

The Rev. Dr. McKnight, in behalf of the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions, presented the following

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*Reports of Committees—Standing Committees Appointed.*

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REPORT:

A meeting of the Board of Managers under the new Missionary Canon being held, it was resolved to appropriate for the ensuing year the sum of \$10,700 for missionary work in the diocese.

G. H. McKNIGHT,  
*President of the Board.*

On motion of the Rev. H. M. Denslow, the report was approved, and the appropriation of the sum named therein for the purpose stated was authorized.

Mr. J. R. Van Wagenen read his Report as Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund. (*See Appendix I. J.*)

The Rev. J. J. Burd, for the Committee on the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society, presented the following

REPORT:

The Committee appointed to examine the detailed report of the Executive Committee of the Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York, respectfully report that they have carefully examined the same and find it correct.

JAMES J. BURD, *Chairman.*

The Bishop appointed as Examining Chaplains, the Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D. and the Rev. William M. Beauchamp, D. D.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

*On Christian Education*—The Rev. C. H. Tindell, the Rev. W. B. Coleman, Jr., the Rev. E. W. Colloque; Messrs. Charles A. Talcott and O. H. Bogardus.

*On the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., the Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., the Rev. John H. Egar, D. D.; Messrs. George B. Sloan and John D. Barrow.

*On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Messrs. F. O. Clarke, John Anderson and W. F. Morris.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund*—Messrs. H. O. Moss, E. S. Hamblin and T. R. Proctor.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Messrs. William M. White, John T. White and George E. Congdon.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Messrs. A. N. Holister, John V. Needham and John Lyman.

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*Report of the Committee to Confer with the Secretary.*

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*On the Report of the Trustees of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund—The Rev. George H. Kirkland; Messrs. Francis G. Clarke and V. C. Emerson.*

The Rev. Dr. Babcock, from the Committee appointed to confer with the Secretary, presented the following

REPORT:

The Committee to confer with the Secretary offer the following resolution: *Resolved*, That in deference to the general wish of this Convention, and that it may further show its appreciation of the faithful services of the Rev. Dr. Goodrich as its Secretary, he be requested to continue his acceptance of the election to the office in which he has so long and honorably served.

THEO. BABCOCK,  
W. E. ALLEN,  
H. O. MOSS.

On motion, the resolution offered by the Committee was adopted.

The Secretary signified his willingness to comply with the request contained in the above resolution, expressing at the same time his deep sense of obligation to the Bishop and the members of the Convention for their cordial expressions of appreciation and good will. On his nomination, the Rev. James K. Parker was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Convention.

On motion of the Rev. W. D. Maxon, it was

*Resolved*, That in partial recognition of the claim of the Diocese upon the time and ability of the Secretary of the Convention, the Treasurer of the Diocese be authorized to pay annually to the Secretary of the Convention the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200), and to the Assistant Secretary, if there is one, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50); and that said payments, being a legitimate expense of the Convention, should be included in the annual estimate of the General Fund.

The tellers presented their report of the votes for Deputies to the General Convention, from which it appeared that the Rev. Drs. Wilson and Olin, and Messrs. H. O. Moss, G. C. McWhorter, and George J. Gardner had received a majority of the votes of both orders.

The Convention proceeded to a second ballot, and the tellers, having counted the votes, reported that the Rev. Charles T. Olmsted and Mr. William M. White had received a majority of the votes given by the clergy and laity.

There being still one clerical deputy to be chosen, on motion of Mr. J. R. Van Wagenen, the Secretary was instructed to cast the vote of the Convention for the Rev. Dr. Brainard,

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*Deputies to General Convention—Missionary Report.*

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who, it appeared, had received the highest number of votes; which being done, the following named persons were declared duly elected:

DEPUTIES TO THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

The Rev. William D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D.,	Mr. Horace O. Moss,
The Rev. Russell A. Olin, D. D.,	Mr. George C. McWhorter,
The Rev. Charles T. Olmsted.	Mr. George J. Gardner,
The Rev. John Brainard, D. D.,	Mr. William M. White.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. McKnight, it was

*Resolved*, That a suitable sum of money be presented to the Rev. Dr. Goodrich in recognition of his services as Secretary of the Diocese during the twenty-four years of its existence, and that said sum of money be provided by the voluntary contributions of the Laity, who, it is well known, are desirous of having such recognition made.

On motion, Mr. William M. White was appointed a committee to carry out the purpose of the resolution.

The Rev. Dr. Gibson having tendered his resignation as a Trustee of the General Theological Seminary, on his motion, the Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., was elected a Trustee of that institution on the part of this diocese.

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, it was

*Resolved*, That so much of the Report of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund as relates to the farm belonging to the fund be referred to the Standing Committee on the Report of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund, who, with the Trustee, be authorized to take such action as to them shall seem advisable.

The Rev. H. M. Denslow presented the Report of the Missionary Board. (*See Appendix I. B.*)

The Rev. A. G. Singesen, from the Committee on the Report of the Missionary Board, presented the following

REPORT:

The Committee on the Report of the Missionary Board beg leave to say that they have carefully examined the report of that body and offer the following remarks: While there are some features of the report which seem somewhat discouraging, yet your committee feel that there is much in the report to stimulate our zeal for the coming year. Missionary work has been carried on or assisted in eighty-eight parishes and missions by the aid of the Board. Almost everywhere in the field progress is reported—in many places much progress. The decrease in receipts reported, as compared with last year, is not so discouraging when we make a comparison of this year with two years ago. There has been an actual increase over two years ago of \$531.07.

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*Adjournment.*

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We believe that this is a permanent gain, after the reaction from the extra effort put forth a year ago. We have every reason to believe that, under the operation of the new Canon just passed, the coming year will surpass anything in the past.

A. G. SINGSEN,  
GEORGE JACK,  
CHAS. L. BEHM.

On motion, the Rev. C. W. MacNish was appointed a Committee to secure reduced railroad fare for the members of the Convention, and the Treasurer was authorized to pay the expense of \$17 incident thereto.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. McKnight, it was

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the members of the Convention are tendered to the Rectors of both Parishes of Oswego, and their parishioners, for the generous hospitality extended to them.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Wilson, it was

*Resolved*, That 1,300 copies of the Journal of this Convention, together with the Constitution and Canons, and various forms and legislative acts of incorporation, be printed under the direction of the Secretary and distributed as directed by Canon V.

The Convention then, on motion, resolved to adjourn after the reading of the minutes and the usual devotions.

The minutes of this day's session were read and approved.

The Convention joined with the Bishop in saying the *Veni, Creator Spiritus*. The Bishop offered prayers and pronounced the Benediction, and the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON,

*President of the Convention.*

ALFRED B. GOODRICH, *Secretary.*

JAMES K. PARKER, *Assistant Secretary.*

# THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS

## To the Twenty-Fourth Annual Convention.

It would be well nigh irreligious to bring you a Report of the life and doings of our Diocese, during a period of such uniform prosperity as the last year has witnessed, without an express tribute of thanksgiving, in this Trinity-week, to the Father of the Family, to the Saviour of the whole Body, to the Inspirer and Comforter of the personal soul and of the Flock.

Whatever we have to deplore or to regret lies almost altogether in that unseen realm which, as we must nevertheless remember, is always open to the sight and judgment of God, but which publishes no bulletins of disaster or defeat, no catalogue of failures or disappointments, disobediences or blunders, of cowards, or idlers, or of the spiritually dead. There has been among us, I believe, no serious damage to Church property by the elements, no final loss of ground once occupied, no abandonment of sacred enterprises begun, no sickness so severe or prevalent as to be a pestilence, no signal moral catastrophe, no outbreak of false doctrine, heresy or schism, no faction or disputation. Some one told me when I was coming to Central New York that I should find the Church life here too slow for celebrity and too indifferent for controversy. After twenty-three years I have found it not so very slow that it has been easy for me to keep far ahead of it or sometimes to keep up with it; and in the New Testament I have not found controversy mentioned among "the fruits of the Spirit."

On the mortuary record of Clergy I have had to place but one name, that of the Rev. Thomas Pitkin Tyler, some years since well known in Western New York as a priest and preacher of uncommon strength and rare purity and felicity of style, a graduate of Trinity College, a learned Doctor of Divinity, and a gentleman of refined and retiring manners. He died under the watching of his family, in Brattleboro, Vt., on the 25th of January last.

There have been confirmed within the year in our Parishes and Missions, one thousand one hundred and seventy persons. I have confirmed ten in Massachusetts.

As Presbyters I have ordained George F. Clover, Henry A. R. Cresser and Charles Donohue.

As Deacons, William Morris Gilbert, Walter E. Bentley, Albert Cusick of the Onondaga Tribe of Indians, Edward Macomb Duff, Frank P. Tompkins, Arnold H. Redding, Charles Orvis Dantzer, a deaf-mute, and Joseph M. Hayman.

*Clergy Received and Transferred.*

We have now nine Postulants, viz: Dwight A. Parce, William Neely Freeman, Arthur Lincoln Mowry, J. Winslow Clarke, Albert Edward Bentley, Gilbert William Laidlow, William Earle Stillwell, Ernest Frederic George, John C. Kirtland, Jr.

We have twenty-two Candidates for Orders, viz: John Smiley, John Ernest Bates, Luther L. Barney, David L. Ferris, Charles Alexander Smith, Paul C. M. Tribe, Arthur Lester Byron Curtiss, Matthew Irving Hart, Joseph Hipkin Brown, George Henry Ottaway, George Fletcher Potter, George N. Smith, Fred Fairweather Llewellyn, Carl Henry Kenyon, Charles Tefft Raynor, Edward Burdick Doolittle, William Herbert Hawken, Frank Miller Baum, Charles E. S. Rasay, George Wharton McMullin, H. A. Dexter, and Emile Ulysses Brun.

I have received by Letters Dimissory the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D.D., from Wisconsin; Rev. J. F. Esch from Albany: Rev. Robert Hudson from Connecticut.

Clergymen have been transferred as follows: Rev. W. H. C. Lylburn to Michigan, James P. Foster to Western New York, W. D. Benton to Central Pennsylvania, Thomas A. Stevenson to Pittsburgh, John A. Staunton to Massachusetts, Julian E. Ramsdell to Michigan, Henry A. Cresser to Albany, W. H. Dean to Albany, W. T. Tierkel to Long Island, E. R. Earle to Albany, Josiah H. Lynch to Chicago.

C. W. Douglass, a candidate for Orders, has been transferred to the Diocese of New York.

The Rev. C. O. Dantzer, who came to Syracuse from the Diocese of Western New York, has a joint commission from Bishop Coxe and myself to gather groups or congregations of persons suffering a like deprivation with himself, wherever it is practicable, for worship, instruction, baptism and preparation for confirmation through the sign-language. I commend him cordially, as a wise and skilful though silent laborer, and a Brother beloved, to the practical goodwill of our Parish Clergy. So gracious a missionary work among our own neighbors and kindred ought not to be left to a chance or merely impulsive support. It deserves a regular place in our yearly offerings as much as a mission among Jews or neglected races in other parts of the world. Mr. Dantzer officially reports his labors.

On Oct. 6th I consecrated St. Ann's Church, Afton, promptly re-built by a zealous Parish after the loss of the former edifice by lightning. Two months later I consecrated St. Paul's Church, Port Byron, on a more central lot than that previously occupied by a structure which was also destroyed by fire. The consecration of the Memorial Church of the Holy Cross on the eastward side of Utica, Jan. 5th, was rendered especially joyous by the energetic completion of a costly undertaking, the symmetry and beauty of the building itself, and the offering to God of a free sanctuary so attractive to all classes of worshippers. On June



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12 I consecrated the commodious Church of St. James, built with many sacrifices, at New York Mills.

At Wood Falls, on the Black River, between Watertown and Brownville, Oct. 13, I laid the corner-stone of the Church of St. Andrew, since finished and opened,—services being now constantly held there under the care of the Rev. Dr. Olin in connection with those at Brownville and North Watertown. A promising mission having been opened at Lacona, close to Sandy Creek, through the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Daly, some enterprising citizens there have resolutely begun to provide a building, and the corner-stone was laid at my request May 20, by the Rev. P. N. Meade, President of the Fourth District Convocation. At Van Etenville our Church friends, united and taught in a Mission in charge of the Rev. G. E. Purucker of Candor, have been greatly favored by the munificence of a native of the town lately resident in New York, T. E. Smith, Esq., and his daughter, Mrs. Purdy. Mr. Smith has purchased a centrally situated property and has offered to put up, this season, a thoroughly constructed House of God, with furniture and bell, to be named St. Thomas' Church. I laid the corner-stone on the seventh of this month.

By a very generous and unsolicited gift from Mrs. J. J. Blodgett of New York, deposited by me as Trustee in the Trust and Deposit Co. of Syracuse, I have been able to assist in Church-building where assistance was necessary.

A well-planned Chapel, St. Andrew's, has been provided for a growing mission of Grace Church, Utica, by the Rector, on the southeast side of the city. I was present at the opening service, on the eve of St. Andrew's Day, with a large assembly. The new Church of St. Lawrence at Alexandria Bay is in use, and I confirmed a class there in October. Emmanuel Mission, in Elmira, has with much spirit obtained and set in order a suitable temporary place of worship. The Parish of St. James, Syracuse, entered its very satisfactory edifice on James street Feb. 6th.

Having felt for a long time the need of apartments in the city of my residence where Church business can be transacted; where meetings of corporations, committees, charitable boards, guilds and clubs can be held; where guests from any part of the Diocese can be received and conferred with, and where Church newspapers and other publications can be read, I secured, on the first of January, two accessible church rooms in the Larned Block for these purposes. A church club has since been formed with a view to offering the laity privileges corresponding to those of the clerical club organized a year or more ago.

Tokens most gratifying to me of the vitality and extension of our two most effective associations for guarding the character and developing the religious life of the young of both sexes have



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been afforded in their two Diocesan conventions,—one of the Girls' Friendly Society, Dec. 1, at Trinity Church, Utica, and the other of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, May 10, at Christ Church, Oswego. At both of these I was able to be present and take part. In my judgment, reached I trust with due deliberation, the multiplying of chapters and branches of both these wisely managed societies must bring a fresh accession of moral force and spiritual activity, as well as needful protection to the generation coming forward in the Church.

A quiet voluntary movement on the part of Church women for the gratuitous circulation of valuable Church literature is proving a help to improvement in Christian knowledge as well as personal religion.

The graduation of a large class of trained nurses, in December, at the House of the Good Shepherd, after strict examinations, reminded the community how beneficent that Hospital is, not only in the ceaseless ministry of mercy and science within its walls, but in the wider offices of healing and tender relief to anxiety and pain in hundreds of families in city and country. At St. Luke's Hospital, Utica, a similar work of mercy is carried on.

For a considerable time I have had knowledge that the large Manor House with convenient buildings and several acres of homeland, at Pierrepont Manor, would be conveyed by the present owners gratuitously to the Diocese for any charitable or other Church purpose which the Bishop should approve, provided a sufficient sum should be secured and funded to ensure "its use and care." Immediately adjacent to this valuable estate is Zion Church, with its Rectory, the Parish having a handsome permanent endowment left by the late master and hospitable occupant of the homestead, the Hon. Wm. C. Pierrepont. His heirs have no other wish in the matter than to benefit the Church and promote its Christian objects. It would appear that the interests of the Parish and the charity might be united to the advantage of both. The Manor house itself is remarkably well adapted by its form and arrangement to more than one kind of beneficence and more than one class of sufferers or other beneficiaries, such as exist among us and are in sore want of such housing and nursing. I suppose an income of \$2,000 a year would meet most of the housekeeping expenses.

Our three schools, constantly watched, have met with no reverses,—the Keble, St. John's and St. Andrew's,—the latter having more students than at any time heretofore.

Parochial Missions have been held in different parts of the Diocese. The Parish Clergy tell me that the fruits justify the time and labor expended.

You will learn from the Report of the Board of Missions in detail how extensive and how manifold the missionary service all

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over the Diocese has been, and you will wonder how so much can be done with the moderate support received. That support, when we compare ourselves with other Dioceses, is and has been from the first, honorable. None but those who make the appropriations from year to year can know how hard it is to restrict them to an amount certain to come in as the year passes. We make such ventures of faith and hope as are made in nearly all kinds of business, sure only that the actual necessities of our hard working missionaries will not be finally disregarded. In some cases, to be sure, I have to eke out a scanty stipend from the "Bishop's Relief Fund," but this at best cannot go very far. It can do no harm to repeat what has been proclaimed more than once, that if our sixteen thousand communicants and more—not to reckon in a larger number of non-communicant worshippers—contributed on an average even one dollar a year each, we should have ample means to obey what we must believe to be no other than the command of our Lord in offering the Gospel of the Kingdom to our neighbors who neither know what it is nor are able to find it out for themselves. Yet it becomes us not to be deceived by any urgency in the calls upon us, or by any impatience at slow progress, into a delusion that charity can be forced by artificial methods. Any system will miss the blessing of God which goes on the notion that the getting of money for the Church justifies us in appealing to any other motive than faith and love. We cannot further the Kingdom of Heaven by ignoring its spiritual laws. However excellent the cause, whatever our zeal in promoting it, however dissatisfied we may be with our past efforts, yet loyalty to Christ forbids our resorting to any inducements less holy than those which He would Himself sanction. I know of only one lawful way to persuade men to offer of their substance for Missions. That is to awaken in them a living devotion to Him without whom our souls cannot live, and without whom the world is lost.

Your kindness last year in enabling me to assign certain duties to a Reverend Secretary deserves my thanks. In private and in public, and in a chaplaincy in charitable institutions where I should otherwise feel obliged to bestow personal attention, his good offices have been most acceptable.

I see no occasion at this time to address you on subjects pertaining generally to interests beyond our own borders whether speculative or practical. Looking towards the General Convention in October you will exercise your privilege in the election of worthy Deputies. You will also, I trust, in the intervening months, make intercession to the Almighty Head of the Church in behalf of that great Body, that it may be guarded against waste of time and other dangers to which it is particularly exposed, and may be guided in the way of wisdom, peace, and power from on high.

*Confirmations.***Confirmations.**

Adams.....	1	Millport....	4
Afton.....	10	Moravia.....	21
Albion.....	10	New Berlin.....	10
Alexandria Bay.....	3	New York Mills .....	1
Antwerp.....	6	Norwich.....	9
Auburn, St. Peter's.....	56	Oneida .....	8
Aurora .....	5	Oriskany.....	4
Bainbridge.....	10	Oriskany Falls.....	15
Baldwinsville.....	20	Oswego, Christ Church.....	25
Big Flats.....	1	“ Evangelists.....	15
Binghamton, Christ Church.....	13	Oxford .....	14
“ Trinity.....	21	Paris Hill.....	4
“ Good Shepherd....	22	Pierrepont Manor.....	1
Brownville.....	8	Rome, Zion.....	29
Camden .....	8	“ St. Joseph's..	19
Carthage.....	2	Romulus.....	8
Canastota .....	11	Seneca Falls.....	21
Cayuga.....	2	Speedsville.....	7
Cazenovia.....	11	Syracuse, Calvary.....	12
Clayton ..	6	“ Grace.....	14
Clarks Mills.....	3	“ St. James'.....	13
Chadwicks .....	7	“ Trinity.....	14
Constableville .....	4	“ St. John's.....	6
Cortland.....	10	“ St. Paul's.....	25
Elmira, Trinity.....	24	Union Springs.....	3
“ Grace .....	23	Utica, Calvary.....	18
“ Emmanuel .....	19	“ Grace.....	28
Evans Mills.....	4	“ Holy Cross.....	18
Fayetteville.....	12	“ St. George's.....	13
Forestport.....	13	“ St. Luke's.....	51
Fulton .....	3	“ Trinity.....	20
Geddes ..	14	Van Etenville.....	6
Greene .....	6	Watertown, Trinity.....	57
Greig.....	6	“ Grace.....	21
Hayts Corners.....	1	Waterville .....	23
Harpursville .....	4	Waverly.....	6
Holland Patent.....	2	Weedsport .....	3
Homer.....	4	Westmoreland.....	5
Horseheads .....	5	*Waterloo ..	16
Ithaca, St. John's .....	17	Whitesboro .....	9
Jordan .....	5	Windsor.....	4
Manlius, Christ Church.....	1	Willard.....	1
“ St. John's School.....	8	Willowdale. ....	10
McDonough.....	5		
Mexico .....	8		1058

\*By Bishop Brewer.

## APPENDIX I.

# REPORTS OF OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES, With Accompanying Papers.

## A. Report of the Standing Committee,

FOR THE CONVENTIONAL YEAR 1891-92.

The Standing Committee respectfully reports that during the conventional year 1891-92 they have held six meetings, the first in Trinity House, Watertown, the sixth in Christ Church, Oswego, and the other four in St. Paul's Cathedral, Syracuse.

At the first meeting, held June 10th, 1891, the committee was organized for the ensuing year, by the election of the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., President, and the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Secretary. The Treasurer submitted his estimate of expenses of the Diocese for the current year as follows: For printing Journal of the Convention and other printing, \$400; insurance and repairs on the Episcopal Residence, \$300; appropriation by the Convention for the Bishop's traveling expenses, \$300; rent of the Episcopal Residence, \$600; total, \$1,600. It was accordingly ordered that that sum be charged upon the parishes, and that they be severally notified of the amount of their assessment for the same. Pursuant to a vote of the Convention, authorizing and instructing the committee to assign to the several Missionary Districts the portion to be raised by each of them of the appropriation for the salary of the Bishop's Chaplain, the following apportionment was made, viz: First district, \$150; second district, \$225; third district, \$150; fourth district, \$225; fifth district, \$150; sixth district, \$100.

At the second meeting, held September 2d, 1891, all the members were in attendance. By invitation, the Treasurer of the Diocese was present, and explained to the satisfaction of the committee some apparent inequalities which have been complained of in the assessment of the General Fund. The proper testimonials having been presented, unanimous consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Isaac N. Nicholson, D. D. as Bishop of Milwaukee, and to the translation of the Right Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, D. D., Missionary Bishop of Wyoming and Idaho, to the Bishopric of Georgia. The Rev. George Frederick Clover, Deacon, was recommended to the Bishop to be advanced to the Order of Priests; Messrs. David L. Ferris, Walter E. Bentley and Albert Cusick were recommended to be admitted to the Order of Deacons; and Mr. Matthew Irving Hunt to be made a candidate for Holy Orders. Other papers presented at this meeting were, on motion, laid upon the table.

At the third meeting, held December 15th, 1891, there were present of the Clergy, the Rev. Drs. Brainard, Babcock and Lockwood, and of the Laity, Messrs. Salmon, Green and Van Wagenen. The proper testimonials having been laid before the committee, certificates were signed by all present, recommending to the Bishop the Rev. Charles Donohue and the Rev. Harry A. R. Cresser, Deacons, to be advanced to the Order of Priests; Messrs. Frank P. Tompkins, Edward Macomb Duff and Arnold Harxthall Redding to be ordained to the Diaconate; and Messrs. George N. Smith, George H. Ottaway, and Arthur Lester Byron Curtiss to be admitted candidates for Holy Orders.

At the fourth meeting, held March 8th, 1892, all the members were present. Papers were signed attesting the consent of the committee to the election of an Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Springfield, and to the consecration of the Rev. Cleland K. Nelson, D. D., to the Bishopric of Georgia. Mr. Charles

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Orvis Dantzer and Mr. Joseph Marchand Hayman were recommended to the Bishop to be ordained Deacons, and Messrs. William Herbert Hawken, Charles Tefft Raynor, Frederick F. Llewellyn, Earl H. Kenyon, Joseph Hipkin Brown, and George Fletcher Potter to be admitted candidates for Holy Orders, the testimonials required by canon having been in each case duly submitted.

At the fifth meeting, held June 7th, 1892, all the members were present. The consecration of the Rev. Charles R. Hale, D. D., LL.D., to be Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Springfield, was consented to. On presentation of the required testimonials, papers were signed recommending to the Bishop Messrs. Frank Miller Baum, Charles E. S. Rasay, George Wharton McMullin and Edward Burdick Doolittle to be admitted candidates for Holy Orders.

At the sixth meeting, held June 14th, 1892, all the clerical members and Messrs. Salmon, Green and Van Wagenen were present. On receipt of the proper testimonials, papers were signed recommending that Mr. Emile Ulysses Brun and Mr. Henry Aaron Dexter be admitted by the Bishop candidates for Holy Orders. It having come to the knowledge of the committee that the sources depended upon for a part of the income of the Bishop's Chaplain have been unproductive, rendering his support inadequate, and, in the judgment of the committee, not quite honorable to the Diocese, it was unanimously voted that it be recommended to the Convention to increase the appropriation for the Chaplain's salary to the sum of \$1,500. The Secretary's summary of meetings and acts of the committee during the year was approved and ordered to be read to the Convention.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

H. R. LOCKWOOD,  
*Secretary.*

### B. Missionary Board.

The Board of Missions of the Diocese of Central New York respectfully reports:

During the past year the Board has met twice, on June 15, 1891, in the Chapel of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse, at which time and place the Secretaries were re-elected and the appropriations for the ensuing year were made; and on June 14, 1892, in the Parish House of Christ Church, Oswego, when the work of the year was reviewed and the following statement ordered to be presented to the Convention:

#### FIRST DISTRICT:

##### *Jefferson and Lewis Counties.*

President, the Rev. G. G. Perrine, Rector at Redwood and Theresa; Secretary, the Rev. F. P. Winne, Watertown. Lay delegates to the Board of Missions, Hon. A. H. Sawyer of Watertown and Mr. A. L. Hilton of Antwerp.

Mission Stations in Jefferson County: Adams, Alexandria Bay, Antwerp, Brownville, Cape Vincent, Champion, Clayton, Dexter, Evan's Mills, Ellisburgh, Frederick's Corners, Great Bend, LaFargeville, Millen's Bay, North Watertown, Sackett's Harbor and Theresa. In Lewis County, Constableville, Copenhagen, Greig and Port Leyden.

The Parish at Adams has been vacant most of the year, but during the last few months services have been resumed by a lay reader.

The work during the year in Antwerp and Evan's Mills has been under the charge of the Rev. J. B. Trevett, M. D., who has held regular services in each

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place, mostly on alternate Sundays. Considerable has been accomplished in the way of church building and improvement and a goodly number have been added to the church.

At Grace Church, Carthage, the Rev. E. R. Earle resigned, May 1st, 1892, after a rectorship of three years, to take charge of the Church in Norwood, in the Diocese of Albany. During the past year in addition to his own parish he has occasionally held missionary services in Fine, St. Lawrence county. He has done what he could to increase the offerings for Diocesan Missions in his parish by the use of the pledge system. The Woman's Auxiliary has also accomplished much through his help and encouragement.

The Rev. S. W. Strowger still continues his faithful labors at Cape Vincent and Millen's Bay with gratifying results. The total offerings for the past year for all objects are considerably in advance of those of the preceding year. The offerings of the Sunday School have been larger also. The average attendance at the services and the membership of the Sunday School is larger than in any previous year of the present rectorship. Not a little of this increased interest is due to the valuable accessions to the working force of the parish, reversing the usual experience of former years wherein the parish suffered by uncompensated migrations.

In regard to Millen's Bay there are no changes to report as to interest or attendance. Its condition is anomalous and to suffer no loss under the conditions is of itself encouraging.

The Rev. J. E. Walton's work in Clayton and LaFargeville has been faithfully performed and the results will be lasting, but have been marked by no unusual occurrence.

The Rev. Mr. Winslow, with the assistance of a lay reader, has been able to keep up regular services at Sackett's Harbor, Dexter and Brownville, till within the last four months. Since that time the state of his health has prevented his doing any work outside of Sackett's Harbor, where he has held two regular services each Sunday and Sunday School and celebration of Holy Communion on the festival days.

Mr. Winslow expresses obligation to the Rev. Mr. Herrick, Chaplain in U. S. A., for actual and proffered help. He has resigned his charge on account of ill health, the resignation to take effect whenever a successor can be secured. During the six years of his rectorship the parish in addition to his salary, has paid out for canonical objects, repairs and improvements, \$2,110. It has also in bank \$400 towards a rectory and trust fund of \$500, the interest to be used for the poor children of the parish. The last year has been the most prosperous year of any for ten years.

The Rev. Mr. Winne during the last four months has officiated and celebrated the Holy Communion once each month in Brownville.

There has been no intermission in the work at Theresa and Redwood during the past year. The offerings for the work of the Diocese have been increased and the interest of the Sunday Schools further enlisted. The church in Theresa has been painted outside and in at a cost of \$100.

The Church of St. Lawrence, at Alexandria Bay, while unfinished was opened for services by the Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown, who has it in charge, on the second Sunday in July, 1891, and three services each Sunday with full attendance continued during the summer. Two adults were baptized at Evening Prayer on opening day. Rev. H. M. Denslow took charge during July and the Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown, during August, assisted twice by the Rev. Dean Hoffman of New York City. The church building here through the efficient and indefatigable efforts of the Rev. Dr. Olin, is in a fair way to completion, and it is confidently expected that the present season will see the work accomplished. Much valued help in money, and other gifts, have been received from summer visitors at the neighboring hotel; and decided local interest has been aroused. Three residents of the village were confirmed in October.

Faithful service has been done the past year at Constableville and Port



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Leyden, by the Rev. W. G. Bentley. Services have been held regularly every Sunday in both places with occasional week day services in Constableville. A faithful use of the pledge system has resulted here, as it always does, in increased offerings for Missions.

The Rev. W. H. Dean until the first of January last, pursued his labors in Champion and Copenhagen, without intermission, holding service every Sunday in both places, with occasional week day services in Copenhagen. He also had charge of the Mission at Great Bend till the beginning of October. Services are to be kept up at these places during the summer by a lay reader.

The Rev. J. E. Ramsdell, while Rector of Trinity Church, Lowville, held weekly services at Watson, with good results. He gave up his work here early in the winter, since which time the parish has been without a rector.

In addition to his regular services at Pierrepont Manor and Ellisburgh, the Rev. A. J. Brockway has held a regular service every other Sunday at St. Paul's Church, Frederick's Corners, and a special service on Thanksgiving Day.

The Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown, in addition to the labors of his own parish, has found time for a large amount of Missionary and Church work, both at Alexandria Bay and in and around Watertown. The Brotherhood of St. Andrew is a part of the working force of his parish and holds service regularly, once a week, at the County House, and twice a month at the Henry Keep Home, besides conducting Sunday School at Wood Falls.

On Nov. 4th Mr. A. H. Redding entered upon his work, in charge of St. Paul's, Brownville, the Mission of St. Andrew, Wood Falls, and the Mission of the Redeemer, North Watertown. Mr. Redding was ordained to the Diaconate on the 22d of December. Gratifying signs of awakening are manifested in St. Paul's, Brownville. The Church has had its walls frescoed, the seats have been recushioned and the chancel has been improved. The congregation has increased notably; more is being given for the support of the parish than before in many years. The envelope plan is in use.

At Wood Falls the corner-stone of the new Church of St. Andrew was laid on the 13th of October. On the evening of December 31, the Christmas tree exercises were held in the Church, this being the first gathering within its walls. It was opened for Divine Service on the 10th of March. The Trinity Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew have pledged \$1,200 towards the payment of the cost of the Church, which will amount, in all, to about \$2,300 in addition to the land, generously given by C. R. and C. H. Remington. These gentlemen have also given and raised \$800 for the Church. Some ladies of Trinity parish are holding an industrial school in the Mission, and two men of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew conduct the Sunday School with Mr. Redding.

In the Mission of the Redeemer, North Watertown, regular services are held every Sunday evening in addition to the Friday evening services, Rev. Mr. Redding preaching. The Sunday School now numbers 100.

Regular services continue to be held at the County House by Brotherhood men and members of the Young Men's Bible Class. At Christmas time Mrs. Washburn, the wife of the Superintendent, presented the young men with a Bible, Prayer Book and Hymnal, for the new Church of St. Andrew, in acknowledgement of their services there.

The young people also hold services twice a month at Henry Keep Home. Three services have been held in Huntingtonville, two children baptized and the Holy Communion celebrated twice there.

The offerings for Diocesan Missions, in this District, as reported in the Gospel Messenger, have amounted to \$1,282.28.

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SECOND DISTRICT.

*Oneida County.*

President, the Rev. Charles T. Olmsted, Rector of Grace Church, Utica; Secretary and Treasurer, Rev. Bernard Schulte, Rector of St. Luke's Memorial Church, Utica. Lay Delegates to the Board of Missions, Messrs. W. M. White, of Utica, and J. V. H. Scovill, of New Hartford.

The Missionary Stations aided by the Board are fourteen in number, viz: Augusta, Bridgewater, Clark's Mills, Chadwick's Mills, Camden, Clayville, Durhamville, Boonville, Forestport, Oriskany, Oriskany Falls, Holland Patent, St. Joseph's, Rome, New York Mills, Westmoreland and Whitesboro. A number of other stations are supplied with services, either indirectly in connection with these Missions or attached to parishes, viz: St. Andrew's, Utica, St. Paul's, Deerfield, Trenton, Trenton Falls, Deansville and Vernon. To our regret several important points in Oneida County are still unoccupied, for lack of men and money.

Augusta and Oriskany Fall are in charge of the Rev. Walter E. Bentley. Services are regularly maintained at both places. The Church buildings are in excellent repair. Services are also conducted at the Hathaway School, a district two miles distant from Oriskany Falls, where a goodly number of children have been gathered for religious instruction. Mr. Bentley with the assistance of Mr. Burdette Hamblin maintains a Sunday afternoon service, with most encouraging results.

Clayville is under the charge of the Rev. B. E. Whipple of Paris Hill. The large Church is kept in good repair and is soon to be painted and thoroughly renovated. The great distance from Paris Hill and the bad condition of the roads for the greater part of the year, makes this work very hard for the faithful Missionary.

Bridgewater has only occasional services, rendered by the neighboring Clergy. A little and scattered band of faithful people do all they can for the Church of their affection.

Clark's Mills and Westmoreland rejoice in the continued residence among them of the Rev. Edwin C. Alcorn. The Church building at Clark's Mills has been re-roofed and put into passable repair. Prosperity is returning to the village. Westmoreland, the home of Mr. Alcorn, has had its regular services for the entire year, with much of the old conditions of life.

Durhamville, under the care of St. John's, Oneida, retains the services of its faithful lay reader and friend, Mr. D. Ward Clark.

Boonville has had its beautiful Church closed for the entire year. A most interesting service was held May 18th, under the auspices of the Convocation held in Forestport, and we trust plans may mature for the renewal of service in this important village. A lay reader is to conduct services during the summer.

Regular services have been maintained at Forestport, by a lay reader from St. Andrew's Divinity School, Mr. Arthur L. Mowry. Thirty-four baptisms and thirteen confirmation attest faithful and persistent work. Failing health compelled Mr. Mowry to cease his work. The Church is in perfect order, and attests the love and care of a faithful flock.

Holland Patent has been in charge of the Rev. F. B. Cossitt, assisted by Prof. Knowlson of Holland Patent Academy. We regret to say that Mr. Cossitt has been obliged to relinquish the mission on account of ill-health. Prof. Knowlson continues lay services; the Clergy from Grace Church, Utica, gives occasional services and administering the Sacraments.

Oriskany, Whitesboro and New York Mills continue under the able and faithful care of the Rev. James K. Parker. Great activity in all three charges show life and growth. Services have been maintained regularly in New York Mills, their new Church is finished sufficiently to be consecrated on Trinity Sunday, by the Bishop of the Diocese. Whitesboro is to have a Rectory through the generosity of Mrs. Babbitt, a member and friend of the parish. Oriskany is also moving on and planning to increase its property.



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St. Joseph's, Rome, continues under the care of the Rev. Joseph M. Hayman, Deacon. The Church is being gradually repaired and put into perfect order by the congregation. Quite a following of English speaking people are taking the place of the old-time German congregation, and in time will develop into a strong Parish. It is most desirable that in some way the old debt of \$2,400 might be removed, so that this flock of the Church might have a fair chance for growth and progress.

The Rev. Joel Davis gives his constant care to Camden, and as a result there is the putting on of strength, which a continued ministration, under the same hand, always gives.

St. George's Church, Chadwick's Mills, is a part of the care of the Rev. T. Lewis Banister, Rector of St. Stephen's Church, New Hartford. The people of the village are much attracted to the beautiful Church building, provided by Mrs. George Chadwick, and are growing into churchly habits and ways. The extreme sickness of Mr. Banister has somewhat retarded the work, but services are regularly maintained.

The Rev. W. D. Maxon, Rector of Trinity, Utica, continues the services at St. Paul's, Deerfield, and maintains a flourishing Sunday School.

The Clergy of Grace Church, Utica, supply full services at St. Andrew's Mission. The handsome Chapel on Faxon street, was opened by the Bishop of the Diocese on Advent Sunday, November 29th, in the presence of a congregation which filled every available space. The progress of this work is most hopeful and gratifying.

The beautiful and costly new Church of the Holy Cross in East Utica, was consecrated by the Bishop on January 5th, and "Holy Cross" takes its place in the sisterhood of Utica Parishes. The future is assured by the present of worth. Beautiful is the realization of long delayed hopes.

Many services have been held by the Utica Clergy, in the various charitable institutions of the city from time to time. The President of this Convocation, Mr. Olmsted, has personally visited many of the Missions during the year, and held services productive of great good.

The Secretary of this District reports the condition of things as hopeful and encouraging.

The offerings of this District, as reported in the Gospel Messenger, have amounted to \$1,861.05, being about \$100 less than the sum reported last year.

## THIRD DISTRICT.

*Broome and Chenango Counties.*

President, Rev. A. H. Rogers, Rector of Zion Church, Greene; Secretary, Rev. R. G. Quennell, Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton; Lay Delegates to the Board of Missions, Messrs James K. Welden of Binghamton, and Horace O. Moss of New Berlin.

The Missions in Broome County are Chenango Forks, Harpursville, Whitney's Point and Windsor; in Chenango county, Afton, Bainbridge, Guilford, McDonough and Mt. Upton.

The Rev. Orrin A. Sands reports, that up to the 1st of April he had charge of Harpursville and Windsor, giving one service every Sunday at each place, and a service every Friday evening at the latter. On the date mentioned above, he gave up charge of Harpursville and has devoted himself to the work at Windsor, giving two services on Sunday and one week day evening service. The offerings for Diocesan Missions from Windsor show a commendable increase of more than 100 per cent., having amounted to \$43.73.

The Rev. James A. Robinson, in charge of Grace Church, Whitney's Point, has officiated there on forty-one Sundays and eight week days, usually giving two services on Sunday. There are no marked or material changes in the condition or prospects of the congregation. Upon seven Sunday afternoons or evenings Mr. Robinson has given a service at St. John's Church, Chenango.

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Forks. At his last visit there, there were decided evidences of a revived spiritual life and of an earnest interest in and desire for the services of the Church.

In the vacant Missionary Parish of St. John's Church, Chenango Forks, besides the services reported above as given by the Rev. Mr. Robinson, occasional visits were paid by the president of the district, and some others of the Clergy during the winter, and several services were held; and since the 1st of March the work has been placed for the time being in charge of the Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton, who has held eight week day evening and two Sunday afternoon services, and intends to do so, with such assistance as the Rev. Messrs. Robinson and Day may be able to give. The outlook is fair, and when patience has lived down the feeling of dissatisfaction which has existed for a year or two, on the part of some of the parishioners, it is believed that some good work may be accomplished there. There is a small class preparing for confirmation, and offerings have been made for Diocesan and General Missions.

The Rev. J. Hollister Lynch, Rector of Christ Church, Guilford, reports a regular maintenance of Divine Service during the year in that parish, and also in the adjacent Mission of Mount Upton. At Guilford the offerings for Diocesan Missions show an increase, and are the largest on record, and the parish has manifested a slight increase of interest in outside matters. At Mount Upton the congregations are larger than formerly, but the additions are largely due to the curiosity of sectarianism and there is no probability of church growth. The communicants are faithful and considerate and seem to appreciate the efforts made in their behalf. The services are maintained by the "Fenno Tudor" fund.

The Rev. A. G. Singsen, Rector of St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge, in charge of St. Ann's Church, Afton, and having temporary oversight of St. Luke's Church, Harpursville, reports that he has held regular services during the year in his own field of labor, on Sundays and week days and during Lent. At Bainbridge matters are progressing steadily. Unusual interest has been manifested in the services of the church, and the class confirmed May 2d, was the largest in twenty-seven years, although four from this place were confirmed last fall at Afton. One of the marked features of the year is the commencement of the erection, on the church lot, of a Parish House, which will be a great assistance to the work. Money for this improvement is in hand. The work at St. Ann's, Afton, is quite encouraging, the new church built to take the place of the old edifice, which was destroyed by fire last summer, was consecrated in October, and since then great interest has been taken in the services, the congregation generally manifesting an earnestness and activity which promise much for the prosperity of this part of the field.

At Harpursville, Mr. Singsen has so recently assumed charge that he has very little to report further than to say that during the summer, when it is expected that a student will be sent to reside there and carry on the work by lay reading, Mr. Singsen will continue to have the oversight and to give a monthly service. The congregation of St. Luke's is a feeble folk, but yet it is highly probable that they might, with self denying effort, accomplish more than they seem to themselves to be able to undertake, towards the maintenance of Divine Service.

At Calvary Church, McDonough, the Rev. William Higgs still continues his diligent labors. The Diocesan Mission offerings for the year have amounted to \$15.75. The Mission is free from debt, the church property and its appointments are kept up to the proper standard of neatness and decorousness, and in spite of the loss by removal of six of its active communicants during the year, no special features of discouragement present themselves aside from those which always accompany the introduction of the church into a new and strictly rural field.

The reports from the district generally in reference to the offerings for Missions in the Diocese are encouraging on the whole. In many instances an increase is shown over last year, and the sum total for the year foots up \$1,769.65.

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## FOURTH DISTRICT.

*Cortland, Madison, Onondaga and Oswego Counties.*

President, Rev. P. N. Meade, Rector of Christ Church, Oswego; Secretary, Rev. John Arthur, Rector of St. John's Church, Oneida; Lay Delegates to the Board of Missions, Messrs. George J. Gardner of Syracuse and George C. McWhorter of Oswego.

The Mission Stations are: In Cortland County, Homer; in Madison County, Canastota, Chittenango and Earlville; in Onondaga county, the Associate Mission, Syracuse, Indian Reservation, Manlius, Jamesville and Marcellus; in Oswego County, Cleveland, Fulton, Mexico, Pulaski, Redfield, Albion and Sandy Creek.

Homer anticipates the return of the Rev. Mr. Clover, who resigned there last winter.

Canastota and Chittenango have had regular services the greater part of the year. Rev. F. P. Tompkins, while studying for Holy Orders, has ministered with acceptance at these stations. A branch of the Woman's Auxiliary has been formed at Canastota, and Professor Ottaway, a candidate for Holy Orders, renders efficient help as superintendent of the Sunday School.

Earlville is included in the Associate Mission of Syracuse. Regular services have been held by the Lay Reader, Mr. Smiley, and the year has witnessed no perceptible change.

The Rev. J. E. Johnson continues his faithful ministrations at East Syracuse, Calvary, and St. Luke's, Syracuse, and the Onondaga County House, assisted by Mr. Curtiss, Lay Reader and candidate for Holy Orders. He reports good attendance at Sunday Schools and at week day services, especially at East Syracuse and at a mission recently started in a neglected part of the city. At this mission the work has been established through the purchase by the Bishop of the house where services, etc., have been held, and its transformation into a convenient and appropriate chapel.

The Rev. John Scott, the missionary at the Onondaga Indian Reservation, reports regular services and the due observance of Lent and the great festivals. Mr. Albert Cusick was admitted to the Order of Deacons October 1st, and assists the Rev. Mr. Scott. The latter writes: "We gain in average attendance, and I hope in interest in the ministration of Christ's Gospel."

The Rev. Dr. Babcock maintains regular services in the time-honored parish of Christ church, Manlius, and ministers the Holy Communion monthly at Jamesville. Conditions remain unchanged at these stations, except those occasioned by the constant requirement to register deaths and removals.

Despite removals, the aged and beloved Rector of St. James', Pulaski, makes an encouraging report. The Woman's Auxiliary has been instrumental in placing a new furnace in the basement and new carpeting on the floor of the church. The Sunday School Lenten offerings have been unusual, and the general offerings of the parish larger than in some former years.

At Sandy Creek, through the efforts of the missionary, Rev. Daniel Daly, the foundation for a chapel has been laid, and the president of the district officiated at the laying of the corner stone, May 20th. A foundation for a new building has also been laid at Smartsville. At both these stations the work is encouraging and progressing.

Grace Church, Mexico, Rev. A. H. Ormsbee, Missionary, has had regular ministrations through the year, with Sunday School and Bible Class each week. Stated offerings were made for Diocesan Missions.

The Rev. Charles Donohue closed his faithful and unremitting labors at Albion and Redfield in January, and removed to Waverly.

Rev. Mr. Cresser resigned at Fulton, March 1st, of this year. Mr. E. B. Doolittle of the Associate Mission, reports regular service since then and offerings for Diocesan Missions, with good attendance.

St. James', Cleveland, the Rev. G. L. Neide, Missionary, has suffered from

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removals, and mourns the recent death of its Junior Warden, one of the oldest members, and devoted to its interests. The offerings for extra parochial objects were more than double the amount of the previous year. Mr. Neide writes: "We still have a good hope because of the Divine Word, and because the people have a mind to work."

The offerings in this district for Diocesan Missions, are reported in the Gospel Messenger as having amounted for the year to \$1,822.56.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

*Cayuga and Seneca Counties.*

President, the Rev. H. M. Denslow, Rector of Trinity Church, Seneca Falls; Secretary, the Rev. C. W. MacNish, Missionary at Willard, Ovid and Hayt's Corners; Lay Delegates to the Board of Missions, Mr. A. N. Hollister of Auburn and Mr. W. T. McLean of Waterloo.

The Mission Stations are fourteen, viz.: In Cayuga County, Aurora, Union Springs, Cayuga, Moravia, Kelloggsville, Weedsport, Port Byron and St. John's, Auburn; in Seneca County, Willowdale, Dey's Landing, Romulus, Ovid, Willard and Hayt's Corners.

The Rev. W. H. Casey, living in the rectory at Union Springs, continues his faithful ministrations there and at Aurora and Cayuga. He will begin soon to hold a week day service at Northville. The whole field is hard and gives little promise of church growth, but there is no lessening of interest, and at Union Springs the encouraging tokens noted last year are still apparent. Offerings for Diocesan Missions are sent with commendable faithfulness from these three parishes, and amount, for the year, to a sum larger than the requirements of the board.

The Rev. A. Mead Burgess continues in charge of St. Matthew's Church, Moravia. Serious illness has reduced the time of his vigorous service, but the parish has continued to improve spiritually. Another large class has been presented for confirmation; more than forty persons have received Holy Baptism. Twenty-seven missionary services have been held, chiefly at Kelloggsville. Beginning has been made of a fund for a new church.

At Port Byron, a new church on a better site, to replace one destroyed by fire, was finished last summer and consecrated in September. This parish and St. John's church, Weedsport, have been supplied with Sunday services during most of the year by Mr. J. H. Brown of St. Andrew's Divinity School.

The Rev. Dr. Murray has continued in charge of St. John's Church, Auburn, which is not quite ready to relinquish its missionary stipend. Still there has been improvement.

A good deal of purely missionary work is done every year by both the rectors in the city of Auburn.

The mission work in Seneca County has had a year of steady prosperity.

The Rev. Mr. MacNish sees many fruits of his patient and faithful service. At Hayt's Corners, the opposition to Calvary Church has nearly spent its force. At Willard, steady progress is made. Recently a choir of boys and girls has been trained by Mr. Piersoll, of Willard Asylum, and does excellent service. In both these places special Lenten services were maintained, with a good attendance, and in both the Easter offerings were large. At Willard, part of the money was for a Parish House. The offerings for Diocesan Missions have increased, in both these places, and reached nearly \$100.

At St. Stephen's Church, Romulus, regular Sunday services have been held throughout the year, chiefly by the appointed Lay Reader, Mr. D. A. Parce, a student in Hobart College. His ministrations have been very acceptable; the strength of the Mission has increased steadily: of late, the congregations have improved notably, and a good class of adults is preparing to receive confirmation.

The Rev. Mr. Allen continued to visit Romulus steadily while he remained

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in Trumansburgh; since his removal thence, the President of the District has had the pastoral charge.

At Dey's Landing, the Sunday services, chiefly in the afternoon, have been kept up regularly, mainly by Mr. Burleson, a student of Hobart College. During the summer the services were held frequently by clergymen visiting in the vicinity. The congregation is small, but faithful.

At Grace Church, Willowdale, there has been the same diligent maintenance of regular services as heretofore, due largely to the energy of one communicant, and to the unfailing interest and help of the clergy of Geneva.

St. Faith's Guild provided a bountiful Christmas treat for the inmates of the County House, and some of the choir boys of St. Peter's, Geneva, went to this institution on Christmas Day and sang carols. During the year twenty-two visits have been made at the County House.

The Rector of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo, has held Missionary services, with crowded congregations and hearty interest, in South Waterloo. The Brotherhood of St. Andrew has been very helpful in providing for these services.

The offerings in this District for Diocesan Missions, as reported in the Gospel Messenger, have amounted to \$1,094.30. This is nearly \$100 less than last year, in spite of the encouraging fact that in nearly every Mission station in the District the offerings have increased.

## SIXTH DISTRICT.

*Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins Counties.*

President, the Rev. G. H. McKnight, D. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Elmira; Secretary, the Rev. Thomas Duck, Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Horseheads; Lay Delegates to the Board of Missions, Messrs. H. V. Bostwick, of Ithaca and W. L. Dailey, of Horseheads.

The Mission Stations are: In Chemung County, Horseheads, Big Flats, Millport, Wellsburg and Emmanuel, Elnira. In Tioga County, Waverly, Smithboro, Candor, Spencer and Van Etten. In Tompkins County, McLean, Speedsville and Slaterville.

The Rev. Thomas Duck, finding it necessary on account of health, to confine himself to a smaller field, resigned his work at Horseheads, Millport and Big Flats at the close of the year's work. Regular services have been held at all three places throughout the year, the faithful lay readers at Millport and Big Flats having kept up the services in the absence of the Rector on alternate Sundays. Peace and good will exist. The ladies of St. John's, Big Flats, have put new cushions into the church, and those of St. Matthew's, Horseheads, have paid part of the indebtedness incurred by repairing the church. St. Mark's, Millport, is now out of debt, the balance due having been paid at Easter by a faithful layman. At Horseheads, the Ministering Children's League and the ladies of the parish have sent away missionary boxes. Deaths and removals have affected all three congregations; but there have been several baptisms and confirmations.

The Rev. C. D. Atwell took charge of Emmanuel Mission, Elmira, and Christ Church, Wellsburg, May 1, 1891. The congregation at Emmanuel, Elmira, has purchased a very desirable property, in a good location, and has fitted up rooms in a very comfortable and churchly manner. The attendance steadily increases, and the people are successful in making payments upon their new property. A large class was presented for confirmation this spring. The Mission is on a good basis, and its future looks bright.

The Rev. A. W. Ebersole took charge of Grace Church, Waverly, June 1, 1891, and resigned in September to go to Trinity Church, Fayetteville. During his Rectorship the Sunday School, which had been closed for some time, was re-opened; and considerable interest in the Church was revived. After his resignation services were held for a time by the Rev. Moses Coit Tyler, LL. D., who gave the people fresh courage. The present Rector, the Rev.



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Charles Donohue, came to the parish January 1st. The Lenten Services were well attended, and the people, more and more, appreciate the weekly Eucharist. The young people's guild has again begun work. The "Ladies Parish Aid Society" conducted a successful fair during the period when the parish was without a Rector, and during Lent worked with the District Woman's Auxiliary.

The Rev. J. F. Esch has charge at Smithboro. Services are held regularly; and there is a good interest in the Church and in the Sunday School.

The Rev. J. H. Kidder has held several services in Glen Mary Home, an asylum for the insane.

The Rev. G. E. Purucker continues his work at Candor and Spencer, and has started services at Van Etten also, where a Church building is soon to be erected through the generosity of a New York city layman. The interest at Candor continues about the same; and services are held in a hall at Spencer.

A parish has been organized at Slatersville under the name of St. Thomas, and with good prospects. The services there and at Speedsville have been provided for through the summer. Mr. Laidlaw, lay reader, taking both places. The Rev. Dr. Tyler has officiated at Slaterville several times and has put new life into the people.

The Rev. W. B. Clarke, of Cortland, continues to hold services at Zion Church, McLean, every other Sunday afternoon when the roads are passable. Offerings have been made for Diocesan and Domestic Missions, and the Sunday School made a missionary offering.

The District has paid its quota for the Bishop's Chaplain and five dollars over.

The offerings for Diocesan Missions from this district during the year, as reported in the Gospel Messenger, amounted to \$1,040.69, being about \$60 less than last year. In addition to this, Trinity Church, Elmira, has given \$164 towards the recently purchased property of Emmanuel Church.

The Rev. W. E. Allen having moved from the district, the Bishop appointed the Rev. Dr. McKnight President in his stead. The Rev. Thomas Duck resigned his office of Secretary and Treasurer of the district, May 1, 1892.

The sum of all the monthly offerings, together with \$182.65 from the B. W. A., is \$9,053.78. The income of the two permanent funds has been \$1,177.58; and gifts from sundry individuals have amounted to \$179.25. The total income of the board therefore has been \$10,410.61, more than \$1,800 less than in the year before. Every district has given less; and this in spite of the fact that many of the smaller congregations have largely increased their offerings. Because of the failure of many strong parishes to do their just share, the board came to the end of the fiscal year with a debt of about \$800, which had not been removed by special offerings in May, in response to an urgent appeal from the Bishop.

It is plain that the missionary work of the Diocese cannot prosper, that it cannot even be continued on its present basis, that opportunities for enlarging it must be steadily ignored, to our shame, unless the assured income is increased.

Improved methods would help to secure this, but what is chiefly needed is the spirit of zeal. When all the congregations of the Diocese do their just part in providing an income suited to the demands and the dignity of this work of Church extension, we shall be able to report steady progress in making known "The Gospel of the Kingdom."

Respectfully submitted in behalf of the Board,

H. M. DENSLOW,

*Recording Secretary.*

*Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.***C. Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.***To the Rt. Rev. Bishop of the Diocese and the Diocesan Board of Missions:*

The Central New York Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, respectfully submits the following report for the year ending May 1st, 1892:

**FIRST DISTRICT.**

President, Mrs. Russell A. Olin; Vice President, Mrs. Charles A. Sherman; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. George I. Baker; Number of Branches, 18; Junior 6; value of boxes, \$769.71; amount of money, \$314.86; total, \$1,084.57.

**SECOND DISTRICT.**

President, Mrs. C. H. Thorn; Vice Presidents, Mrs. E. J. Wolcott, Mrs. Bernard Schulte, Mrs. J. G. Brown; Secretary, Miss Lucy C. Watson; Treasurer, Miss Katharine H. Seward; Superintendent of Junior Work, Mrs. E. J. Wolcott; Number of Branches, 18; Junior, 5; value of boxes, \$2,258.30; amount of money, \$3,364.18; total, \$5,622.48.

**THIRD DISTRICT.**

President, Mrs. J. W. Capen; Vice President, Mrs. W. H. Platt; Secretary, Mrs. A. H. A. Armstrong; Number of Branches, 11; Junior 3; value of boxes, \$742.95; amount of money, \$210.67; total, \$953.62.

**FOURTH DISTRICT.**

President, Mrs. C. P. Fuller; Vice President, Mrs. A. J. Hunt; Recording Secretary, Mrs. N. M. White; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Julia Boalt; Treasurer, Mrs. Herbert G. Coddington; Number of Branches, 19; Junior 8; value of boxes, \$1,343.91; amount of money, \$610.71; total, \$1,954.62.

**FIFTH DISTRICT.**

President, Mrs. Frances S. Relfe; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. S. E. Howard; Number of Branches, 9; Junior 1; value of boxes, \$513.30; amount of money, \$264.98; total, \$778.28.

**SIXTH DISTRICT.**

President, Mrs. Eugene Diven; Vice President, Mrs. J. C. Gauntlett; Secretary, Mrs. S. H. Synnott; Treasurer, Mrs. A. H. Rankin; Superintendent of Junior Work, Miss Jennie C. King; Number of Branches, 10; Junior 7; value of boxes, \$704.68; amount of money, \$159.00; total, \$863.58.

Total Number of Branches, 85; total Number Junior Branches, 30; total value of boxes, \$6,332.75; total amount of money, \$4,924.40; total in boxes and money, \$11,257.15.

There has been a small increase in gifts, both in money and boxes, the past year, and in nearly every District the work of the Auxiliary is being carried on more intelligently and systematically; churchwomen are becoming more familiar with its aims and methods, and consequently more in sympathy with it.

The Junior work is still far from what it should be, although quite an advance has been made in it the past year, and it is expected, at the beginning of work in the autumn, arrangements will be made in every District

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with a view to increase the Junior Branches, and a more earnest effort to enlist and interest the children in church work.

In the three Districts where Superintendents have been appointed to take charge of this work, interest has been increased and branches multiplied, showing the benefit of a special department for Junior work.

A new and most helpful feature has been added to the work this year. The Third District has formed an Altar Guild, its object being to provide vestments and altar furnishings for Clergymen and Missions not able to supply themselves, providing the material as well as doing the work. It is the first society of the kind to apply to me for work, and supplies an urgent need.

The Diocesan branch of the Church Periodical Club is gradually increasing its work. One hundred and eighty-six periodicals are being regularly sent from this Diocese.

I have been present during the year at meetings in five Districts, in some of them more than once, finding increased interest with larger attendance of parish branches. Two Diocesan meetings have been held and well attended. One in November, in Oswego, which was addressed by Bishop Johnston of Texas, and by Dr. Langford, General Secretary to the Board of Missions, and the other a business meeting in Utica, June 2d.

May the Holy Spirit increase our zeal and earnestness, that with renewed consecration to the service of our Heavenly Father, looking to Him for wisdom in planning and strength in executing, we may do all to His honor and glory.

EMMA L. KNICKERBOCKER,  
*Diocesan President.*

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## D. Report on Christian Education.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

Your committee have only words of praise for the educational work that is being done by the Church institutions within the Diocese of Central New York. And they would earnestly commend these institutions to our church people and ask opulent churchmen to make additional pecuniary provision for them in order that the work may be continued and enlarged.

The subject of Christian education is one that must fix the attention of every churchman. Man cannot live by bread alone, necessary as bread may be; man cannot live by brain power alone, desirable as brain power may be. The primary and intermediate education of our young people is not satisfactory because of the lack of instruction in the things pertaining to religion. The State schools, with all their merits, for obvious reasons cannot impart distinctively religious instruction; parish schools seem to be impracticable; with us, at present, the chief agency for teaching the principles of religion to the young is the Sunday School.

Within recent years the attention of churchmen has been drawn to the subject of Christian education by the highest authority, and by many of the best minds in the church, but more particularly to the higher education. The General Convention of 1889, with a view to give encouragement to church schools, colleges, academies and theological institutions, inviting their co-operation, securing help in their behalf and advancing the educational interests of the church, constituted the Church University Board of Regents, with two chief functions. First, to promote education under auspices of the church; and second, to receive and distribute any benefactions that may be entrusted to it.

The Board of Regents have taken two initiatory steps, one to secure an act of incorporation in the State of New York, the other to open communication with the educational institutions of the church. As an evidence of what is



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in the mind of the Regents two or three excerpts from articles and letters bearing upon the subject will suffice. The high hopes of the Regents may come to naught, but let us trust that they will obtain fruition.

“Let there be small church colleges. Let them be well endowed. Let there be able instructors; then the great Church University will naturally follow.

“It is a great loss in many ways when so many church people persist in sending their daughters to Roman Catholic institutions, or leave them under alien influences. The plea some offer in extenuation of this is the fact that tuition is cheaper. If church schools were so endowed that tuition fees were lower and in proper cases remitted altogether, great gain in influence would soon be apparent. There is a wide field of work before the Regents. I am very much interested in whatever furthers University extension, and would be glad to help.”

And the head-master of Groton School writes:—“We have Church colleges, and they are not particularly flourishing institutions, at all events they are not doing a wide work in educating our sons. We blame fathers for not sending their sons to our church colleges. If we establish the best colleges, we shall get the best men without doubt and until we do so they will go elsewhere. There has been in my mind the picture of a University organized after the manner of Oxford or Cambridge—not an English but a truly American University—representing the spirit of the whole Church, not a High Church or Low or Broad Church institution, but a really Church university. This method of organization combines the advantages of the small colleges where there may be constant intercourse between instructors and students, and those of the university with its larger intellectual, social and religious life. It is a large undertaking—universities have always been growths. So have Cathedrals, and yet we do not hesitate on that account. This Church university would have to make a comparatively small beginning, but large enough to be attractive to young men.”

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. ROSE,  
JAMES B. AVIRETT.

## **E. Treasurer of the Diocese.**

### *To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

The Treasurer herewith submits his Twenty-fourth Annual Report.

The detailed statement hereto appended shows the sources whence the receipts were derived and the objects for which they were disbursed, and whether for those within or without the Diocese.

#### MISSIONS OF THE DIOCESE.

The principal items of receipts and expenditures have been for Missions within the Diocese. In their appropriations for this object, the Board of Missions have endeavored to be guided by the supposed ability of the Diocese to meet those appropriations. In a measure they have been disappointed in this respect. The stipends to missionaries are due and are paid quarterly, but at no quarter-day during the past Conventional year has the fund been equal to the demand upon it, although the Treasurer has honored every draft presented, knowing full well the needs of the poorly paid missionaries, and the disappointment and inconvenience which would ensue in the non-payment thereof.

#### GENERAL FUND.

Sufficient has been received from the assessment and arrearages on account of the General Fund to meet all demands upon that fund, although many parishes are still in arrears.

Action under the resolution introduced last year, would, in the opinion of

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the Treasurer, have been unwise and impolitic. It would have entailed upon the Treasurer a largely increased amount of labor, already both onerous and gratuitous, in the way of compiling the tables, answering critical comments and explaining away what some might consider excessive assessments instituted by comparison with those of other parishes. It would have added to the expense of the publication of the Journal without any corresponding benefit, as the information could more readily be obtained by an examination of the abstracts placed in the possession of the Convention, as collateral to the report of the Treasurer annually, since the adoption of the present method of assessing. The Treasurer appeared before the Standing Committee and gave what was considered a satisfactory explanation of the whole matter.

Perhaps it is well to here state, for the benefit of the more recent members of the Convention, that the matter of devising and carrying out a plan for the assessment of parishes for the purposes of the General Fund, which embraces all the legitimate expenses of the Diocese, as authorized by the Standing Committee, was referred to a committee consisting of the Bishop and the Treasurer of the Diocese. Several plans had previously been devised and put into operation, such as assessing upon a basis of a percentage on the number of communicants, also on expenses and rector's salary, &c., all of which had proved futile. On the appointment of the committee above named, of the Bishop and Treasurer, a system of classification as to the supposed financial ability of the respective parishes was made, consisting of eight grades, running from a minimum of \$5 to a maximum of \$75 or \$80, and in one instance that of \$100. In the operation of this system, however, it becomes necessary to change these amounts more or less annually, according to the amount to be raised, especially at every triennial period of the meeting of the General Convention. The principle, however, has been retained since the system was adopted and, with very few exceptions, has worked satisfactorily. As the Treasurer has heretofore stated, no plan could be devised which would give entire satisfaction to all—the human family is not so constructed—but the plan as worked out by your committee, in whose judgment we think you have perfect confidence, is as near perfect and as equitable as any, in the opinion of your Treasurer, which could be devised. Time has proved its efficiency.

The table of assessments together with the list of delinquents to the fund, is, as heretofore, at hand and subject to the call and action of the Convention.

In concluding this portion of the report the Treasurer would say that he holds himself at all times subject to the direction of the Convention, and trusts that in this matter he will not be considered as arrogating to himself any undue authority.

At the last Convention a resolution was adopted for the appointment of a Bishop's Chaplain and authorizing the Presidents of the several Convocations to assess on their respective parishes the sum of \$1,000 for the services of the same. Of the amount so apportioned, \$850 have been forwarded to the Treasurer up to the time of the opening of the Convention. Out of this sum the monthly pro rata amount has been paid to the authorized recipient in accordance with the spirit of the resolution and the order of the Bishop. If the appointment is to be continued or renewed it will be necessary for the Convention to take action relative thereto.

The income of the Episcopate Fund, received from the Trustees and from individuals and assessments on parishes, has been sufficient to meet the amounts due the Bishop, which have been paid to him promptly at the commencement of each quarter.

The report, with accompanying vouchers, has been submitted to and has been examined by the Committee appointed by the Convention for that purpose, and found correct, as will appear by their report when presented for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Treasurer.*

Dated Syracuse, C. N. Y., May 1st, 1892,

*Treasurer of the Diocese : Receipts.*

GEORGE J. GARDNER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE DIOCESE OF CENTRAL NEW YORK.

## RECEIPTS.

	Dr.
To balance from former report April, 30, 1891, .....	\$ 2,913 12
To amount received from May 1, 1891, to April 30, 1892, as follows, viz.:	

## FOR OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:

*Diocesan Missions :*

Received from Parishes. Mission Stations, Sunday Schools and District Convocations.....	\$ 8,871 13
Income Permanent Missionary Fund .....	877 58
Van Wagenen Missionary Fund .....	300 00
Branches Woman's Auxiliary.....	182 65
Geo. B. Sloan .....	50 00
A member of the Board of Missions .....	50 00
Rev. J. A. Staunton .....	30 00
Royalty "Church Identified," W. D. W.....	20 25
Rev. W. D. W.....	10 00
Bishop's Chaplain. ....	10 00
"E. A. W.," Cape Vincent, ..	5 00
"E. and S. A. G.".....	3 00
Rev. A. G., .....	1 00
	\$10,410 61

*General Fund :*

From Assessments on Parishes as per Canon.....	\$ 1,433 86
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*Diocesan Church Building Fund :*

From Parishes .....	\$ 131 73
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*Episcopate Fund :*

Income of Permanent Fund from Trustees ..	\$ 4,067 53
Bequest of Mary D. Pierrepont .....	500 00
From sundry individuals in Syracuse .....	380 00
From sundry Parishes .....	195 50
	\$ 5,143 03

*St. Andrew's Divinity School :*

From Parishes.....	\$ 487 22
Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Moss.....	225 00
William Marvin .....	100 00
Amount through Bishop .....	135 20
A family in Hamilton .....	4 00
"E. and S. A. G.," and small item.....	2 10
	\$ 953 52

*Onondaga Indian Mission :*

From B. W. A. and Sundry Parishes.....	\$ 223 57
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*Bishop's Chaplain Fund :*

From assessments on Parishes.....	\$ 709 09
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**Treasurer of the Diocese : Receipts.**

**Miscellaneous :**

Central N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society.....	\$	87	70
Bishop's Relief Fund.....		11	70
Auburn City Hospital.....		64	00
House Good Shepherd, Syracuse, Children's cot..		13	50
In aid of Deaf Mutes .....		82	64
In aid of Mission at Alexandria Bay.....		44	47
Shelter for Homeless Women .....		5	00
In aid of Mission at Romulus... ..		2	00
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		\$	311 01

**FOR OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:**

### ***Domestic Missions:***

Parishes, Mission Stations and Sunday Schools .....	\$ 1,953 81
Branch Woman's Auxiliary.....	55 00
"C. B. L.," .....	85 00
"E. and S. A. G.....	2 00
Rev. A. G.....	2 00
Grace A. Hatfield.....	2 00
E. P. P., .....	50
	<hr/> \$ 2,050 31

### *Foreign Missions:*

Parishes, Mission Stations and Sunday Schools .....	\$	707	11
Branch Woman's Auxiliary .....		35	00
E. and S. A. G., \$2; Rev. A. G., \$1; E. P. P., \$1....		4	00
	<u>\$</u>	746	11

**Miscellaneous :**

American Church Building Fund.....	\$	157	71
N. Y. Bible and Common Prayer Book Society .....		71	45
Jewish Mission . . . . .		59	32
Mrs. Buford's work among colored people.....		10	00
Answers to sundry appeals.....		20	25
Russian sufferers.....		52	19
Chinese League. . . . .		9	23
Bishops Brewer \$152.38, Paret \$15.25, Tuttle \$10 .....		177	63
Parochial Missionary Society .....		4	00
Nashotah Seminary .....		5	00
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	\$	566	78

**Total amount of receipts . . . . . \$25,592 74**

## DISBURSEMENTS.

**FOR OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:**

**Diocesan Missions:**

Paid drafts of Board of Missions for Quarterly Stipends,	
Bishop's Orders, &c., .....	\$10,379 42
On account of Van Wageningen Missionary Fund....	300 00
Expenses Financial Secretary, .....	5 64
Postage and collections for the year .....	5 00
	<hr/> \$10,690 06

*Treasurer of the Diocese : Disbursements.**General Fund :*

Paid Rent of Episcopal Residence.....	\$ 600 00
Paid Repairs of Episcopal Residence.....	55 70
Paid Utica Herald, printing Journals, &c. ....	349 42
Paid Bishop's expenses as per resolution of Convention,	300 00
Paid Masters & Stone, printing circulars and postals ...	7 50
Paid postage stamps and postals for year and collection,	12 05
Paid expenses of Secretary of Convention, two years...	50 00
Paid L. C. Childs & Son, printing.....	23 37
Paid sundry small bills.....	22 55
	<hr/> \$ 1,420 59

*Miscellaneous :*

Paid Bishop on account of Epis. Fund to May 1, 1892..	\$ 4,500 00
Paid Trustees of Episcopate Fund, ....	500 00
Paid Bishop's Orders, St. Andrew's Divinity School....	1,128 28
Paid Treasurer C. N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society,	107 07
Paid Bishop's Orders, Church Building Fund.....	29 64
Paid Treasurer Auburn City Hospital .....	64 00
Paid on account of Bishop's Relief Fund .....	11 70
Paid on account of Mission at Alexandria Bay ...	44 47
Paid Mission to Deaf Mutes.....	67 08
Paid Rev. John Scott, Onondaga Indian Mission.....	350 00
Paid Rev. J. M. Clarke, D. D., Bishop's Chaplain . . .	666 64
Paid Shelter for Homeless Women .....	5 00
	<hr/> \$ 7,473 88

## FOR OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:

Paid Treasurer Domestic and Foreign Missions .....	\$ 2,970 75
Paid Treasurer American Church Building Fund.....	203 27
Paid Treasurer N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society...	7 58
Paid Bishops Brewer \$137.38, Kendrick \$10, Paret \$15.25,	162 63
Paid sundry appeals .....	20 25
Paid Treasurer Chinese League .....	9 23
Paid Bishop Knickerbacker \$15, Mrs. Buford \$10 .....	25 00
Paid Parochial Missionary Society \$4, Russian sufferers	
\$42.19 .....	46 19
	<hr/> \$ 3,444 90

*Balance to new Account, viz.:*

Episcopate Fund, principal and income... ..	\$ 1,434 70
St. Andrew's Divinity School .....	369 70
Domestic and Foreign Missions ... ..	255 10
Church Mission to Jews .....	200 92
N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society.....	63 87
Miscellaneous in small amounts .....	290 31
General Fund . . . . .	127 18
	<hr/> \$ 2,741 78
Less Diocesan Missions, overdrawn.....	178 47
	<hr/> \$ 2,563 31
	<hr/> \$25,592 74

GEORGE J. GARDNER,  
*Treasurer of Diocese.*

Central New York, May 1, 1892.

*Christmas Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

**H. Christmas Fund.**

**(1) Report of the Trustees.**

SYRACUSE, C. N. Y., May 1, 1892.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York herewith submit their annual report:

The receipts for the past year, exclusive of the balance from the former report, have been \$1,645.41, of which \$1,121.83 was for Christmas offerings from Parishes and Mission Stations, and being less than any annual amount received in any one of the five previous years.

The disbursements to stipendiaries have amounted to \$1,550, all of which is shown in detail by the financial statement herewith submitted.

Nine widows and two disabled clergymen have been recipients from the fund, and the number remains the same as reported last year.

No addition has been made to the Permanent Fund, it remaining as reported last year at the sum of \$12,200.

The detailed account of receipts and expenditures has been examined by the Chairman of the Committee appointed by the Convention for that purpose and found correct, and the securities of the Permanent Fund good and ample for the loans made thereon, all of which will be submitted to you during the session of the Convention.

By the terms of the act under which this body is incorporated, and in accordance with the By-Laws of the Trustees, the Convention is asked to nominate a Trustee, to hold office five years, in the place of Edward N. Westcott, whose term expires at the close of this Annual Convention.

Respectfully submitted in behalf of the Board.

J. DEAN HAWLEY, *President.*

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

**(2.) Report of the Treasurer.**

GEORGE J. GARDNER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH CHRISTMAS FUND.

1891.	DR.		
May 1,	To balance from former report.....	\$2,037	08
1892.			
April 30,	To Interest on Permanent Fund and Deposits. \$	510	30
	(Interest accrued but not paid \$99 63)		
	To 10 per cent. Communion Alms (Oxford)...	13	28
	To amount of Christmas Offerings from Parishes and Missions, etc.....	1,121	83
		-----	-\$1,645 41
	Total receipts.....	\$3,682	49
1891.	CR.		
July 1,	Paid Stipends, 2 clergy.....	\$	200 00
Oct. 1,	Paid Stipends, 9 widows .....	575	00
1892.			
Jan. 1,	Paid Stipends, 2 clergy.....	200	00
April 1,	Paid Stipends, 9 widows.....	575	00
	Balance to new account.....	2,132	49
		-----	\$3,682 49

Amount of Permanent Fund. \$12,200.

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Treasurer.*

Central New York, May 1, 1892.

*Episcopate Fund : Report of the Trustees.***G. Episcopate Fund.***To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, respectfully submit their annual report to May 1st, 1892, as follows:

**Cash Receipts to the Principal of the Fund:**

1891.

May	1,	Balance on hand in bank.....	\$	29	32
		Deposit in Savings Bank of Utica.....		650	00
	20,	Miss Mary D. Pierrepont legacy.....		500	00
June	22,	John P. Swartwout, in full of farm contract.....		2,000	00
July	2,	H. G. Clark, payment Delos Loomis mortgage.....		2,000	00
Sept.	5,	C. S. Symonds, payment mortgage.....		1,200	00
Nov.	2,	Transfer part of Clark mortgage to DeLancey Fund....		400	00
1892.					
April	19,	James A. Barker, on account farm contract.....		25	00
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				\$ 6,804 32	

**Disbursements:**

1891.

Sept.	10,	Invested in F. W. Hurlburt bond and mortgage .....	\$	3,000	00
		Invested in Barbara Bucher bond and mortgage.....		3,500	00
		Deposit in Savings Bank of Utica.....		250	00
		Deposit in Second National Bank of Utica.....		54	32
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				\$ 6,804 32	

The fund has been increased during the year by a legacy of \$500, from Miss Mary D. Pierrepont of Pierrepont Manor, N. Y. The entire principal is now invested as follows:

Bonds and mortgages at 6 per cent. interest.....	\$44,250	00
" " 5½ " " .....	6,000	00
" " 5 " " .....	24,500	00
Contract for sale of farm in Oppenheim....	750	00
Six shares preferred stock St. Paul and Duluth R. R. Co.....	600	00
Deposit Jefferson County Savings Bank, 4 per cent.....	100	00
" Savings Bank of Utica, 4½ per cent.....	250	00
" Second National Bank of Utica.....	54	32
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\$76,504 32		

**Receipts to Income Account:**

1892.

April	30,	Interest collected on securities.....	\$	4,094	53
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**Disbursements:**

1892.

May	20,	Oneida County Clerk, recording Ehresman mortgage..	\$	1	00
Sept.	10,	C. M. Johnson, accrued interest on Hurlburt mortgage.		25	00
Oct.	21,	Oneida County Clerk, recording assignment mortgage..		1	00
July	31,	G. J. Gardner, Treasurer, for Bishop's Salary.....		1,109	00
Oct.	29,	do. do. do. ....		1,040	91
1891.					
Feby.	1,	do. do. do. ....		1,020	00
April	30,	do. do. do. ....		897	62
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				\$ 4,094 53	

Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.

The DeLancey fund is invested as follows:

W. D. Sperry bond and mortgage.....	\$ 600 00
B. A. Clark .....	1,000 00
A. M. Barnes .....	1,000 00
	<u>\$ 2,600 00.</u>

Interest has been collected thereon to the amount of \$135.20, and paid to the Bishop. Respectfully submitted.

E. CHAMBERLAIN,  
GEORGE M. WEAVER,  
ALEXANDER T. GOODWIN,  
B. R. ROBSON.

May 1st 1892.

B. Parochial Fund.

To the Diocesan Convention :

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund report as follows for the year ending May 1, 1892:

The amount of the Permanent Missionary Fund is .....\$20,453 93

It is invested as follows:

In first mortgages on improved real estate in the city of  
Syracuse, of

M. E. Foreman.....	\$ 2,000 00
E. G. Hall .....	686 05
T. J. Duplessis .....	2,000 00
American Dairy Salt Company .....	4,000 00
H. A. Van Deusen ...	700 00
Francis La Frenier .....	350 00
George G. Gibson .....	1,000 00
Daniel Day .....	100 00
H. L. Stevens.....	575 00
B. Richardson .....	500 00
Charles T. Snavlin .....	2,000 00
Helen M. Keeler .....	1,200 00
Henry C. Jones. ....	600 00
Michael J. Cuddy.....	650 00
M. J. Vehala.....	150 00
	<u>\$16,511 05</u>
Land contract with C. Hayes ...	1,350 00
American Express stock.....	200 00
Eight shares Utica City Bank .....	400 00
Syracuse Water Company bonds .....	200 00
Loan to St. Joseph's Church, Rome, N. Y.....	642 84
Cash May 1, 1892, in Syracuse Savings Bank.....	1,150 04
	<u>\$20,453 93</u>



*Parochial Fund: Report of the Trustees.*

The cash transactions for the year, relating to this fund, are as follows:

## Receipts:

From interest on mortgages.....	\$ 974 95	
From Water Company bonds .....	14 00	
From dividends on Express stock .....	12 00	
From dividends on Utica City Bank stock .....	24 00	
From dividends on Syracuse Savings Bank .....	14 01	
From interest on C. Hayes' land contract .....	82 21	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,121 17
On principal of mortgages.....		1,250 00
Legacy of Mrs. Edward N. Westcott .....		100 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank May 1, 1891,....		04
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		\$ 2,471 21

## Payments:

For attorney and counsel fees .....	\$ 35 00	
For rent of Safe Deposit box .....	5 00	
For fees of Clerk Madison County .....	1 25	
For fees of Clerk Oswego County .....	92	
Postage .....	1 42	
Treasurer's salary .....	200 00	
Paid Treasurer of Diocese.....	877 58	
Invested in mortgages .....	200 00	
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank May 1, 1892,.....	1,150 04	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,471 21

*Grace Church, Union Springs, Fund.*

The principal of this fund is invested and consists in the following:

## Mortgages:

Grace Church, Union Springs, .....	\$ 208 90	
Sidney Shaver.....	500 00	
Abigail and J. B. Tallman .....	2,250 00	
W. A. Bowman .....	1,000 00	
Charity A. Brown .....	600 00	
Lafayette Hoff .....	650 00	
H. L. Stevens .....	425 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,633 90
New York Central Insurance stock invoiced at.....	462 90	
Curry note .....	200 00	
Illinois land, cost.....	670 00	
Rectory, cost.....	2,500 00	
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank May 1, 1892,.....	798 24	
	<hr/>	\$10,265 04

## Cash transactions for the year:

## Receipts:

For interest on mortgages .....	\$ 334 39	
For interest on deposit in bank .....	4 42	
Cash in Savings Bank May 1, 1891, .....	73 24	
Payment on principal of J. Cather's mortgage.....	600 00	
Payment on principal of S. Shaver's mortgage .....	500 00	
Payment on principal of L. Hoff's mortgage .....	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,562 05

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

Payments:

To A. M. Clark, Treasurer Grace Church. ....	\$ 338 81
Invested in mortgage .....	425 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1892, .....	798 24
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	\$ 1,562 05

*Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor, Fund.*

The amount of this fund, at our last report, (including accumulated interest) was.....	\$16,882 17
There has been a further increase of.....	623 49
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Total amount of fund May 1, 1892,....	\$17,505 66

The \$15,000 of railroad bonds, which originally composed this fund, were paid December 8, 1891. As they bore seven per cent. interest there will be of necessity a reduced income. The money thus paid was temporarily loaned to the First National Bank of Syracuse at four per cent. interest. \$3,500 has been since loaned on bond and mortgage at five per cent interest on lands in Syracuse.

The fund is now invested as follows:

In mortgage, M. Yann .....	\$ 1,000 00
In mortgage, Charles T. Snavlin....	550 00
In mortgage, Vance Turtelot ...	450 00
In mortgage, H. L. Stevens.....	250 00
In mortgage, James Cathers .....	3,500 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank .....	33 94
Cash in First National Bank of Syracuse, ..	11,721 72
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	\$17,505 66

Receipts during year, of income:

From railroad bonds .....	\$ 1,050 00
From mortgages .....	88 15
From Syracuse Savings Bank.....	13 62
From First National Bank of Syracuse....	226 06
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	\$ 1,377 83

Payments since May 1, 1891:

To Treasurer of Zion Church for repairs.....	\$ 150 00
To Rev. A. J. Brockway, Rector, .....	600 00
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	\$ 750 00

The annual interest due to the following named Funds has been received and paid over according to the terms of each trust, as follows:

Jennie McGraw Fiske Fund, \$15,000. Interest \$900, paid to the credit of Bishop Huntington.

Mary Fitzinger Fund, \$1,000. Interest \$60, to the Treasurer of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo, N. Y.

Esther M. Booth Fund, \$1,000. Interest \$60, to the Rector of St. Mark's Church, Candor, N. Y.

Nancy Powell Fund, \$100, interest \$4, and Holland Patent Fund, the gift of Mrs. Mary Wetmore, \$3,000, interest \$150, paid to the Minister in charge of the church at Holland Patent.

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

Grace Church, Mt. Upton Fund, \$2,500. Interest \$128, paid to the Rev. J. H. Lynch, minister in charge of said church.

Big Flats Fund, \$908.33. Interest to January 1, 1892, \$47.25, paid to Mr. Lucius Tuttle, warden of St. John's Church, Big Flats.

Daboll Fund, \$2,000. Interest \$167.49, of which \$111.66 has been paid over to Bishop Huntington, and \$55.83 to the treasurer of Christ Church, Jordan, N. Y.

All said funds remain invested as at date of last report.

The Clarke Scholarship Fund, \$2,000, is in bond and mortgage of C. T. Snavlin, \$1,100, and cash in Syracuse Savings Bank \$900. Interest, \$99.32, has been paid to the credit of Bishop Huntington as Trustee.

The trustees received in November last from Hon. William Marvin of Skaneateles, N. Y., one of their number, the following declaration of trust, accompanied with the delivery of the bond therein described, viz.:

"I hereby give to the corporation known as the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York," one "new consolidated" mortgage bond for one thousand dollars (\$1,000) numbered 5636, made by the "New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company," with the coupons thereon commencing with coupon number 31, due in June, 1895, the coupons up to that number and date having been cut off and kept for my own support—in trust, to hold the same and collect the interest or coupons thereon, and pay the same to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. James' Church in Skaneateles, N. Y., to aid and assist the said Wardens and Vestry in defraying the minister's salary and other current expenses of said church, and in further trust to sell said bond and reinvest the proceeds in other securities, and to pay the interest thereon as above stated; and upon the further trust, to pay over to the said Rector, Wardens and Vestry, the whole fund on the unanimous vote of all the Trustees and with the approval of the Bishop of the Diocese, but not without such vote and approval." (Signed) WILLIAM MARVIN.

Skaneateles, N. Y., November 16, 1891.

During the year deeds have been made to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, as follows:

From Rev. Charles T. Olmsted and Catharine L. Olmsted, his wife, dated September 21, 1891, of lots 23 and 24 in block three of the city of Utica, in trust for St. Andrew's Mission in said city, as a site of a chapel, and in further trust to convey to such incorporated parish as may be formed out of said mission in union with the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York, for the use of said parish forever.

From Kenzia Shorey of Sand Bank, N. Y., dated October 28, 1891, of lands in said village in trust for the use and benefit of the parish at said village which may hereafter be incorporated, etc.

From Thomas E. Smith of the city of New York, dated February 11, 1892, of lands in the village of Van Ettenville, Chemung County, N. Y., to be used for the erection of a church thereon, and buildings connected therewith.

The terms of Hon. Miles C. Comstock and Seymour H. Stone, Esq., Trustees of the Parochial Fund, expiring September 1st, successors to them need to be chosen.

SEYMOUR H. STONE,  
WM. D. DUNNING,  
HAMILTON S. WHITE,  
GEORGE F. COMSTOCK,

ANDREW H. GREEN, *Treasurer.*

*Trustees.*

*Van Wagenen Fund : Report of the Trustee.*

**J. Van Wagenen Fund.**

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The disbursement from the Fund the past year, through the Board of Missions, for the benefit of the Mission at McDonough and parts adjacent, has been three hundred dollars.

I have contracted to one Andrew F. Keating the sixty acres referred to in my last year's report, consideration seventeen hundred dollars, taking a collateral mortgage upon thirty-four and one-half acres in the vicinity, in place of a cash payment. While I do not regard this contract as a strictly first class security, I believe from the character of the purchaser that it will be carried out, and I venture to include it among the investments of the fund. The rent from this farm the past season with the income derived from the Nicholson farm (so-called) so long held by the Trustee, has been applied to the completion of the system of waterworks upon the latter property, necessity for which was set forth in my report of 1889.

This indispensable outlay has amounted in the aggregate to upwards of five hundred dollars, involving finally the purchase of a wind-mill, the construction of a cement tank, &c., &c., no part of which has been taken from investment income; being for the most part derived from the income of the farm itself, with but a small balance unprovided for.

This brings me to consider the discouragements attendant upon longer holding the farm (the only real estate now owned by the fund) notwithstanding the low price at which it must be sold, if at all. It contains one hundred fifty-five acres. Following my yearly reports since its acquisition in 1880, it will appear, 1st. That the mortgage foreclosure was \$3,000: 2d. That the restricted income that I have been able to derive from the property (having no available means provided to stock the farm) has been wholly laid out in repairs and betterments, included in which is the expenditure for a water supply above referred to.

Experience has proved that it would have been better for the fund to have sold the farm at half the amount of the mortgage than to have owned it. Managers of other Diocesan funds will not be surprised at the statement that in spite of the surface and land improvements, great reduction in local taxation, &c., the selling price of the property has increased little, if any, with no visible promise of a change. Five per cent. on \$2,500 would bring in to the income of the fund \$125, with nothing out for repairs, and a great saving of care and anxiety to the Trustee.

If it were possible for the Convention to form a judgment from sources of information outside these reports, I would propose that the Trustee be authorized to offer the property at auction—say on December 1st next—possession to be given the following spring, when the present tenant's time will expire, no bid less than \$2,500 to be entertained.

Fifty dollars only of the principal of the fund has been paid in during the year, and no new security taken.

J. R. VAN WAGENEN, *Trustee.*

Oxford, May 15, 1892.

*The Van Wagenen Missionary Fund of the County of Chenango, in Account with JOHN R. VAN WAGENEN, Trustee.*

1892.

DR.

April 11,	To paid George J. Gardner, Treasurer of Missionary Board, to cover his payments during the year, to the Missionary at Mc- Donough and parts adjacent.....	\$ 300 00
May 15,	Balance of cash on hand .....	1,035 35
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		\$1,335 35

Van Wagenen Fund : Report of the Trustee.

1891.		CR.		
May	15,	By balance of cash on hand at date of last report.....	\$ 225 67	
		By interest payments, viz:		
June	19,	Mastin.....	\$ 18 00	
		Skillman .....	15 00	
		Potter .....	13 50	
July	6,	Lattin .....	39 90	
	21,	Cooley .....	45 00	
Aug.	4,	Fritz.....	31 00	
	4,	Fritz, principal.....		50 00
Sept.	4,	Race.....	29 00	
Oct.	1,	Spence.....	21 00	
	12,	Merithew .....	60 00	
	13,	Derrick .....	19 50	
	19,	Barrows.....	18 00	
Nov.	24,	Kelly & Odell.....	36 00	
Dec.	19,	Mastin .....	18 00	
	19,	Skillman.....	15 00	
	19,	Potter.....	13 50	
	19,	Brown .....	60 00	
	31,	Livermore .....	12 00	
1892.				
Jan.	5,	Ireland.....	40 00	
	11,	Lattin .....	39 90	
	13,	Cooley .....	45 00	
	30,	Lobdell .....	61 44	
Feb..	25,	Race... ..	28 82	
March	5,	Norris.....	48 00	
	23,	Winsor.....	77 62	
	31,	Spence.....	21 00	
April	2,	Sherwood .....	60 00	
	7,	Barrows .....	18 00	
	8,	Benedict.....	100 00	
	20,	Derrick .....	19 50	
	20,	Kelly & Odell .....	36 00	
			\$1,059 68	
			\$1,335 35	

List of Securities, May 15, 1892.

		AMOUNT.	INTEREST PAID TO.
Charles A. Winsor,*	to Fund.....	\$ 1,500 00	Aug. 27, 1891
James S. Merithew,	" .....	1,000 00	Oct. 22. "
James N. Livermore,	" .....	200 00	Nov. 12, "
James B. Brown,	" .....	1,000 00	Dec. 1, "
William N. Ireland,* (assigned)	" .....	800 00	Dec. 1, "
Helen M. Lobdell,	" .....	1,000 00	Dec. 5. "
Albert R. Skillman,	" .....	500 00	Dec. 5. "
Elsie J. Potter,	" .....	300 00	Dec. 5. "
" "	" .....	150 00	Dec. 5. "
William D. Cooley,	" .....	1,500 00	Dec. 17, "
Richard E. Race,	" .....	950 00	Dec. 17, "
Lydia E. Mastin,	" .....	600 00	Dec. 19, "
Alonzo Lattin,	" .....	1,400 00	Jan. 1, 1892
Kelly & Odell, (assigned)	" .....	1,200 00	Jan. 10, "
William Norris,	" .....	800 00	March 1, "
Alice R. Spence,	" .....	700 00	Mar. 29, "
Andrew F. Keating,* (contract)	" .....	1,700 00	April 1, "
H. M. Sherwood,	" .....	1,000 00	April 1, "

*Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.*

B. S. Benedict,*	"	.....	2,000 00	April 6, 1892
Eloria D. Barrows,	"	.....	600 00	April 18, "
Heman H. Derrick,	"	.....	650 00	May 1, "
C. and F. W. Fritz,* (contract)	"	.....	600 00	July 29, "
Cash on hand,	"	.....	1,335 35	
			<u>\$21,185 35</u>	

\* Those marked \* bear five per cent. interest, the balance six.

**B. Bible and Prayer Book Society.**

The Executive Committee of the Bible and Prayer Book Society submits the following statement:

The receipts to the income of the fund have been:

1891.				
May 1,	Cash on hand.....	\$1,253 00		
June 13,	Received from Geo. J. Gardner, Treas.....	87 11		
Sept. 9,	" interest on the Brown mortgage ...	30 00		
1892.				
Feb. 24,	" " " " .....	30 00		
Apr. 25,	" Utica Savings Bank, interest . ....	69 00		
May 4,	" from Geo. J. Gardner, Treas.....	19 96		
			<u>\$ 1,489 07</u>	

The payments have been:

1891.				
June 1,	To W. T. Smith & Co., for Prayer Books.....	\$58 00		
July 27,	" " " " .....	70 00		
Nov. 20,	" " " " .....	84 00		
1892.				
Jan. 11,	To W. S. Taylor & Son., for Bibles .....	10 00		
12,	To W. T. Smith & Co., for Prayer Books .....	74 00		
Mch. 12,	" " " " .....	34 00		
	To W. S. Taylor & Son., for Bibles .....	8 40		
Balance to new account .....		1,150 67		
			<u>\$ 1,489 07</u>	

APPENDIX II.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Broome County.

Binghamton, Christ Church.

THE REV. ROBERT G. QUENNEL, RECTOR.

Wardens—Alfred J. Evans, Tracy R. Morgan.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 23.....	26	Marriages .....	14
Confirmed.....	13	Burials.....	26
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 152, weekd. 153,	305
248, all others 131. ad. 13, rec.		Holy Communion—pub.87, priv.8	90
9, died 7, rem. 9, pres. no....	379	S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 135..	153

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$139 50	Shelter Syr. bx, S. P. G....	\$ 10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,598 92	Missions—Domestic .....	26 00
Sunday School.....	157 35	“ W. A..	5 00
Gifts to Rector... ..	585 00	“ W. A. bxs	110 35
Woman's Auxiliary.....	12 10	Foreign.....	23 77
Poor Family.....	2 00	“ W. A....	1 50
Chair for crippled child....	27 00	Colored People..	19 12
P. A. Society.....	225 52	W. A. bxs....	58 10
Society of Mercy.....	119 92	S. P. G. bxs...	51 55
Choir Guild.....	530 36	Indian .....	11 72
New Organ Fund....	85 10	Deaf Mutes.....	6 03
Diocesan Missions.....	327 49	Increase of the Ministry..	18 01
“ “ W. A....	20 00	Bishop Leonard, S. S.....	40 00
“ “ W.A.bxs.	213 79	Colored Orphan Asy. S. S..	2 66
General Fund.....	40 00	General Missions, S. S.....	110 65
Christmas Fund.....	20 26	Bishop Brewer, W. A .....	15 00
Bishop's Relief Fund. ....	13 14	Bishop Graves, W. A. ....	15 00
Bx H. G. S., Utica S. P. G..	10 33	Rev. A. D. Gring, Japan..	10 12
Chapel at N. Y. Mills.....	5 00	“ “ D. S. C.	5 00
Bishop's Chaplain.....	25 00	“ “ W. A...	5 00
H. G. S., Binghamton.....	52 13	Bishop Walker.....	61 28
Onondaga Mission, W. A..	15 00		
Parochial, \$5,483.57; Diocesan, \$752.14; General, \$596.85.....			\$ 6,832 56

Church Property—Church, \$75,000; Rectory, \$10,000; Parish House, \$7,000: \$92,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,500; Insurance, \$16,500.

Binghamton, Trinity Church.

THE REV. W. HENRY PLATT, RECTOR.

Wardens—John Anderson, James K. Welden.

Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 23.....	31	Services—Sund. 105, weekd. 129	234
Confirmed. ....	21	Holy Communion—pub. 21, priv.	
Communicants.....	269	12 .....	33
Marriages .....	9	S. S. Teachers 17, Scholars 165..	182
Burials.....	16		

Broome County : Binghamton.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 134 44	Bishop's Chaplain.....	\$ 20 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	5,180 10	St. Ann's, Afton.....	7 50
Sunday School.....	193 40	Missions—Domestic.....	56 66
Memorial ewer.....	25 00	“ W. A. bxs.....	57 00
Memorial window.....	252 00	Foreign.....	54 00
Gift to Rector.....	84 00	Jews.....	11 34
Christmas Tree.....	86 50	Hyde Park, Pa.....	11 00
Charity's Aid.....	137 50	Rev. A. D. Gring.....	28 64
Other Parochial Objects...	199 92	Frances Holland Hospital..	25 00
Diocesan Missions.....	297 16	General Missions, S. S.....	72 00
General Fund.....	25 00	Bishop Brewer.....	97 00
Christmas Fund.....	33 75	Bishop Leonard, Utah.....	50 00
H. G. S., Binghamton.....	138 96	Fresh Air Fund.....	53 94
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	20 00	Mexican Missions.....	20 00
City Hospital.....	43 51	Woman's Auxiliary.....	54 96

Parochial, \$6,208.11; Diocesan, \$585.88; General, \$591.54.....\$7,380 53  
Church Property—Church, \$15,000; Rectory, \$8,000: \$23,000.

Binghamton, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. SAMUEL D. DAY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Horatio Evans, Charles F. Moore.

Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 10.....	20	Burials.....	14
Confirmed.....	22	Services—Sund. 147, weekd. 175	322
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 111, priv.	
150. all others 44, ad. 22, rec.		16.....	127
4, died 2, rem. 8, pres. no....	220	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 99....	198
Marriages.....	7		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 20 00	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 4 24
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,127 09	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 27
Sunday School.....	59 47	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	2 00
Repairs and Improvements	58 19	Missions—Domestic, Special	10 00
P. Aid Chapter of Guild...	428 75	Foreign, “	10 00
St. Agnes “	77 68	Colored “	10 00
Jun. Order of I. C. G.....	25 00	Indian.....	10 00
Chancel rail.....	10 50	Jews.....	4 81
Disocesan Missions.....	32 17	Increase of the Ministry...	10 00
General Fund.....	2 04	Aid to Student, “	100 00

Parochial, \$1,806.68; Diocesan, \$50.72; General, \$154.81.....\$2,012.21  
Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$3,500; \$7,500.



Broome County : Chenango Forks—Whitney's Point—Windsor.

Chenango Forks, St. John's Church.

THE REV. ROBERT G. QUENNELL, MISSIONARY.

Committee—James Smith, Z. A. Spendley, M. D., A. Willard.

Families . . . . .	18	Services—Sund. 16, weekd. 13...	29
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public. . . . .	1
18, all others 6 . . . . .	24		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's Rector's Salary . . . . .	\$18 96	General Missions . . . . .	\$3 08
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	2 87		
Parochial, \$18.96; Diocesan, \$2.87; General, \$3.08. . . . .			\$ 24 91

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,500.

This parish has been vacant for nearly eighteen months, and has depended during the Conventional year on occasional services rendered by the President of Convocation, the Rev. Mr. Robinson and the Clergy of Binghamton. At present it is in temporary charge of the Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton.

Whitney's Point, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES A. ROBINSON, RECTOR.

Wardens—Frank Perry, Charles A. Winchester.

Families . . . . .	15	Services—Sund. 90, weekd. 12...	102
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public. . . . .	13
29, all others 3, died 4, pres. no. 28	28	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 35....	39

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary . .	\$ 141 42	General Fund. . . . .	\$ 6 50
Sunday School . . . . .	12 00	Christmas Fund....	1 75
Repairs and Improvements	5 00	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	4 75
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	15 85	Foreign . . . . .	4 75

Parochial, \$158.42; Diocesan, \$24.10; General, \$9.50..... \$192 02

Church Property—Church, \$4,000.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Windsor, Zion Church.

THE REV. ORIN A. SANDS, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—David Doolittle, Charles M. Comstock.

Families . . . . .	34	Marriage . . . . .	1
Baptisms—Infant . . . . .	3	Burials . . . . .	2
Communicants—rec. 4, rem. 1,		Holy Communion—public.....	7
pres. no. . . . .	43	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 34....	39

Cayuga County : Auburn.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	17 12	Missions—W. A. bxs.....\$	19 54
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	240 47	Jews .....	1 69
Sunday School.....	6 90	Increase of the Ministry ...	2 64
Repairs and Improvements,	45 00	Bishop Brewer... ..	4 00
Diocesan Missions.....	43 73	Boat for China.....	50
General Fund . . . . .	4 00	Clerical suit .....	1 00
Christmas Fund ....	4 05	Postage for Gen. Sec. ....	1 00
Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 50	General Missions, S. S. ....	14 65

Parochial, \$309.49; Diocesan, \$53.28; General \$45.02.... \$407 79

Church Property—Church, \$3,500; Rectory, \$1,450; Endowment, \$500: \$5,450. Insurance, \$2,000.

Cayuga County.

Auburn, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN BRAINARD, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Noah P. Clarke, Henry D. Noble.

Families .....	400	Burials.....	52
Baptisms—Ad. 13, Inf. 22 .....	35	Services—Sund. 160, weekd. 250..	410
Confirmed .....	56	Holy Communion—pub. 65, priv.	
Communicants—within two years		20 .....	85
445, all others 150, ad. 56, rec.		S. S. Teachers 24, Scholars 260..	284
4, died 10, rem. 36, present no.	595	Industrial School—Teachers 35,	
Marriages .....	23	Scholars 230.....	265

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	234 00	General Fund .....	\$ 75 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,000 00	Christmas Fund .....	60 00
Sunday School... ..	159 27	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	20 89
Repairs and Improvements,	150 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	66 25
For benefit of Young Men,	581 00	Emmanuel Mission, Elmira,	20 00
Sewing School .....	100 00	New York Mills.....	10 00
Mothers' Meetings.....	118 00	Education of Ministry... .	71 00
Thanksgiving Offering....	130 00	Onondaga Indian Mission..	25 00
Special Charities.....	300 00	Missions—Domestic .....	210 00
St. Peter's Guild.....	600 00	Foreign .. .	155 00
Auburn City Hospital .....	64 00	Colored People ..	40 00
Diocesan Missions.....	270 00	Am. Church Building Fund	25 00
.. .. W. A. bxs..	312 00		

Parochol, \$6,436.27; Diocesan, \$930.14; General, \$430.00... \$7,796 41

Church Property—Church, \$85,000; Rectory, \$15,000: \$100,000.

Insurance, \$35,000.

Cayuga County : Auburn—Moravia.

Auburn, St. John's Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. MURRAY, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Clarence U. Chedell, George Marland.

Families .....	92	Services—Sund. 152, weekd. 144, ..	296
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 12 .....	14	Holy Communion—pub. 101, priv.	
Communicants—ad. 2, rec. 3,		8 .....	109
died 2, rem. 2, present no.....	227	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 98...	108
Burials .....	13		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	28 74	Diocesan Missions.....\$	32 94
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	648 19	General Fund .....	2 61
Sunday School.....	62 98	Christmas Fund .....	1 50
Repairs and Improvements,	30 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 50
St. Elizabeth's Guild .....	409 50	Missions—Domestic .....	1 50
St. Agnes' Guild.....	71 00	Indian... ..	13 00
Paid on debt .....	106 28	Deaf Mutes .....	8 07

Parochial, \$1,356.66; Diocesan, \$39.55; General, \$22.59.....\$1,418 80

Church Property—Church. \$25,000; Chapel, \$3,000: \$28,000; Indebtedness, \$291.01; Insurance, \$6,000.

Moravia, St. Matthew's Church.

THE REV. MEAD BURGESS, RECTOR.

Wardens—H. H. Alley, Wing T. Parker.

Families.....	68	Marriages.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 31, Inf. 11 .....	42	Burials.....	10
Confirmed .....	55	Services—Sund. 152, weekd. 85..	237
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	63
124, all others 14, died 1, pres.		S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 48....	56
no .....	138		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	635 00	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 60 70
Sunday School.....	25 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	12 33
Repairs and Improvements,	10 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	4 00
New Bible.. ..	10 00	St. Andrew's School. ....	8 25
Insurance .....	11 37	H. P. S. Syr. W. A. bx....	25 00
New Register.....	6 80	Onondaga Mission, W. A..	28 00
Building Fund .....	90 50		
Parochial, \$788.17; Diocesan, \$138.28.....			\$ 926 45

Church Property, \$5,000. Insurance, \$3,300.

*Cayuga County : Port Byron—Weedsport. Chemung County : Big Flats.*

**Port Byron, St. Paul's Church.**

REPORTED BY J. H. BROWN, LAY READER.

*Warden*—Levi H. Thompson.

Families.....	12	Burial .....	1
Baptism—Infant ...	1	Services—Sund. 28, weekd. 7....	35
Confirmed.....	1	Holy Communion—public.....	6
Communicants.....	13	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 36....	42

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses, \$69.98.  
Church Property—Church, \$1,800. Insurance, \$1,000.

**Weedsport, St. John's Church.**

REPORTED BY J. H. BROWN, LAY READER.

*Warden*—David Kevand.

Families.....	14	Services—Sund. 28, weekd. 6....	34
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 3.....	4	Holy Communion—public.....	6
Communicants.....	17	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 18 ...	22
Burial .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses, \$127.05; Sunday School, \$2.00: \$129.05.  
Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

**Chemung County.**

**Big Flats, St. John's Church.**

*Wardens*—Lucius Tuttle, Daniel B. Steele.

Families.....	15	Burials .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf, 2 .....	6	Services—Sund. 53, weekd, 15...	68
Confirmed .....	1	Holy Comunion—public .....	17
Marriages ... ..	2	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 31....	35

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary....	\$180 22	Christmas Fund.....	\$1 48
Sunday School.....	12 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 00
Repairs and Improvements...	41 45	Missions—Domestic....	3 20
Other Parochial Objects .....	6 00	Foreign.....	3 20
Diocesan Massions..	12 17	Deaf Mutes... ..	1 44
General Fund.....	8 00		
Parochial, \$239.67; Diocesan, \$24,65; General, 7,84.....			\$272 16

Church Property—Church, \$2,000. Insurance, \$22,50.

*Chemung County : Elmira.***Elmira, Trinity Church.**

THE REV. GEORGE H. McKNIGHT, D. D., RECTOR.

*Wardens*—W. C. Wey, M. D., Jackson Richardson.

Families.....	165	Marriages..	17
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 21.....	31	Burials .....	15
Confirmed .....	24	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 78..	178
Communicants—ad. 24, rec. 21.		Holy Communion—public. ....	22
died 4, rem. 44, pres. no.....	265	S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 140..	155

## OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 158 41	Home of Good Shepherd...	\$15 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,745 94	Emmanuel Mission, South-	
Sunday School .....	39 68	port.....	165 00
Pavement .....	360 00	St. Andrew's Divinity Sch.	100 00
Music Fund .....	800 00	Missions—Domestic .....	157 00
Diocesan Missions.....	310 18	“ W. A. bxs	125 00
General Fund.....	61 78	Foreign.....	135 28
Christmas Fund .....	25 14	Bishop Atwill.....	25 00
Bishop's Chaplain.....	25 00	Clergy Relief Fund.....	25 00
Arnot Ogden Hospital.....	300 00	Church Temperance Society,	10 00
Deaf Mutes.....	13 64		
Parochial, \$5,104.03; Diocesan, \$1,015.74; General, \$477.28.....			\$6,612 05

Church Property—Church. \$35,000; Rectory, \$5,000; Chapel \$35,000: \$75,000. Insurance, \$32,000.

I have revised my list of Communicants and although there have been added and received during the past year 45, yet I report, in view of removals and deaths, but 265, a less number than that reported last year.

**Elmira, Grace Church.**

THE REV. WILLIAM E. WRIGHT, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—William P. Yates, George W. Kingsbury.

Families and parts of families...	251	Marriages.....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 16, Inf. 58.....	74	Burials .....	22
Confirmed.....	23	Services—Sund. 213, weekd. 375.	588
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 236, priv.	
204, all others 73, ad. 23, rec,		6.....	242
10, died 8, rem. 30, pres. no...	272	S. S. Teachers 14, Scholars 162..	176

Chemung County : Elmira.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$131 85	Bishop's Chaplain.....	\$15 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary .	2,968 41	Christmas Fund .....	27 11
Sunday School.....	101 03	Onondaga Mission A. S. G.	5 00
Repair's and Improvements	95 84	New York Mills.....	5 00
Communion gold and silver	550 00	St. Ann's, Afton .....	8 00
Vestments and altar linen.	45 00	Gifts to purchase property	
Easter off'g for new church	400 00	Emmanuel Mission.....	135 00
S. S. Easter off'g for same..	100 00	Missions—Dom. A S. G.	6 15
St. Agnes Guild for floral		St. Agnes Guild bxs	100 00
decoration and charity...	83 42	Deaf Mutes....	18 85
Charitable relief .....	30 00	Missionary bx. A. S. G. ...	42 42
Emmanuel Mission, Elmira	161 61	Charitable work, M. C. L..	18 45

Parochial, \$4,505,55; Diocesan, \$356,72; General, \$180,87;.....\$5,043 14

Church Property—Church \$15,000. Insurance, \$5,500.

Amount of subscription to date for new church \$7,000. Parish organizations—Brotherhood of St. Andrew for men; All Saints Guild for women; Ministering Children's League for children; St. Agnes Guild for girls.

Elmira, Emmanuel Mission.

THE REV. CHARLES D. ATWELL, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—William H. Hathaway, Charles W. Young, Richard Goldsmith.

Families.....	50	Burials.....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 11, Inf. 18 ...	29	Services—Sund. 90, weekd. 50.	1 50
Confirmed.....	19	Holy Communion, public.....	80
Communicants.....	72	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 89..	98
Marriages .....	4		

OFFERINGS

Communion Alms.....	\$20 00	St. Martha's Guild, carpet..	\$80 00
Offerings from churchings .	2 00	St. Margarete ,, organ..	50 00
Exp's and Rectors Salary..	427 80	Altar Cross.....	20 00
Sunday School.....	30 00	Parish Register... ..	2 50
Repairs and Improvements.	115 00	Lamps .....	21 00
S. S. Easter offering .....	18 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 70
Interest on mortgage .....	90 00	Deaf Mutes... ..	2 00
Paid on mortgage.....	1,000 00		

Parochial, \$1,876,30; Diocesan, \$4.70; General, \$2.00 .....\$1,883 00

Church Property—Church \$5,500.

Indebtedness, \$3,000. Insurance, \$4,000.

The present Missionary took charge May 1st, 1891. From that time until December 1st, one service a week was held in a Presbyterian house of worship. The present property was bought and regular services began on the second Sunday in Advent.

Chenango County: Afton—Bainbridge.

Chenango County.

Afton, St. Ann's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—Harrison Caswell, Nathan B. Stowell.

Families .....	40	Burials .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 3.....	8	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 32...	84
Confirmed .....	6	Holy Communion—public. ....	12
Communicants—ad. 6, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30
died 3, rem. 1, pres. no.....	51		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 20 28	Other Parochial Objects ...	\$13 61
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	226 63	Diocesan Missions.....	19 76
Sunday School.....	7 84	General Fund.....	5 27
Repairs and Improvements	1,247, 90	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	11 28
Gift to Rector.....	30 00	Convocation Expenses.....	5 22

Parochial, \$1,546.26; Diocesan, \$41.53.....\$1,587 79

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Bainbridge, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—James A. Hopkins, Joseph Juliand.

Families. ....	71	Marriages . ....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 6.....	14	Burials... ..	5
Confirmed .....	15	Services—Sund. 128, weekd. 73..	201
Communicants—ad. 15, rec. 7,		Holy Communion—public.....	56
died 2, rem. 3, pres. no.....	96	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 50....	58

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 38 45	Building Fund.....	\$ 2 71
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	626 92	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 00
Sunday School.....	4 77	Bishop's Chaplain.....	3 50
Repairs and Improvements	141 78	Missions—Domestic . ..	1 70
Gifts to Rector.....	47 50	Colored People..	3 75
Diocesan Missions.....	38 06	Indian S. S.....	10 00
General Fund.....	10 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society	3 65
Christmas Fund....	4 80		

Parochial, \$859.42; Diocesan, \$64.07; General, \$19.10.....\$ 942 59

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$3,000; Tenement, \$800: \$8,300. Insurance, \$5,500.

Chenango County : Greene—Guilford.

Greene, Zion Church.

THE REV. ALEXANDER H. ROGERS, RECTOR.

Wardens—F. E. Barnard, Frederiek Juliard.

Families. ....	123	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 1. ....	3	Burials.....	14
Communicants—ad. 6, rec. 2,		Holy Communion—pub. 16, priv. 1	17
died 2, rem. 3, pres. no.....	208	S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 90...	102

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$60 38	Shelter. W. A. bx.....	\$ 4 95
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,448 90	Exp's W. A. Director .....	5 00
Sunday School.....	36 57	Missions—Domestic.....	20 00
Easter Flowers. ....	7 20	“ W. A. bxs	34 08
Home Charities, W. A.	10 40	“ Jun. Aux. bx	4 00
Gifts to Rector .....	68 60	Foreign .....	27 39
Helping Hand Society.....	267 51	Colored People..	10 54
Diocesan Missions.....	223 52	“ W. A. bxs..	53 85
General Fund.....	35 00	“ Jun. Aux. bx	18 00
Christmas Fund.....	44 35	Indian.....	8 08
Bishop's Chaplain.....	20 00	Jews.....	6 45
St. Andrew's Div. School..	30 67	Red Lodge, Mont. S. S....	32 57
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 25	Bishop Brewer, W. A.....	5 00
Salary Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A.	10 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund...	19 78
Shelter, Syracuse .....	5 00		

Parochial, \$1,899.56; Diocesan, \$388.74; General, \$239.64.....\$2,527 95

Church Property—Church and Chapel, \$50,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$53,000.

Insurance, \$31,500.

Guilford, Christ Church.

THE REV. J. HOLLISTER LYNCH, LATE RECTOR.

Wardens—Nathan DeLavan, Charles W. Haynes.

Families .....	69	Marriages .....	5
Baptism—Infant.....	1	Burials.....	10
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 129. weekd. 97..	226
97, all others 32, died 4, pres.		Holy Communion—pub. 61, priv. 1	62
no.....	129	S. S Teachers 7, Scholars 37....	44

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$23 01	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y	\$1 30
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	532 64	Increase of the Ministry....	5 95
Sunday School.....	32 23	Shelter, Syracuse. bx .....	6 00
Parish Endowment Fund..	65 61	Bishop's Chaplain.....	3 75
Parish Aid Society.....	100 00	Missions—Domestic, S. S...	18 85
Thanksgiving to Rector....	14 17	“ L. C. W bx.	5 00
Gifts to Rector.....	6 00	Foreign .....	10 00
Chancel hangings, L. C. W.	50 00	General S. S. Lent	14 61
Music.....	17 71	Jews.....	2 61
Other Parochial Objects....	15 00	China boat.....	50
Diocesan Missions.....	75 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund....	5 18
General Fund.....	8 00	Bishop Brewer.....	6 11
Christmas Fund.....	6 61	Church at Winslow, Ont...	1 00

Parochial, \$856.37; Diocesan, \$101.61; General, \$63.85 .....\$ 1,026 83

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$6,000.

Insurance, \$3,700.

At Easter, the Parish presented the Rector with a handsome gold watch and chain.



*Chenango County : McDonough—Mt. Upton—New Berlin.*

**McDonough, Calvary Church.**

THE REV. WILLIAM HIGGS, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	36	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Adult.....	2	Services—Sund. 97, weekd. 68...	165
Confirmed. ....	5	Holy Communion—public. ....	13
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 30....	34
31, all others 17, ad. 5, died 1,			
pres. no.....	48		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$15 19	Dossel.....	\$7 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	140 65	Diocesan Missions.....	15 76
Sunday School.....	10 15	General Fund....	13 00
Repairs.....	7 50	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 28
Note paid by Y. W. G.....	34 00	Bx from Guild, to H. G. S.	4 00
Hymnals for Choir... ..	4 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 00

Parochial, \$218.99; Diocesan, \$38.04.....\$ 257 03  
Church Property—Church, \$3.000. Insurance, \$1,500.

In the list of Communicants given above are included thirteen persons absent from the Mission, and either living in places where no Church services are held or else preferring to retain their names temporarily on the register. Some of these are with us for a few services in the year, and those so communicating are reported under the first head. In the list of families, as heretofore, are included households in which there are no communicants, and one or two in which there are no baptized persons; each household having no other religious affiliation, and occasionally attending the services of the Mission.

**Mt. Upton, Grace Church.**

THE REV. J. HOLLISTER LYNCH, LATE MISSIONARY.

Families .....	7	Burial.....	1
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sunday.....	33
9, all others 2, died 1, pres. no.	11	Holy Communion—public.....	6

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 33 38	Diocesan Missions..	\$2 50
Int.from Fenno Tudor Fund	128 00	Christmas Fund.....	1 86
Gifts to Missionary.....	6 00	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	1 25

Parochial, \$167.38; Diocesan, \$5.61..... \$172 99

**New Berlin, St. Andrew's Church.**

THE REV. GEORGE H. KIRKLAND, RECTOR.

Wardens—Horace O. Moss, John T. White.

Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 5....	9	Burials. ....	28
Confirmed. ....	10	Services—Sund. 92, weekd. 76...	168
Communicants — last reported		Holy Communion—pub. 13. priv.	
196, ad. 8, died 7, rem. 6, pres.		8 .....	21
no.....	191	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 70...	80
Marriages .....	4		

*Chenango County : Norwich:*

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$35 76	Missions—Domestic .....	\$35 73
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,349 99	"    W. A. bbl.	35 30
Sunday School.....	78 50	Foreign .....	40 18
Repairs and Improvements	1,126 04	Jews .....	11 00
Diocesan Missions.....	182 64	Increase of the Ministry ...	35 00
"    "    W. A. bbl.	22 79	Russian Sufferers....	37 19
General Fund. . . . .	35 00	Children's Aid Society.....	5 68
Christmas Fund.....	24 10	Church Temperance Society	10 42
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	13 53	General Ch. Building Fund	30 00
Bishop's Chaplain . . . . .	20 00		
Parochial, \$2,590.29; Diocesan, \$298.06; General, \$240.50. ....			\$3,128 85

Church Property—Church, \$12,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$14,500.

Insurance, \$8,500.

**Norwich, Emmanuel Church.**

THE REV. HENRY D. STERBINS, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—William F. Jenks, Henry L. Marsh.

Families .....	183	Marriages.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 5.....	8	Burials.....	11
Confirmed. ....	9	Services—Sund. 120, weekd. 98..	218
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 29, priv. 2	31
215, ad. 9, rec. 8, died 3, rem. 2,		S. S. Teachers 17, Scholars 143..	160
pres. no.....	250		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$74 84	Diocesan Missions... ..	\$79 37
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,454 34	Convocation... ..	6 46
Sunday School.....	23 04	General Fund.....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements	125 00	Christmas Fund..	8 52
Lenten Offering.....	16 18	Episcopate Fund.....	12 00
Easter Offering.....	65 54	Bishop's Relief Fund... ..	10 00
Gifts to Sunday School....	28 28	Missions—Girls' Lenten box	12 00
Christmas Tree... ..	43 00	Domes., W.A.bxs	9 00
Ladies' Societies.....	226 00	Foreign ..	15 15
Rectory Subscription.....	1,650 00	Jews ....	2 86
Alms basins by young ladies	40 00	Children's Bazaar.....	41 50
Other Parochial Objects....	15 00	Lenten offering of Children	
Bishop's Chaplain.....	12 00	for Missions.....	30 20
Parochial, \$2,111.22; Diocesan, \$138.35; General, \$110.71.....			\$2,360 28

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Rectory Fund, \$2,325: \$27,325.

Insurance, \$8,000.

During the year the chancel of the Church has been newly adorned by the ladies with a handsome carpet costing above \$100; at date of June 13th the walls of the new Rectory are in place.

*Chenango County : Oxford Sherburne.*

**Oxford, St. Paul's Church.**

THE REV. EDWIN W. COLLOQUE, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—James W. Glover, Francis G. Clarke.

Families.....	127	Marriage.....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 4.....	7	Burials.....	15
Confirmed.....	14	Services—Sund. 111, weekd. 99..	210
Communicants—ad. 14, rec. 1		Holy Communion—pub. 20, priv. 7	27
died 5, pres. no.....	182	S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 76...	89

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$119 54	Missions—Domestic.....	\$ 100 88
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,691 18	Foreign. ....	25 00
Sunday Schools.....	126 59	Colored People..	28 98
Repairs and Improvements	563 43	Jews. ....	10 15
Thanksgiving Offering ....	68 44	N. Y. Prayer Book Society	16 00
Other Parochial Objects....	225 44	Increase of the Ministry...	65 48
Diocesan Missions.....	469 89	Nashotah.....	5 00
General Fund and Bishop's		Bishop Tuttle.....	10 00
Chaplain ... ..	55 00	Bishop Brewer.....	10 00
Christmas Fund, including		Mrs. Buford's work.....	10 00
to Communion Alms....	94 28	Rev. F. B. Lewis.....	5 00
Building Fund.....	29 09	Mexico.....	25 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	15 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund...	26 22
Honor Cottage bx.....	14 60	St. Augustine's, N. Y.....	25 00
H. G. S., Utica, bx.....	25 00		
Parochial, \$2,794.62; Diocesan, \$702.86; General, \$360.66.....			\$3,858 14

Church Property—Church, Chapel and Rectory, \$30,000.

Insurance, \$16,000.

Of the above the Parish Aid Society has contributed \$103.80; the Sunday School, \$80.25; the Honor Society, \$14.60; the King's Daughters, \$25, and the Helping Society \$25. The Parish has been presented with an elegant chandelier for the Chancel.

**Sherburne, Christ Church.**

THE REV. WILLIAM E. ALLEN, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—William Cook, Albert R. Gladwin.

Families.....	83	Burials.....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 7.....	8	Services. ....	205
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public....	70
133, all others 35, ad. 2, rec. 2,		S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 56...	66
died 3, rem. 16, pres. no.....	168		

Cortland County : Cortland.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$37 56	Missions—Domestic W. A.,	
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,165 12	bx. and frt...	\$31 00
Sunday School ..	38 68	Foreign S. S ...	5 00
Repairs and Improvements	200 00	Colored People..	15 59
St. Andrew's Brotherhood..	29 55	" W. A. bx	36 00
Diocesan Missions.....	46 19	Indian, S. S ...	15 00
"    "    W. A. bx..	4 00	Jews. ....	2 57
General Fund.....	10 00	Bishop Brewer W. A., ....	2 00

Parochial, \$1,470.31; Diocesan, \$60.19; General, \$107.16.....

\$1,637 66

Church Property—Church and Chapel, \$9,000; Rectory, \$1,500; Trust Funds, 500: \$11,000. Insurance, \$6,000.

Since the present Rector took charge in February, 1892, there have been added many beautiful and useful gifts to the Church, among which was a fine brass eagle lecturn, in memory of the late Walter E. sbre; altar hangings; and the Rectory has been thoroughly renovated and town water introduced.

Cortland County.

Cortland, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM BOURS CLARKE, RECTOR.

Wardens—H. B. Hubbard, E. D. Webb.

Families .....	142	Burials.....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 8 ...	10	Services—Sund. 140, weekd. 110,	250
Confirmed. ....	10	Holy Communion—pub. 71, priv. 2	73
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 74....	83
196, all others 6, rec. 8, died 2,			
rem. 8, present no.....	202		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	9 02	Missions—Dom. W. A. bx.	\$46 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,611 60	Foreign .....	9 46
Sunday School.....	27 93	Indian .....	7 04
Repairs and Improvements,	116 78	Jews .....	5 73
Thanksgiving Offering.....	11 16	Deaf Mutes .....	7 32
Lenten Offering.....	22 81	Russian Famine Relief ....	7 00
Easter Offering .....	165 81	Church Building Fund ....	2 75
Ladies' Guild .....	100 00	S.S. Lent off. for Missions,	28 67
Diocesan Missions.....	51 60	St. Cyprian's, New Berne,	
General Fund .....	20 00	N. C., S. S. Christmas bx.	11 00
Christmas Fund .....	13 30	" Junior W. A. box....	10 00
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	8 76	Fresh Air Fund, St. Agnes	
Bishop's Chaplain... ..	15 00	Guild, Junior W. A. bx	6 00
Salary Rev. Mr. Scott, W.A.	2 50	Westcott Memorial W. A.,.	2 50
Missions—Domestic .....	6 97	Bishop Brewer, W. A.....	3 00

Parochial, \$2,065.11; Diocesan, \$111.16; General, \$153.44.....

\$2,329 71

Church Property, \$10,000: Furniture, \$3,000; Fund towards new organ

\$486.35: \$13,486.35. Insurance, \$8.250.

*Cortland County : Homer. Jefferson County : Antwerp—Brownville.*

**Homer, Calvary Church.**

**THE REV. GEORGE FREDERICK CLOVER, MISSIONARY.**

*Committee*—A. Fisher, Earl Fowler, N. H. Waters.

Families.....	50	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 5 .....	15	Burials .....	7
Confirmed.....	3	Services—Sund. 101, weekd. 5..	106
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 11, priv. 4	15
58, all others 5, ad. 4, died 1,		S. S. Teachers, 5, Scholars 34....	39
present no. ....	67		

**OFFERINGS.**

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	461 11	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 3 00
Sunday School.....	14 27	Bishop's Relief Fund. ...	3 00
Insurance .....	50 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 00
Diocesan Missions.....	12 21	Missions—Domestic S. S...	3 97

Parochial, \$525.88; Diocesan, \$19 21; General, \$3.97.....\$ 548 56

Church Property—Church, \$4,500. Indebtedness, \$290.88.

Insurance, \$4,400.

**Jefferson County.**

**Antwerp, St. Paul's Church.**

**REV. J. B. TREVETT, M. D., IN CHARGE.**

*Wardens*—A. H. Hilton, W. M. Johnson.

Families .....	30	Marriage ....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 2 .....	5	Burials.....	4
Confirmed .....	6	Services—Sund. 57, weekd. 10..	67
Communicants—died 2, present		Holy Communion—pub. 13, priv. 1,	14
no .....	48	S. S. Teachers 5. Scholars 45....	50

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....\$	41 00	Repairs and Improvements, \$	150 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	450 00	Diocesan Missions ....	12 00
Sunday School .....	130 11	“ “ W. A. bxs.	15 00

Parochial, \$772.01; Diocesan, \$27.00.....\$ 799 01

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$1,800: \$5,800.

Insurance, \$2,800.

**Brownville, St. Paul's Church.**

**THE REV. ARNOLD H. REDDING, MISSIONARY.**

*Wardens*—Charles Outtersen, Edwin Nelson Giles.

Families. ....	24	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 2....	6	Burials.....	2
Confirmed .....	8	Services—Sund. 47, weekd. 7 ...	54
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 10, priv. 1	11
33, rec. 2, died 1, rem. 2, pres.			
no .....	30		

Jefferson County : Cape Vincent—Carthage.

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$3 14	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$5 73
Repairs and Improvements,	284 73		
Parochial, \$598.75; Diocesan, \$5.73.....			\$ 604 48
Insurance, \$2,000.			

Cape Vincent, St. John's Church.

THE REV. SAMUEL W. STROWGER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Erastus K. Burnham, J. Albert Scobell.

Families.....	67	Marriages . . . . .	3
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 7.....	13	Burials . . . . .	5
Confirmed.....	2	Services—Sund. 118, weekd. 28..	146
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 19, priv. 1	20
93, all others 15, ad. 1, rec. 5,		S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 87....	96
died 2, rem. 3, pres. no.....	108		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 53 93	Episcopate Fund....	\$ 20 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	530 21	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	8 00
Sunday School.....	92 69	Shelter, Syracuse, S. S....	18 50
Repairs and Improvements,	61 76	Missions—Foreign.....	2 00
Diocesan Missions. ....	99 60	“ Colored People..	1 00
“ “ W. A. bxs	26 50	“ Indian.....	1 00
Christmas Fund.....	15 00	Bishop Brewer's work.....	29 17

Parochial, \$738.59; Diocesan, \$182.60; General, \$33.17.....\$ 954 36  
Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$1,500; \$3,000.  
Insurance, \$5,000.

The above report includes families, offerings, &c., at Millen's Bay.

Carthage, Grace Church.

THE REV. ELMER R. EARLE, LATE RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry W. Hammond, James Pringle.

Families.....	64	Marriages . . . . .	10
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 3.....	5	Burials.....	14
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 97, weekd. 78...	175
11, rec. 4, died 5, rem. 3, pres.		Holy Communion—pub. 23, priv. 7	30
no .....	114	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 40....	47

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*Jefferson County : Clayton—Dexter.*

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**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....\$	3 68	Episcopate Fund.....	\$10 47
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,022 67	Bishop's Chaplain.....	6 00
Sunday School.....	48 68	Onondaga Mission.....	1 00
Thanksgiving offering....	6 25	Easter Offering.....	4 94
Auxiliary for Parish Exp's,	64 01	Missions—Domestic.....	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	32 88	“ W. A. bxs	38 95
General Fund.....	6 18	Foreign.....	2 00
Christmas Fund.....	3 39	Children's Lenten Offering,	5 45
Building Fund.....	2 00		
Parochial, \$1,144.69; Diocesan, \$66.86; General, \$48.40.....		\$1,259 95	

Church Property—Church, \$6,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$8,500.

Indebtedness, \$650. Insurance, \$7,500.

The Rector resigned May 1st, 1892.

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**Clayton, Christ Church.**

THE REV. J. E. WALTON, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Richard M. Esselstyne, J. E. Liddy, M. D.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 3.....	4	Burials.....	5
Confirmed .....	6	Services—Sund. 92, weekd. 5....	97
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	10
6, died 1, rem. 1.....		S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 45....	53
Marriages .....	5		

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....\$	31 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	875 00	Missions—Dom. W. A. bxs	7 00
Repairs and Improvements,	5 00	Indian W. A. bxs	15 00
Diocesan Missions.....	39 60	Jews.....	3 14
Christmas Fund.....	2 80		
Parochial, \$911.00; Diocesan, \$45.40; General, \$25.14.....		\$ 981 54	

Church Property—Rectory, \$2,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,200, Insurance, \$6,500.

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**Dexter, All Saints' Church.**

THE REV. J. WINSLOW, MISSIONARY.

*Wardens*—Charles Bloom, Dr. Morgan.

Families.....	16	Burial.....	1
Baptisms—Infant.....	2	Services—Sunday ...	18
Confirmed .....	1	Holy Communion—pub. 5, priv. 1	6
Communicants—within two years			
12, rec. 1, died 1, pres. no ....	12		

Jefferson County : Ellisburgh—Evans Mills—Frederick's Corners.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms....	\$ 2 00	Other Parochial Objects...	\$ 2 00
Current Expenses.....	18 00	General Fund.....	2 00
Lay Reader.....	25 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	2 00
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Parochial, \$47.00; Diocesan, \$4.00 .....		\$	51 00
Church Property—Church, \$3,000.			

Ellisburgh, Christ Church.

THE REV. A. J. BROCKWAY, RECTOR.

Families.....	12	Services—Sund. 18, weekd. 1....	19
Communicants.....	12	Holy Communion—public.....	3
Burials.....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 2 90	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 1 55
Minister's horse hire.....	10 41	Missions—Dom. W. A. bxs	20 52
Gift to Rector.....	36 00		<hr/>
Parochial, \$49.31; Diocesan, \$1.55; General, \$20.52.....		\$	71 38

Evans Mills, St. Andrew's Mission.

THE REV. J. B. TREVETT, M. D., MISSIONARY.

Families .....	20	Services—Sund. 48, weekd. 10...	58
Baptism—Infant.....	1	Holy Communion—public .....	11
Confirmed.....	4	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 20....	24
Communicants.....	38		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 2 32	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 8 41
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	114 87	" " W. A. ....	2 00
Sunday School.....	8 00	" " W. A. bxs.	20 00
Repairs and Improvements,	19 56	Missions—Domestic, S. S..	4 42
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Parochial, \$144.75; Diocesan, \$30.41; General, \$4.42.....		\$	179 58
Church Property—Church, \$5,000.			

Frederick's Corners, St. Paul's Mission.

THE REV. A. J. BROCKWAY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	12	Services—Sund. 20, weekd. 2....	22
Communicants.....	15	Holy Communion—public .....	2
Burial.....	1		



Jefferson County : LaFargeville—Pierrepont Manor.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 2 04	General Fund .....	\$ 1 70
Other Parochial Objects ...	5 28	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 05
Diocesan Missions.....	3 28		
Parochial, \$7.32; Diocesan, \$5.98.....			\$ 13 30

Church Property—Church, \$1,600. Insurance, \$1,200.

La Fargeville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. J. E. WALTON, RECTOR.

Wardens—Wayland F. Ford, Russel B. Biddlecom.

Communicants.....	35	Holy Communion—public .....	10
Marriage .....	1	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 31....	36
Services—Sund. 42, weekd. 2....	44		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 255 08	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 3 80
Sunday School.....	24 75	Missions—Jews .....	1 00
Diocesan Missions .....	24 50		
Parochial, \$262.83; Diocesan, \$28.30; General \$1.....			\$ 292 13

Pierrepont Manor, Zion Church.

THE REV. ANSON J. BROCKWAY, RECTOR.

Wardens—William M. White, J. A. Bemis.

Families.....	33	Marriages .....	2
Baptism—Infant. ....	1	Burials.....	14
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 95, weekd. 18...	113
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	14
52, rec. 1, died 2, pres. no.....	52	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 50....	55

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 14 16	Diocesan Missions, W. A..	\$ 6 05
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	187 90	“ “ W. A. bxs	27 68
S. S. penny collection.....	6 62	General Fund.....	8 14
Organ tuning, Young La-		Christmas Fund.....	1 20
dies' Guild.....	20 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	2 46
Ladies' Society for Sexton,		Bishop's Chaplain .....	5 16
&c .....	65 81	Missions—Domestic, Chil-	
Christmas and Easter gifts	20 00	drens Lent Savings. ....	6 57
Diocesan Missions.....	27 81	Missions—Indian, W.A.bxs	8 65

Parochial, \$314.49; Diocesan, \$78.50; General, \$15.22.....\$ 408 21

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$8,000.

Insurance, \$5,000.

Jefferson County : Redwood—Sacketts Harbor—Theresa.

Redwood, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, RECTOR.

Families.....	20	Services—week day.....	15
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 4.....	9	Holy Communion—pub.10,priv.2	12
Communicants. ....	32	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 20....	24
Burials.....	3		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms ... ..\$	12 06	General Fund.....\$	5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	229 58	Christmas Fund.....	2 26
Memorial Font .....	55 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	3 00
Diocesan Missions .....	59 18	General Missions, S. S.....	9 00
“ “ S. S .....	2 86		
Parochial, \$296.64; Diocesan, \$72.25; Church Property—Church, \$2,500.		General, \$9.00.....\$	377 89

Sacketts Harbor, Christ Church.

THE REV. J. WINSLOW, RECTOR.

Wardens—Bailey H. Metcalf, E. C. Knowlton.

Families.....	52	Marriages .....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 9 ....	14	Burials.....	12
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 38.	142
49, all others 19, ad. 5, rec. 2,		Holy Communion—pub. 18, priv. 8	26
died 3, rem. 10, pres. no.....	62	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 55....	63

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	31 68	General Fund.....\$	5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary.	577 73	Bishop's Chaplain.....	5 00
Sunday School .....	50 45	Missions—Domestic .....	2 00
Other Parochial Objects ...	122 45	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	30 00	Sufferers by flood, West...	5 00
“ “ W. A. bxs	10 00		
Parochial, \$772.31; Diocesan, \$50.00; Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Trust Fund, \$500; Rectory Fund. \$410. Insurance, \$2,500.		General, \$9.00.....\$	831 31

Theresa, St. James' Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Franklin Parker, Peter Schwarz.

Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 5 .....	7	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 30...	82
Communicants .....	39	Holy Communion—pub.12, priv.1,	13
Marriages .....	3	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30....	35
Burials.....	10		

Jefferson County : Watertown.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	7 91	General Fund .....	\$ 3 18
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	200 28	Christmas Fund .....	2 00
Repairs and Improvements,	110 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	3 00
Diocesan Missions.....	37 65	Missions—Domestic .....	1 26
“ “ S. S.....	4 12	General Mission S. S. ....	9 03
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Parochial, \$318.19; Diocesan, \$49.95; General, \$10.29.....\$			378 43
Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$4,200.			
Insurance, \$2,500.			

Watertown, Trinity Church.

THE REV. RUSSELL A. OLIN, S. T. D., RECTOR.

FREDERICK P. WINNE, ARNOLD H. REDDING, Assistant Ministers.

Families .....	380	Marriages .....	25
Baptisms—Ad. 22, Inf. 81 .....	103	Burials.....	70
Communicants — last reported		Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 348,	504
825, ad. 54, rec. 13, died 11.		Holy Communion—pub 78, priv 41,	119
rem. 5, present no. non-resi-		S. S. Teachers 46, Scholars 475..	521
dent 93. resident 780 .....	873		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 429 28	Mission of Redeemer .....	\$ 327 01
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	5,107 36	“ St. Andrew.....	126 58
Sunday School.....	534 81	“ St. Lawrence...	2,544 47
Altar Vestments, &c.....	104 92	Bishop's Chaplain.....	66 00
Easter Flowers .....	10 42	Missions—Dom., W. A. bxs.	258 59
Ladies' Aid.....	21 75	Foreign .....	54 12
Diocesan Missions .....	713 90	Parochial Mission Society..	4 00
Mission Redeemer, S.S.bxs.	101 25	Colored people.....	17 48
General Fund .....	75 00	Bishop Brewer.....	327 23
Christmas Fund .....	101 91	“ “ Girls' Friendly	5 00
Building Fund .....	29 64	“ “ W. A., cash...	90 00
Episcopate Fund, increase of	173 05	“ “ Jr. Aux., cash	3 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	20 02	“ “ Jr Aux., bxs.	55 78
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y	25 51		
Parochial, \$6,208.64; Diocesan, \$4,304.34; General, \$815.20.....		\$11,328 18	

Church Property—Church, \$90,000: Rectory, \$12,000; Parish House, \$37,000: \$139,000. Insurance, \$68,500.

On the 12th of October, the corner stone of the new Mission Church of St. Andrew was laid at Wood Falls, three miles north of Watertown on the Brownville road. The first service in the church was held on New Year's eve. Services have since been held every week, on Thursdays and Sundays, by the Rev. A. H. Redding, with growing attendance. The cost of the new church, \$2,300, has been met in part by Messrs. C. R. and C. H. Remington, who have given over \$800. The Trinity Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew have assumed the balance. The present indebtedness is about \$1,200.

Jefferson County : Watertown.

Watertown, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES MORTIMER CARR, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles D. Wright, Lewis F. Phillips.

Families .....	150	Burials.....	11
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 19 .....	25	Services—Sund. 144, weekd. 80..	224
Communicants—rec. 5, died 4,		Holy Communion—pub. 45, priv. 6,	51
rem. 6, present no.....	214	S. S. Teachers 20, Scholars 144..	164
Marriages .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	119 21	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 13 32
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,157 93	Episcopate Fund.....	12 00
Sunday School.....	124 48	Bishop's Chaplain .....	15 00
Stone walk .....	500 00	Missions—Domestic .....	42 33
Girls' Friendly Society ....	34 55	“ W. A. bxs.	75 25
Woman's Guild.....	301 18	Foreign .....	12 00
Thanksgiving Offering to		Colored People..	12 00
House of Good Samaritan	28 41	Deaf Mutes .....	10 50
Diocesan Missions.....	141 56	Increase of the Ministry...	20 00
“ “ W. A. bxs	58 54	Church, Kyoto, Japan, ....	3 64
General Fund.....	5 58		
Parochial, \$5,265.76; Diocesan, \$246; General, \$175.72. ....			\$5,687 48

Church Property—Church, \$38,500.

Indebtedness, \$20,000. Insurance, \$12,000.

The Rev. Charles M. Carr became rector of the parish in September.

Mrs. Mary A. Sherman, a sincere Christian and a devoted member of this parish, who departed this life May 1st, in the eighty-sixth year of her age, has left a legacy of \$3,000 to the parish, \$500 to Diocesan Missions, and \$500 to the House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown.

Watertown, Mission of the Redeemer.

THE REV. ARNOLD H. REDDING, MISSIONARY.

Services—Sund. 24, weekd 44 ...	68	S. S. Teachers 14, Scholars 90...	104
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OFFERINGS.

Sunday School..... \$	77 14	Missions—Foreign, S. S....	10 00
From Envelopes, &c.....	79 91		
Parochial, \$157.05; General, \$10.00.....			\$ 167 05

Church Property—Mission House, \$4,000. Indebtedness, \$350.

Insurance, \$2,000.

The Mission is still under the charge of Trinity Church. The Rev. Mr. Redding began his work at the beginning of November, since which time the interest in the Mission has steadily grown. There is a present prospect of its soon becoming a separate center of Church work. Several of the items pertaining to the Mission are this year reported under Trinity Church.

Lewis County : Constableville—Lowville.

Lewis County.

Constableville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM G. BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—William A. Johnson, Levi M. Plumb.

Families .....	38	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 2. Inf. 6.....	8	Burials.....	2
Confirmed.....	6	Services—Sund. 56, weekd. 67...	123
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.18,priv.2	20
79. all others 5. ad. 7, rec. 2,		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 55 ...	62
died 1, rem. 8, pres. no.....	84		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 38 20	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 3 81
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	505 63	C.N.Y. Prayer Book Society	78
Sunday School.....	19 45	Bishop's Chaplain.....	6 72
Repairs and Improvements	12 25	Rev. Mr. Scott. W. A.....	3 00
Gifts to Rector .....	92 92	H. G. S., Sy., W. A. bx ...	11 75
Altar linen.....	1 10	Missions—Domestic. ....	1 85
Guild.....	43 34	Foreign .....	81
Diocesan Missions.....	64 91	Indian, W.A.bxs	12 30
General Fund.....	10 49	Increase of the Ministry....	1 00
Christmas Fund.....	3 06	S. S. Lenten Offering .....	10 18
Building Fund.....	3 00	Jun. Aux. bx.....	10 00

Parochial, \$711.97; Diocesan. \$107.53; General, \$36.14..... \$855 63  
Church Property—Church, \$1,000; Fund, \$1,800: \$2,800.

The Guild has paid \$75 towards Rector's salary, included in that item. A handsome brass cross was placed on the Altar at Christmas in memory of two deceased communicants. I have celebrated the Holy Communion in private once at Greig, and officiated at two funerals there during the conventional year.

Lowville, Trinity Church.

Wardens—Henry C. Northam, Frederick McCulloch.

Families .....	102	Burials. ....	6
Baptisms—Ad. 2. Inf. 9....	11	Services—Sund. 46, weekd. 6....	52
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public ....	6
70, all others 50, died 5, pres. no	115	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 45....	52
Marriages .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 16 89	Convocation Missions .....	\$7 48
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	732 14	Infirm Clergy.. ....	1 55
Repairs and Improvements	75 00	Thanksgiving .....	2 31
Parish House.....	5 85	Bishop's Chaplain.....	8 05
Diocesan Missions.....	20 93	Missions—Domestic .....	1 85
General Fund .....	6 25		

Parochial, \$829.88; Diocesan, \$46.57; General, \$1.34 ..... \$877 75  
Church Property—Church, \$12,000; Rectory and building lot \$5,000.  
Insurance, \$8,000.

This report as above given covers the time from May 1, 1891, to January 1, 1892.

Lewis County : Port Leyden.—Madison County : Cazenovia.

Port Leyden, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM G. BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Lewis W. Riggs, Frank S. Holmes.

Families .....	30	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Infants.....	2	Services—Sund. 47, weekd. 4....	51
Confirmed.....	2	Holy Communion—public.....	14
Communicants.....	40	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20....	23

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 11 68	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 21 47
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	168 41	General Fund.....	2 75
Sunday School.....	7 23	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 28
Gifts to Rector .....	3 60		
Parochial, \$190.92; Diocesan, \$25.50.....			\$216 43

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,000.

The assessment for salary of Bishop's Chaplain, and balance due on General Fund for the year, were paid by the Rector out of the Communion Alms.

Madison County.

Cazenovia, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN T. ROSE, RECTOR.

Wardens—John V. Needham, William Watkins.

Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 22.....	29	Burials.....	8
Confirmed.....	11	Services—Sund. 124, weekd. 107.	231
Communicants—died 1, rem. 3,		Holy Communion—public.....	52
pres no.....	132	S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 94...	105

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$89 60	General Fund.....	\$ 45 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,140 10	Christmas Fund....	23 42
Sunday School.....	100 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 26
Repairs and Improvements	123 25	Convocational Expenses...	18 39
Thanksgiving Offering ....	35 25	Theological Education....	18 05
Charity.....	88 00	Missions—Domestic .....	20 00
Other Parochial Objects....	50 00	“ W. A. bxs.	12 75
Diocesan Missions .....	201 94	Foreign .....	50 00
“ “ Special ....	41 00	Westcott Memorial.....	10 00
“ “ W. A. bxs..	77 60		
Parochial, \$2,616.20; Diocesan, \$430.66; General, \$92.75.....			\$ 3,149 61

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Organ, \$1,80 0; Trus Fund, \$2,000: \$10,800. Insurance, \$5,000.

Madison County: Canastota—Chittenango—Earlville.

Canastota, Trinity Church.

THE REV. F. P. TOMPKINS, RECTOR.

Trustees—William H. Patten, President; William Taylor, Secretary; George H. Ottaway, Treasurer; Thomas Coles, Albert O. Briggs, Joseph Johnson, Edwin T. Frederick.

Families .....	40	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 10 ..	62
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 6.....	8	Holy Communion—pub. 5, priv. 1	6
Confirmed.....	11	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 67....	74
Communicants—within two years			
45, all others 16, ad. 11, rec. 5,			
died 1, rem. 4, pres. no.....	56		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary.. \$	223 53	Debt. ....	\$ 26 00
Sunday School .....	25 67	Diocesan Missions .....	1 00
Insurance ..	24 00	Christmas Fund. ....	20 00
Note.....	50 00	Missions—Colored W. A. bx	12 00
Parochial, \$349.20; Diocesan, \$21; General, \$12.....			\$382 20
Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,500.			

Chittenango, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. F. P. TOMPKINS, RECTOR.

Wardens—J. H. H. French, T. M. Hatch.

Families.....	19	Services—Sunday .....	46
Baptism—Infant.....	1	Holy Communion—public.....	2
Communicants.....	25	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary.. \$	347 93	General Fund. ....	\$ 8 00
Sunday School.....	14 00		
Parochial, \$361.93; Diocesan, \$8.00.....			\$ 369 93
Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.			

Earlville, Grace Church.

REPORTED BY JOHN SMILEY, LAY READER.

Trustees—I. W. Rowe, LeRoy Nash.

Families.....	29	Services—Sund. 98, weekd. 6 ...	104
Baptisms—Adult.....	3	Holy Communion—public.....	6
Confirmed .....	1	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30....	35
Communicants—within two years			
19, all others 38, ad. 2, rec. 1,			
rem. 4, pres. no.....	34		

Madison County : Hamilton—Oneida.

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	311 15	Repairs and Improvements, \$	21 45
Sunday School.....	5 60	Diocesan Missions.....	13 00
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Parochial, \$338.20; Diocesan, \$13.00. ....		\$	351 20
Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,500.			

Hamilton, St. Thomas' Church.

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

Wardens—Joseph Mason, B. J. Stimson.

Baptism—Adult.....	1	Burials.....	7
Confirmed ....	12	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 50....	56
Marriage .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	759 94	General Fund.....\$	8 00
Sunday School.....	75 87	Christmas Fund.....	4 48
Repairs and Improvements,	138 71	Shelter, Syracuse bx.....	20 00
Diocesan Missions.....	24 09		<hr/>
Parochial, \$964.52; Diocesan, \$56.57.....		\$1,031 09	
Church Property—Church, \$3,800; Rectory, \$1,600: \$5,400.			
Insurance, \$4,500.			

Oneida, St. John's Church.

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. W. Mott, E. F. Jewell.

Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 13 .....	15	Burials .....	6
Confirmed .....	23	Services—Sund. 98, weekd. 94...	192
Communicants—rec. 4, died 2,		Holy Communion—pub. 64, priv. 2,	66
rem. 9, present no.....	230	S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 75...	86
Marriages .....	5		



Oneida County : Augusta.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 30 00	Shelter, Jun. A. bxs.....	\$ 30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,515 54	General Fund.....	40 00
Sunday School.....	18 19	Christmas Fund .....	14 89
Repairs and Improvements,	5 94	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	16 00
Indebtedness.....	215 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	15 00
Parish Workers Organ Fund	931 01	Westcott Memorial, W. A..	3 00
Parish Workers.....	164 09	Missions—Domestic .....	21 31
Charity, Thanksgiving Off'g.	14 97	Foreign .....	8 31
Parish Paper .....	129 50	Deaf Mutes . . .	16 00
Lenten Offerings.....	28 43	General Missions S. S. Lent	29 34
Music .....	31 34	Bishop Walker.....	12 50
Insurance .....	29 00	Bishop Graves, W. A. ....	15 00
New Church Fund, Easter..	125 00	Bishop Graves, W. A. bx..	12 00
Diocesan Missions .....	61 28	Bishop Brewer Fund, W.A.,	2 00
Shelter, W. A. bx.....	35 00	Col. School, Va., W. A. bx..	30 00

Parochial, \$3,238; Diocesan, \$215.17; General, \$146.46.....\$3,599 63

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Rectory, \$5,000: \$15,000.

Insurance, \$7,500.

Oneida County.

Augusta, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—George Hayward, Horatio Scott.

Families .....	15	Communicants.....	15
Baptisms—Adult . . . . .	6	Services—Sund. 20, weekd. 3 ...	23
Confirmed .....	2	Holy Communion—public .....	4

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 4 00	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 11 09
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	63 04	General Fund.....	5 00
S. S. Mite boxes, Easter ...	3 00	Missions—Colored People..	3 00
Other Parochial Objects ...	26 43		
Parochial, \$36.47; Diocesan, \$26.53; General, \$3.00 .....			\$ 126 05

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

The Parish was without a Rector from June 1, 1891, to November 1, 1891. During that time Rev. Mr. Averitt officiated two Sundays, Rev. Mr. Cooke one, and Rev. Russell Todd one. The Baptisms noted above took place in the Hathaway School House Mission, where there were twenty Sunday and one week day services up to May. The offerings received were \$10.49.

*Oneida County : Boonville—Camden—Clarks Mills.*

**Boonville, Trinity Church.**

REPORTED BY L. F. MOSHER, LAY READER.

Warden—William F. Owens.

Families .....	49	Marriage .....	1
Communicants.....	74	Services—Sunday ....	2

Church Property—Church, \$7,500; Insurance, \$5,000.

The two services were held the first Sunday in May, 1891, and conducted by the Rev. Mr. Atwell, Deacon-in-charge.

**Camden, Trinity Church.**

THE REV. JOEL DAVIS, RECTOR.

Wardens—P. B. Miller, A. W. Abbott.

Families .....	36	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 7.....	12	Burials.....	8
Confirmed .....	6	Services—Sund. 46, weekd. 52...	98
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	12
9, ad. 1, rec. 3, died 5, rem. 4,		S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 30....	38
pres. no.....	75		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 82 00	C.N.Y. Prayer Book. Soc..	\$ 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	700 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	4 00
Sunday School.....	10 00	Missions—Domestic, S. S..	3 40
Repairs and Improvements	20 00	Foreign .....	9 69
Parish purposes, by K. D..	67 40	Indian, W.A. bx.	10 00
Easter Offerings.....	35 65	Jews.....	75
Diocesan Missions.....	35 00	Bishop Brewer Fund.....	5 00
General Fund.....	1 30	Bishop Graves, W. A. bx..	25 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 00		
Parochial, \$915.05; Diocesan, \$44.80; General, \$53.84.....			\$1,013 69

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

**Clark's Mills, St. Mark's Church.**

THE REV. E. C. ALCORN, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	9	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 7. ....	8	Burials.....	5
Confirmed ..	3	Services—Sund. 61, weekd. 13...	74
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	12
16, all others 8, ad. 3, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 25....	27
rem. 3, pres. no.....	24		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 9 00	Repairs and Improvements	\$183 78
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	66 66	Diocesan Missions.....	2 07
Sunday School.....	5 65	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 57

Parochial, \$265.09; Diocesan, \$5.64..... \$270 73

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

Indebtedness, \$530. Insurance, \$1,200.

Onondaga County : Clinton—Durhamville—Holland Patent.

Clinton, St. James' Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, Rector.

Wardens—Charles H. Smythe, David Mannering.

Families.....	80	Burials.....	20
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 9.....	10	Services—Sund. 116, weekd. 106	222
Communicants—died 2, rem. 13		Holy Communion—pub. 28, priv. 1	29
pres. no.....	179	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 100..	110
Marriages.....	3		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 35 44	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 69 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,223 95	Missions—Domestic .....	13 58
Sunday School.....	162 38	“ W. A. bxs.	54 00
Repairs and Improvements	15 00		
Parochial, \$1,436.77; Diocesan, \$69; General, \$67.58.....			\$1,573.35

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$9,200.

Indebtedness, \$450. Insurance, \$5,000.

Durhamville, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR, Missionary.

D. Ward Clark, Lay Reader.

Baptisms—Infant .....	4	Services—Sund. 66, weekd. 5....	71
Confirmed .....	3	Holy Communion—public.....	4
Communicants—rem. 4, pres. no.	38	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30
Burial .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses.....	\$ 114 56	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 4 45
Sunday School.....	8 22	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 46
Ladies' Guild.....	19 63	Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 50
Young People's Society....	20 00	S. S. Lent General Missions	4 44

Parochial, \$162.41; Diocesan, \$9.41; General, \$1.44.....\$ 176 26

Church Property—Church, \$2,200. Insurance, \$1,700.

Holland Patent, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. F. B. COSSITT, Rector.

Wardens—J. H. Wetmore, E. W. Peabody.

Families... ..	24	Burial.....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 5.....	6	Services—Sund. 60, weekd. 16...	76
Confirmed .....	2	Holy Communion—public.....	13
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 32....	36
30, all others 10, ad. 2, pres. no	40		

Oneida County : Oriskany—Oriskany Falls.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 9 00	Building Fund.....	\$ 1 23
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	400 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 85
Sunday School ..	10 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y,	1 20
Diocesan Missions .....	29 34	Bishop's Chaplain.....	3 00
"    "    S. S.....	4 02	St. Luke's Hospital, Utica,	10 00
Christmas Fund .....	1 45		
Parochial, \$419.00; Diocesan, \$54.09.....			\$ 473 09

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

This report includes the work of the Lay Reader, Prof. W. S. Knowlson, during the winter and spring.

Oriskany, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JAMES K. PARKER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Andrew J. Niles, George H. Yoxall.

Families.....	50	Burials.....	11
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 10.....	17	Services—Sund. 54, weekd. 28...	82
Confirmed .....	4	Holy Communion—pub. 14, priv. 1	15
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 75....	81
65, all others 20; pres. no.. ..	85		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 4 63	Diocesan Missions. ....	\$ 20 59
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	318 39	General Fund .....	1 71
Sunday School.....	49 02	Christmas Fund .....	1 00
Repairs and Improvements.	5 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	3 10
Gifts and Memorials .....	37 25	St. Luke's Hospital, H. H..	8 00
Ladies' Aid Society.....	561 31	Missions—Domestic, W. A.	8 00
St. Peter's Improvement Soc.	17 00	"    S. S...	11 39
Other Parochial Objects....	25	"    W. A. bxs	14 15

Parochial, \$992.85; Diocesan, \$34.40; General, \$33.54.....\$1,060 79

Church Property—Church, \$4,500. Insurance, \$2,250.

Oriskany Falls, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, MISSIONARY.

Committee—E. S. Hamblin, H. A. Langley.

Families. ....	36	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Adult .....	3	Services—Sund. 43, weekd. 38...	81
Confirmed .....	13	Holy Communion—pub. 4, priv. 1	5
Communicants.....	40	S. S. Teachers 6. Scholars 42....	48

Onelda County : Paris—Rome.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$7 17	Gifts to Missionary.....	\$ 20 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	153 78	Diocesan Missions.....	17 28
Sunday School.....	5 89	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 67
Repairs and Improvements	3 80	Missions—Domestic.....	12 00
Busy Workers.....	33 00	“ W. A. bxs.	5 00

Parochial, \$223.64; Diocesan, \$23.95; General, \$17.00..... \$264 59

Church Property--Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$100: \$3,100.

Insurance, \$2,000.

This parish was without a Rector from June 1, 1891, to November 1, 1891, when the present Missionary was placed in charge. The confirmation was postponed to May 15; otherwise the report covers six months only: November 1, 1891, to May 1, 1892, inclusive.

Paris, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. B. E. WHIPPLE, RECTOR.

Wardens—D. C. Addington, H. M. Rouse.

Families.....	34	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 6 .....	7	Burials.....	8
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 56, weekd. 11...	67
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 15, priv. 1,	16
62, all others 6, rec. 1, died 1,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 52....	57
rem. 4, present no.....	68		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 7 00	Guild .....	\$30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	380 00	Daughters of the Church ..	35 52
Sunday School.....	35 00	Diocesan Missions.....	18 98
Repairs and Improvements,	20 00	General Fund .....	2 00
Gifts to Rector.....	25 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 37

Parochial, \$512.52; Diocesan, \$23.35 .....\$ 535 87

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$5,000.

Indebtedness, \$200. Insurance, \$3,800.

Rome, Zion Church.

THE REV. JOHN H. EAGAR, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Thomas M. Flandrau, M. D., George Barnard.

Families .....	250	Burials.....	24
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 17 .....	27	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 120	220
Confirmed. ....	29	Holy Communion—pub. 52, priv 2	54
Communicants.....	400	S. S. Teachers 26, Scholars 225..	251
Marriages .....	11		

Oneida County : Rome.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$ 131 76	Christmas Fund .....	\$18 90
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,131 14	Building Fund .....	11 29
Sunday School.....	145 39	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	18 28
Repairs and Improvements	59 90	Bishop's Chaplain.....	11 77
Choir Festival .....	62 00	Missions—Domestic.....	39 45
New Carpet for Church....	530 99	“ “ W. A.....	71 93
Altar Society.....	19 50	“ “ W. A. bxs..	180 25
Daily Lent collections.....	49 52	Foreign .....	35 50
Thanksgiving for Rector...	43 92	Colored People..	13 75
P. A. S. for Memorial Hall	599 87	Jews. ....	5 09
Easter, for choir stalls, etc.	263 44	Deaf Mutes .....	7 25
Diocesan Missions .....	263 77	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y	11 57
General Fund .....	35 00		
Parochial, \$5,017.43; Diocesan, \$359.01; General, \$314.70.....\$ 5,691 14			

Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$3,000: Memorial Hall, \$10,000: \$33,000. Insurance \$10,000.

In addition to the above offerings, a Memorial Pulpit in memory of the late John and Frances E. Stryker, and a Memorial Altar Rail in memory of Mrs. Sarah Alexander Champion, have been erected in the Church by members of their respective families. The pulpit is a beautiful work of brass and marble, and the altar rail of brass and oak.

Rome, St. Joseph's Church.

THE REV. JOSEPH M. HAYMAN, MISSIONARY.

Treasurer—George Davis.

Families .....	42	Burials .....	2
Baptisms—Infants .....	11	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 6...	110
Confirmed .....	19	Holy Communion—public.....	12
Communicants—all others 77, ad.		S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 60....	68
19, received 4, died 1, rem. 2,			
present no. ....	100		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$ 6 00	Other Parochial Objects ...	\$ 4 75
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	174 75	Diocesan Missions.....	8 01
Sunday School.....	50 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 31
Repairs and Improvements.	429 57	H. G. S. Syracuse.....	5 35

Parochial, \$664.87; Diocesan, \$17.67.....\$ 682 54

Church Property—Church, \$18,000. Indebtedness, \$2,500.

Insurance, \$7,000.

Onondaga County : Utica.

Utica, Calvary Church.

THE REV. ALFRED B. GOODRICH, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Alonzo Churchill, M. D., Irvin A. Williams.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 35... ..	38	Burials.....	38
Confirmed .....	18	Services—Sund. 155, weekd. 92..	247
Communicants—ad. 19, rec. 15,		Holy Communion....	24
died 5, rem. 8, pres. no.....	473	S. S. Tcachers 40, Scholars 300..	340
Marriages.....	9		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$67 62	N. Y. Mills, Jun. Aux.....	\$13 60
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,230 00	" K. D.....	10 00
Sunday School .....	505 74	H. G. S., Utica .....	117 00
Clerical Supply.....	82 00	Christian Association.....	19 64
Repairs.....	17 50	Other Utica Charities.....	504 32
" by Ladies' Society..	206 85	Missions—Domestic S. S...	27 00
Altar Society....	111 00	" W. A. bxs.	56 60
King's Daughters.....	61 45	" G.F.S.bxs.	18 00
Girls' Friendly Society.....	57 00	" K. D. bx..	5 00
St. Andrew's Brotherhood.	104 76	" J.Aux.bxs.	46 00
Special Charities.....	206 21	Foreign, S. S....	25 00
Lenten Expenses.....	19 58	" Jun. Aux.	5 00
Printing... ..	31 50	" K. D.....	3 00
Evening Prayer Leaflets...	39 00	Colored People..	5 00
Music .....	23 50	" W. A. bxs.	61 20
Hymnals and Tracts..	17 50	Indian, W.A.bxs.	71 40
Gifts to Rector and wife....	250 00	Red Lodge, Montana, S. S.	25 00
Other Parochial Objects....	1,229 68	Bishop Atwill, S. S.....	25 00
Diocesan Missions.....	105 00	Bishop Brewer W. A.....	7 50
" " Special ..	15 50	Missions in Tenn. W. A....	18 76
General Fund.....	20 00	" " Jnn. Aux.	11 07
Christmas Fund. ....	18 00	" Minn. W. A...	13 30
Bishop's Chaplain. ....	26 00	Buffalo, Wy. T., K. D....	25 00
Expenses "Mission" .....	30 00	Mexican Mission.....	22 00
St. James', N. Y. Mills, G. F. S.	25 00	Enrollment Fund, K. D....	5 00

Parochial, \$6,260.80; Diocesan, \$894.06; General. \$476.33.....\$7,631 19

Church Property—Church, \$50,000; Rectory, \$8,000; Chapel, \$3,000: \$61,000. Insurance, \$26,000.

Utica, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES T. OLMSTED, RECTOR.

THE REV. WILLIAM COOKE, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Wardens—William H. Watson, M. D., L. C. Childs.

Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 19 .....	27	Burials.....	16
Confirmed.....	28	Services—Sund. 227, weekd. 588.	815
Communicants—ad. 25. rec. 27,		Holy Communion—public 129,	
died 7, rem. 11, pres. no.....	499	private 1 .....	138
Marriages .....	5	S. S. Teachers 21, Scholars 117..	198

Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 469 12	St. Luke's Home and Hos-	
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	7,483 43	pital.....	\$3,493 00
Sunday School.....	99 40	Missions—Domestic.....	269 82
Repairs and Improvements	465 97	Foreign.....	282 71
Altar Society.....	298 51	General, S. S ...	93 33
Girls' Friendly Society ....	150 47	Colored S. S.....	60 00
Sending Choir to Watertown	92 20	Other gifts, S. S.	57 03
Balance of Organ Fund ...	670 51	W. A.....	1,365 50
Parish Bulletin.....	96 07	W. A. bxs.....	743 51
St. Andrew's Chapel .....	2,259 04	Jews..	50 00
Other Parochial Objects....	115 00	Deaf Mutes.....	100 00
Diocesan Missions .....	806 81	Increase of the Ministry...	16 32
"    "    Special....	65 00	Church Building Fund.....	350 00
General Fund.....	92 80	Faribault .....	35 00
Christmas Fund.....	88 64	Ladies' Aid Society, bxs...	489 00
Poor Family, S. S. Class...	10 48	Parochial Missions Society.	161 70
Bishop's Chaplain.....	50 00	Missionary Bishops.....	295 00
C.N.Y. Prayer Book Society	1 00	General Clergy Relief.....	100 00
Ladies' Aid Society, bxs...	463 25	Fresh Air Fund, etc.....	175 00
Christian Association, Utica	49 50	Relief for Russia and Japan	125 00
Home for Aged Men, "    "	285 00	Miscellaneous .....	314 50
H. G. S., Utica.....	181 00		
Parochial, \$12,199.72; Diocesan, \$5,591.49; General, \$5,033.42...			\$22,874 62

Church Property—Church, \$130,000. Insurance, \$47,000.

During the year a Chapel has been built for St. Andrew's Mission on Faxon street, which was opened by the Bishop on Advent Sunday. The services there are included in the above report. The Sunday School has 10 teachers and about 70 scholars. A general parochial mission for all the parishes in the city was held in Grace Church in February, the services of which are also reported. The offerings for the "Missions Society," as above, came partly from members of other parishes, but are reported only here. Of the gifts to St. Luke's Hospital, \$3,000 was from a member of the Parish for the endowment of a free bed.

Utica, Memorial Church of the Holy Cross.

THE REV. JAMES J. BURD, RECTOR.

Trustees—The Right Rev. F. D. Huntington, James Egan, Edward D. Brandegee, W. W. Canfield, D. W. Swezey, A. R. Mitchell, Charles Higginson, Sr.

Families .....	110	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf, 18.....	20	Burials .....	17
Confirmed .....	19	Services—Sund. 203, weekd. 122..	330
Communicants—ad. 19, rec. 31,		Holy Communion—pub. 82, priv.2	84
died 2, rem. 9, present no.....	170	S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 110..	122



Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 34 43	Diocesan Massions.....	\$76 68
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,367 79	“ “ W. A....	33 00
Repairs and Improvements.	160 23	“ “ W.A.bxs.	8 00
Easter, for Building Fund..	705 81	Building Fund.....	3 86
Convention Expenses .....	3 45	Bishop's Relief Fund, (Grace,	
Girls' Friendly Society.....	38 67	Calvary and Holy Cross).	20 03
Gift of Money to J. E.....	40 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	9 00
Woman's Guild.....	191 33	St. Andrew's Divinity School	11 14
Altar Guild.....	18 97	Missions—Foreign.....	3 11
Offering at the consecration		Jews .....	1 73
of the Church for the		New York Prayer Book Soc.	2 85
Tower.....	101 31	General Missions, S. S.....	51 19
Other Parochial Objects....	15 00		
Parochial, \$2,671.49; Diocesan, \$461.71; General, \$58.87.....			\$2,892 07
Church Property—Church, \$33,000; Chapel, \$1,100: \$34,000.			
Insurance, \$12,700.			

The hope expressed last year has been fulfilled. The new Church was consecrated by the Bishop on the eve of the Epiphany, 1892. Contract has been let for the building of 27 feet of the tower, and the work on it progresses satisfactorily. Many valuable gifts of church ornaments have been received, which, for the most part, are included in the estimate of Church property, as altar cross, candlesticks, chest for altar vestments, Bishop's chair, chancel rail, pulpit, lectern, corona, etc. In addition to the services reported above, the usual weekly services have been held at the House of the Good Shepherd.

Utica, St. George's Church.

THE REV. W. B. COLEMAN, RECTOR.

Wardens—William M. Gibson, M. D., Edward Trevvett.

Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 18.....	28	Marriages.....	6
Confirmed .....	13	Burials.....	23
Communicants.....	132	S, S. Teachers.....	7

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 68 51	Diocesan Missions W. A. bx	18 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,787 21	Christmas Fund.....	1 00
Sunday School.....	78 13	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	6 74
Repairs and Improvements,	250 00	Missions—Dom. W. A. bxs	87 96
Other Parochial Objects....	95 25	“ Jews .....	91
Diocesan Missions.....	5 00		
Parochial, \$2,279.10; Diocesan, \$80.74; General, \$88.87.....			\$2,398 71

Oneida County : Utica.

Utica, St. Luke's Memorial Church.

THE REV. BERNARD SCHULTE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry Hopson, Richard W. Oastler.

Families.....	300	Services—Sund. 208, weekd. 172,	380
Baptisms—Ad. 19, Inf. 127.....	146	Holy Communion—public 109,	
Confirmed.....	54	private 88 .....	147
Communicants.....	568	S. S. Teachers 35, Scholars 490..	515
Marriages .....	47	Parish School—Teachers 8, Schol-	
Burials.....	71	ars 101.....	109

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	108 10	Needy Churches.....\$	30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,050 50	Local charities.....	180 00
Sunday School.....	401 80	Special gifts, &c.....	170 00
Repairs and Improvements,	281 00	Missions—Domestic.....	22 71
Taxes and assessments.....	740 00	“ S. S.....	11 50
Altar Society.....	101 00	Foreign ... ..	10 01
Girls' Friendly Society.....	180 00	Colored People..	7 80
Special for the Poor.....	157 80	Indian.....	15 81
Choir, &c.....	109 10	“ W. A. bxs	160 00
Other Parochial Objects...	393 00	Jews .....	5 10
Diocesan Missions.....	41 80	Deaf Mutes.....	10 00
General Fund.....	10 00	Special gifts to Missionaries,	110 00
Christmas Fund. ... ..	16 01	Aid to Students. ....	50 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	14 16	Various Churches in the West	83 00
Clerical aid.....	75 00		
Parochial, \$4,522.30; Diocesan, \$536.90; General, \$485.93..			\$5,545 13

Church Property—Church, \$28,000; Rectory, \$8,000; Parish Building Fund, \$1,000: \$32,000. Indebtedness, \$2,300. Insurance, \$4,000.

Utica, Trinity Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM D. MAXON, RECTOR.

Wardens—Miles C. Comstock, William M. Storrs.

Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 18.....	27	Marriages.....	9
Confirmed.....	20	Burials.....	17
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 16, Scholars 82...	98
223, all others 64, an. 18, rec. 7,			
died 3, rem. 5, pres. no.....	284		

Oneida County : Waterville.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 64 21	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 198 32
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,820 09	General Fund.....	35 00
Sunday School.....	106 47	Christmas Fund.....	23 28
Repairs and Improvements,	758 35	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	11 41
Church debt, principal.....	600 00	To Bishop for Theological	
Altar Chapter.....	81 35	Education.....	60 00
Girls' Friendly Society.....	65 63	Missions—Domestic.....	54 59
Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	42 50	“ W. A. bxs	341 50
Special Building Fund.....	816 88	Foreign.....	32 31
Parochial Tracts, etc.....	42 06	General Missions.....	38 74
The Parish Record.....	132 60	Deaf Mutes.....	20 15
Other Parochial Objects....	311 00	Am. Church Building Fund.	14 43

Parochial, \$6,841.14; Diocesan, \$328.01; General, \$496.72.....\$7,665 87

Church Property—Church, \$15,000; Rectory, \$4,500; Chapel and Lot \$5,000: \$24,500. Indebtedness, \$1,000. Insurance, \$18,700.

Waterville, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES BATTLE AVIRETT, RECTOR.

Wardens—Amos O. Osborn, Richard Berrill.

Families.....	89	Marriages.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 24.....	34	Burials.....	7
Confirmed.....	23	Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 151,	307
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public	60,
147 all others 4, ad. 23, rec. 7,		private 1.....	81
died 4, rem. 3, pres. no.....	174	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 76....	84

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 115 06	Shelter, Syr. Jun. Aux. bx. \$	15 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,324 39	General Fund.....	35 00
Sunday School.....	95 15	Christmas Fund.....	21 34
Repairs and Improvements	1,623 57	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	29 41
Fund for Parish House....	400 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	10 00
Thanksgiving Offering. ...	73 25	Missions—Domestic.....	28 53
Rector's Aid Association...	60 45	“ W. A. bxs.	111 25
St. Andrew's Brotherhood..	45 90	Foreign.....	15 93
Gifts to Rector and family,	375 75	Colored, W.A.bxs	50 00
Vestments.....	19 90	Indian W. A. bxs	62 00
Diocesan Missions.....	64 56	Jews.....	15 75

Parochial, \$4,133.82; Diocesan, \$175.31; General, \$283.47. ....\$4,592 60

Church Property—Church, \$7,500; Rectory, \$4,000. Insurance, \$8,200.

The Church is now being greatly improved in the judicious outlay of \$1,200 in frescoing, rich carpets and upholstering, with kneeling stools throughout, the generous gift of Mrs. Richard Henry Lee, not included in the above. Beside the above handsome showing of the Woman's Auxiliary they gave \$75 towards the Parish expenses in the payment of the sexton's salary, included in the above.

Oneida County : Westmoreland—Whitesboro.

Westmoreland, Gethsemane Church.

THE REV. E. C. ALCORN, RECTOR.

Wardens—Amos Barnes, Samuel G. Smith.

Families.....	23	Marriage.....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 3.....	7	Burials.....	6
Confirmed.....	5	Services—Sund. 85, weekd. 50...	145
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 24, priv. 1	25
31, all others 8, ad. 5, died 1,			
rem. 1, pres. no.....	39		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$9 67	General Fund.....	\$ 9 43
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	444 50	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 50
Sunday School.....	5 07	Missions—General.....	7 60
Diocesan Missions.....	42 00	“ W. A. bxs	8 00

Parochial, \$459.25; Diocesan, \$55.93; General, \$15..... \$530 17  
Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Whitesboro, St. John's Church.

THE REV. JAMES K. PARKER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Frederick E. Hyde, M. D., Edward G. Wagner.

Families.....	50	Burials.....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 14.....	17	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 92,.	196
Confirmed.....	9	Holy Communion—pub. 41, priv. 2	43
Communicants.....	85	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 40....	44
Marriages.....	9		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$47 54	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 4 68
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	345 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	2 50
Sunday School.....	18 80	St. Luke's Hospital, H. H..	4 00
Repairs and Improvements	6 00	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary....	1 50
Gifts and Memorials.....	70 50	Missions—Domestic.....	7 07
Legacy of Miss Hubbard...	150 00	“ S. S.....	13 72
Ladies' Aid Society.....	70 90	“ W. A. bxs.	9 00
Girls' Friendly Society.....	65 15	Foreign.....	3 00
St. Andrew's Guild.....	20 50	Colored S. S.....	1 75
Altar Guild.....	5 00	“ W. A. bxs.	7 50
Fund for Bell.....	66 71	Philo White Scholarship	
Other Parochial Objects....	38 03	Foreign W. A....	30 00
Diocesan Missions.....	45 47	Bishop Brewer.....	1 50
General Fund.....	3 26	Winslow, Ark., W. A. ....	2 00
Christmas Fund ..	11 27	Mrs. Buford's Hospital....	5 00

Parochial, \$904.15; Diocesan, \$72.68; General, \$30.54.....\$1,057 37  
Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

St. James' Mission at New York Mills. Services 42. Confirmation 1.  
Offerings \$174.21. Church Property \$3,000.

*Onondaga County: Baldwinsville—Fayetteville.*

**Onondaga County.**

**Baldwinsville, Grace Church.**

THE REV. W. M. BEAUCHEAMP, S. T. D., RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Isaac M. Baldwin, Richard Richardson.

Families .....	75	Marriage.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 2 .....	10	Burials.....	29
Confirmed.....	20	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 28..	128
Communicants—ad. 21, rec. 4		Holy Communion—pub. 15, priv. 3	18
died 5, pres. no.....	158	N. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75....	84

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 62 01	Christmas Fund.....	\$11 07
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,100 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	7 81
Sunday Schools.....	27 95	N. Y. Prayer Book Society	7 00
Repairs and Improvements	470 00	Bishop's Chaplain....	10 00
Easter.....	60 00	Onondaga Indian Mission..	5 00
Thanksgiving.....	23 39	Missions—Domestic .....	6 00
Christmas Tree.....	50 00	Foreign..	3 00
Young People's Guild.....	190 17	Colored People..	6 00
Miscellaneous.....	40 00	“ W. A. bxs.	54 00
Diocesan Missions.....	61 00	Increase of the Ministry..	5 00
“ “ W. A. bxs.	90 15	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	5 00
General Fund .....	20 00		
Parochial, \$2,023.52 Diocesan, \$211.53; General, \$84.....			\$2,319 05

Church Property—Church \$9,870; Rectory, \$3,000; Endowment Fund, \$770: \$13,640. Insurance, \$5,200.

New seats and carpets have been placed in the Church, as well as several new windows, at a cost of nearly one thousand dollars. A branch of the Woman's Auxiliary is doing excellent work, and there is a younger missionary society just formed. During last June the Rector officiated in Colorado and Manitou Springs, and in Santa Fe. In the twenty-seven years of his pastorate the parish has steadily advanced.

**Fayetteville, Trinity Church.**

THE REV. ABRAM W. EBERSOLE, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—DeLancey Bartlett, Mortimer W. Leach.

Families .....	68	Marriages ...	2
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 4.....	10	Burials....	10
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 99, weekd, 68...	167
141, ad. 12, died 3, rem. 2,		Holy Communion—pub. 60, priv. 2	62
pres. no.....	149	S. S Teachers 7, Scholars 65....	44

Onondaga County : Jamesville—Jordan.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$20 18	Building Fund.....	\$ 8 49
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,028 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 79
Sunday School.....	10 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements	100 00	St. Andrew's Divin. School	1 00
Taxes.....	25 12	Rev. John Scott, W. A....	5 00
Interest paid.....	111 12	Missions—Domestic.....	2 50
Easter Offering..	39 17	“ “ S. S. Lent.	9 30
Altar Guild.....	83 98	“ W. A. bxs	13 00
Lenten expenses.....	21 19	Jews.....	2 00
Diocesan Missions .....	26 96	Foreign .....	6 03
General Fund.....	4 38	Increase of the Ministry...	8 25
Christmas Fund.....	10 45	Bishop Brewer, W. A.....	10 00

Parochial, \$1,439.24; Diocesan, \$73.07; General, \$46.08 .....\$ 1,558 39  
Church Property—Church, \$14,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$16,000.  
Indebtedness, \$2,500. Insurance, \$8,700,

Nearly all of the above report is from October 1st, 1891, at which time the present Rector took charge of the parish. The ladies of the Parish raised during the year about ninety dollars; not reported above because not yet expended. A handsome pulpit of polished brass, was placed in the Church on Easter day as a memorial of our late Senior Warden, Mr. Beach C. Beard. It was presented to the Church by his sons and daughters.

Jamesville, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BABCOCK, D.D., RECTOR.

Warden—O. H. Bogardus.

Families .....	21	Burials.....	6
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	9
23, all others 4, rec. 1 rem. 4,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	80
pres. no.....	27		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 8 50	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 18 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	190 00	General Fund.....	4 00
Sunday School.....	6 50	Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 00

Parochial, \$205; Diocesan, \$23.00 .....\$ . 228 00  
Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$900: \$3,900.  
Insurance, \$2,000.

The winter epidemic, affecting nearly every family in the parish, compelled a cessation of services for over three months; which accounts in large part for the meagerness of this report.

Jordan, Christ Church.

THE REV. GEORGE W. SOUTHWELL, RECTOR.

Wardens—S. L. Rockwell, H. H. Daboll.

Families .....	70	Burials.....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 9....	10	Services—Sund. 90. weekd. 31...	121
Confirmed.....	5	Holy Communion—public.....	15
Communicants.....	100	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 50..	58
Marriages .....	5		

Onondaga County: Manlius—Marcellus.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 8 60	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 3 95
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	738 41	Bishop's Chaplain.....	5 00
Sunday School Offerings...	12 96	Missions—Domestic .....	15 49
Taxes .....	32 41	Foreign .....	15 49
Insurance .....	60 50	Jews.....	2 00
Diocesan Missions....	23 60	N. Y. Prayer Book Society	2 00
General Fund .....	20 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund....	2 39
Christmas Fund.....	3 50		
Parochial, \$902.88; Diocesan, \$56.05; General. \$37.57.....			\$ 996 50

Church Property—Church, \$7,000 Rectory, \$2,000: \$9,000.

Insurance, \$5,400.

Mission services and Sunday School were held as usual in the Daboll neighborhood during the summer of 1891.

Manlius, Christ Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BABCOCK, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Horace Nims, M. D., George T. Ewers.

Families .....	33	Burials .....	9
Confirmed. ....	1	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 42.	144
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public. ....	56
39, all others 5, ad. 5, died 2,		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 44....	50
rem. 6, pres. no. ....	44		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 29 30	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	367 25	Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 00
Sunday School.....	7 56	Missions—Domestic.....	4 00
Repairs and Improvements	28 50	General, S. S....	7 57
Taxes.....	18 35	Colored People..	1 00
Insurance.....	37 50	“ W. A. bxs..	30 00
Disocesan Missions....	47 15	N. Y. Prayer Book Soc ....	3 00
General Fund .....	8 00		
Parochial, \$448.46; Diocesan, \$60.15; General, \$45.57.....			\$554 18

Church Property—Church \$5,000: Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,500.

Insurance, \$4,500.

Marcellus, St. John's Church.

REPORTD BY MATTHEW I. HUNT, LAY READER.

Wardens—A. M. Seymour, S. H. Pilot.

Families .....	31	Burials .....	2
Baptisms—Infant ...	4	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 40..	140
Communicants—within two years		Holy Comunion—public .....	7
42, all others 34, rec. 2, died 1,		S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20 ...	23
rem. 3, pres. no. ....	40		

Onondaga County : Onondaga Castle—Skaneateles.

OFFERINGS

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$317 40	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 12 60
Sunday School.....	33 05	General Fund. ....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements.	50 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	2 00
Parish Aid .....	83 26	Missions—Colored W.A bxs.	22 30
Gift to Lay Reader.....	8 50	Increase of the Ministry....	1 50

Parochial. \$492.12; Diocesan, \$19.60; General, \$20.80.....\$ 535 61

Church Property—Church, \$4,750. Insurance, \$3,000.

Onondaga Castle, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. JOHN SCOTT. MISSIONARY.

Families .....	24	Burials ...	5
Baptism—Infant. ....	6	Services—Sund. 103, weekd. 11..	114
Communicants.....	40	Holy Communion—pub. 11, priv. 1	12
Marriage... ..	1	S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 20....	21

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses .....	\$20 00	Christmas Tree .....	\$ 25 00
Repairs and Improvements	25 00	Missions—Domestic.....	2 00

Parochial, \$70.05; General, \$2.00. .... \$ 72 05

We have money in hand for further repairs and improvements; for painting the Mission House \$16, and \$4 promised; and \$7 towards a furnace for the church.

The work here continues to be what it has always been—one of slow growth. Yet those who knew the Reservation twenty or thirty years ago testify that the signs of progress are many and unmistakable. Captain Cusick (Tuscarora Indian, and an officer in the regular army) who is now (June 6) here on public business, and who was here thirty years ago recruiting for the Union army, witnesses to this very emphatically. Is it assuming too much, that the Church of the Good Shepherd, under God, is entitled to a large share of the credit? It should be noted, as an item of our statistics, that on the first of October. Albert Cusick was ordained to the Diaconate. It was a bright day in all respects, both as to weather and promise for the Kingdom of God in the future in this particular and peculiar community.

Skaneateles, St. James' Church.

THE REV. F. N. WESTCOTT, RECTOR.

Wardens—William Marvin, E. Reuel Smith.

Baptisms—Infant.....	6	Services .....	326
Communicants.....	327	Holy Communion .....	110
Marriages .....	2	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 90....	94
Burials .....	5		



*Onondaga County : Syracuse.*

## OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$75 83	Other objects.....	\$ 4 63
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,863 50	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary ....	5 00
Sunday School.....	8 51	Missions—Domestic .....	55 55
Repairs of Parsonage .....	21 22	“ W. A. bxs	31 13
“ “ Church .....	32 45	Foreign .....	72 41
Diocesan Missions.....	188 75	Colored, W. A. bxs...	28 00
“ “ W. A. bxs	10 50	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	19 90
General Fund.....	28 10	Increase of the Ministry...	32 00
Christmas Fund.....	12 29	Memorial Scholarship.....	3 00
Shelter, Syracuse, .....	10 00	Mission in Tacoma.....	6 00

Parochial, \$2,000.68; Diocesan, \$259.27; General, \$252.99..... \$2,507 96

Church Property—Church, \$27,000; Rectory, \$4,000: \$31,000.

Insurance, \$17,000.

**Syracuse, Calvary Church.**

THE RT. REV. F. D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. J. EVERETT JOHNSON, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Families .....	110	Marriages .....	10
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 28 .....	32	Burials .....	28
Confirmed. ....	12	Services—Sund. 174, weekd. 345.	519
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 86, priv. 6	92
140, ad. 27, died 4, rem. 15.		S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 160..	170
pres. no.....	214		

## OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 443 80	Flowers .....	\$ 10 00
Sunday School .....	20 00	Diocesan Missions.....	5 00
Organ and Improvements..	500 00	General Fund.....	5 00
Guild Church Workers ....	45 50	Missions—Dom. and Foreign	9 33
The Poor. ....	15 00	Missions, W. A.....	17 50

Parochial, \$1,036.30; Diocesan, \$10.00; General, \$26.83 ..... \$1,073 13

Church Property—Church, \$2,500; Rectory, \$1,300: \$3,800.

The unfinished organ presented last year to the Church by Mr. F. B. Haberle, of this city, has been completed by Mr. John Bates, the organist. The item “organ and improvements” would be doubled if the value of this work, which he donated, were included. At St. Luke's, which is in the “Calvary” field, the sum of \$116.25 for current expenses has been raised through the Sunday offertory and subscriptions from members of the city churches. From other sources, through the Bishop, the sum of \$1,100 has been expended in the purchase and improvement of the Chapel. Sunday School: Pupils 167, teachers 10—total 177. Services have been held fortnightly at the County House, and the Holy Communion administered eleven times.

*Onondaga County : Syracuse.*

**Syracuse East, Emmanuel Church.**

THE REV. J. E. JOHNSON, MINISTER IN CHARGE.

Families .....	40	Burial.....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 2....	4	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 53..	157
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	12
44, all others 7, rec. 4, died 1,			
rem. 9, pres. no. ....	50		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 206 44	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 4 12
Sunday School.....	17 38	Missions—Domestic .....	10 88
Diocesan Missions.....	11 71		
Parochial, \$223.82; Diocesan, \$15.88; General, \$10.88 .....			\$250 58
Church Property—Church, \$2,000. Insurance, \$1,800.			

**Syracuse, Grace Church.**

THE REV. HERBERT G. CODDINGTON, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Wells B. Hatch, Van Buren Chase.

Families.....	116	Marriages.....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 8.....	13	Burials.....	12
Confirmed .....	14	Services—Sund. 136, weekd. 87..	228
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 75, priv. 1	76
172, all others 62, rec. 24, died		S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 149..	162
3, rem. 5, pres. no. ....	234		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms ..	\$ 17 85	Christmas Fund..	\$ 3 15
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,509 61	Building Fund.....	1 25
Sunday School ..	75 86	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 80
Repairs and Improvements	109 70	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y,	1 00
Decoration Fund.....	47 65	St. Luke's Mission, Syracuse	5 10
St. Andrew's Brotherhood..	7 50	Thanksgiving Fund.....	7 53
Christmas Gifts, S. S.....	27 75	H. G. S., Syracuse.....	50
Credence Fund.....	9 75	" " S. S.....	3 00
Easter Offering, S. S.....	38 94	Missions—Domestic .....	10 00
Other Parochial Objects ...	45 00	" S. S....	7 57
Diocesan Missions .....	29 33	Foreign, S. S..	7 56
" " W. A.....	6 00	Deaf Mutes.....	10 68
" " W. A. bxs..	29 50	Increase of the Ministry....	3 30
General Fund.....	23 00		
Parochial, \$1,889.61; Diocesan, \$107.16; General, \$39.11.....			\$2,035 88
Church Property—Church, \$34,000; Rectory, \$6,000: \$40,000.			
Indebtedness, \$2,000. Insurance, \$12,000.			

**Syracuse, St. James' Church.**

THE REV. CHARLES FERGUSON, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Daniel O. Salmon, George J. Gardner.

Families .....	180	Marriages .....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 11.....	13	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	13	Services—Sund. 110, weekd. 150,	260
Communicants—rec. 6, died 6,		Holy Communion—public .....	25
pres. no.....	275	S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 100..	112

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	40 00	Other Parochial Objects....\$	25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,000 00	Diocesan Missions.....	4 52
Sunday School .....	31 22		
New Church and lot .....	10,500 00		
Parochial, \$13,596.22; Diocesan, \$4.52.....			\$13,600 74
Church Property, \$44,000. Indebtedness, \$20,000. Insurance, \$22,000.			

Syracuse, St. John's Church.

THE REV. W. DEL. WILSON, RECTOR.

Trustees—Treasurer, Wm. Crabtree; Secretary, O. H. Thomas, M. D.

Families. ....	150	Marriages .....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 14... ..	20	Burials .....	21
Confirmed....	8	Services—Sund. 152, weekd. 126,	278
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 87, priv. 8	95
200, all others 25, ad. 9, rec. 6,		S. S. Teachers, 16, Scholars 120..	136
died 3, rem. 12, pres. no.....	225		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	20 56	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 31 16
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	653 72	“ “ W. A. bxs.	10 00
Sunday School.....	72 00	General Fund ..	4 00
Repairs and Improvements,	201 00	Christmas Fund ....	7 76
Insurance .....	52 88	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 57
Taxes .....	61 15	St. Luke's Mission. ....	4 00
Parochial Mission.....	42 73	Increase of the Ministry...	6 44
Piano .....	39 00	Syr. Church Charities.....	6 50
Gifts to Rector.....	92 00		
Parochial, \$1,402.54; Diocesan, \$76.43.....			\$1,478 97
Church Property—Church, \$5,500; Parish House, \$1,100; Guild House, \$2,100: \$8,700. Insurance, \$6,000.			

Syracuse, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. EZEKIEL W. MUNDY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Guy Terry, Cyrus D. Avery.

Baptisms—Infant ....	1	Marriage .....	7
Confirmed .....	14	Burials.....	18
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 4 ...	56
86, all others 10, ad. 15, rec. 1,		Holy Communion—public. ....	15
died 1, rem. 1, pres. no.....	96	S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 104..	116

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$6 20	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 18 01
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	915 35	Building Fund.....	158 83
Sunday School.....	9 59	Bishop's Relief Fund. ...	12 59
Repairs and Improvements,	27 31	Missions—Domestic. ....	5 00
Other Parochial Objects....	31 61	Foreign ..	12 00
Diocesan Missions.....	60 00	Colored W. A. bxs	19 51
General Fund .....	7 00		
Parochial, \$990.06; Diocesan, \$256.53; General \$36.57.....			\$1,283 10
Church Property—Church and Furniture, \$7,600. Insurance, \$5,800.			

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

Syracuse, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. HENRY R. LOCKWOOD, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Leroy L. Alexander, Charles Andrews.

Families .....	326	Marriages .....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 34.....	42	Burials.....	40
Confirmed .....	24	Services—Sund. 154, weekd. 634	788
Communicants—ad. 26, rec. 16,		Holy Communion—pub.57,priv.4	55
died 9, rem. 20, pres. no.....	516	S. S. Teachers 27, Scholars 185..	212

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$373 42	Trinity, Canastota.....	\$ 120 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary,		St. John's, Syracuse.....	250 00
and interest.....	11,356 65	Onondaga Mission, W. A..	20 00
Sunday School.....	291 98	Missions—General ...	36 00
Church debt.....	2,200 00	“ S. S .....	76 10
Gift to Rector....	2,250 00	Domestic .....	37 90
The Poor .....	200 00	“ W. A.....	20 00
Altar Society .....	191 00	“ W. A. bxs.	155 00
Ladies' Society.....	200 00	“ Jun.Aux.bxs	150 00
Other Parochial Objects ...	122 64	Foreign .....	36 42
Diocesan Missions.....	586 86	“ W. A..	40 00
General Fund.....	75 00	Colored People..	21 64
Christmas Fund.....	36 80	Deaf Mutes.....	36 70
Episcopate Fund.....	300 00	Increase of the Ministry...	7 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	11 21	Church Building Fund....	30 70
St. Luke's, Syracuse .....	50 50	Bishop Brewer.....	173 50
H. G. S., Syracuse.....	600 00	Orphan Asylum, Syria. ...	40 00
Bishop's Chaplain. ....	50 00	Clerical Relief.....	37 37

Parochial, \$17,185.69; Diocesan, \$2,100.37; General, \$898.33.....\$20,184 39

Church Property—Church, \$150,000; other, \$3,000: \$153,000.

Indebtedness, \$37,800. Insurance, \$37,000.

Syracuse, Trinity Church.

THE REV. JAMES F. TAUNT, RECTOR.

Wardens—David N. Phinney, John L. Kling.

Families .....	175	Services—Sund. 114, weekd. 24..	138
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 14.....	19	Holy Communion—pub.48,priv.4	52
Confirmed.....	13	S. S. Teachers 17. Scholars 155..	172
Communicants.....	245	Trinity Mission, S.S. Teachers 10,	
Marriage. ....	1	Scholars 75.....	85
Burials.....	10		

Oswego County : Cleveland—Fulton.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 45 97	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 40 79
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,469 19	General Fund.....	8 00
Sunday School.....	67 84	Christmas Fund.....	6 64
Trinity Guild.....	233 02	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 60
Altar Society.....	109 52	Chaplain Fund.....	15 00
Home Charities.....	19 00	Shelter, W. A. bx....	10 15
Christmas Festival.....	26 60	Rev. John Scott's Salary...	5 00
Trinity Mission S. S.....	186 00	Missions—Domestic, S. S...	48 50
Brotherhood of St. Andrew	52 31	Bishop Brewer Fund.....	3 00

Parochial, \$3,208.45; Diocesan, \$92.18; General, \$51.50 ..... \$3,352 13

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Rectory, \$6,000: \$16,000.

Indebtedness. \$5,000. Insurance, \$10,250.

The Rev. J. F. Taunt resigned the parish February 28th, 1892. The Rev. Robert Hudson, Ph. D., became Rector May 1st, 1892.

Oswego County.

Cleveland, St. James' Church.

THE REV. GEORGE L. NEIDE, RECTOR.

Warden—C. Getman.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 8.....	9	Burials.....	3
Communicants—ad. 4, rec. 1, died		Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 15..	115
2, rem. 1, pres. no.....	62	Holy Communion—pub. 17, priv. 3	20
Marriage.....	1	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 43....	49

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 10 90	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	375 00	Education Fund.....	2 62
Sunday School.....	8 20	Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 00
Diocesan Missions.....	21 99	Missions—Domestic.....	9 23
General Fund.....	5 00		
Parochial, \$394.10; Diocesan, \$33.61; General, \$9.23.....			\$436 94

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Fulton, Zion Church.

Wardens—Samuel B. Whitaker, Willis S. Nelson.

Baptisms—Infant .....	3	Burials.....	5
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 86, weekd. 14...	100
80, died 5, present no.....	80	Holy Communion—public. ....	7
Marriage .....	1	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 40....	47

*Oswego County : Lacona—Mexico.*

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$25 15	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 51 20
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	414 75	General Fund .....	20 00
Sunday School.....	31 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 45
Repairs and Improvements	257 00	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	3 00
On mortgage debt .. ....	106 54		
Parochial, \$834.44; Diocesan, \$77.65.....			\$912 09

Church Property—Church, \$2,500; Rectory, \$1,800: \$4,300.

Indebtedness, \$300. Insurance, \$2,000.

**Lacona, Mission.**

THE REV. DANIEL DALY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	40	Burials.....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 7 ... ..	12	Services—Sund. 89, weekd. 15,..	104
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	3
10, ad. 3, died 2, present no... 15		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 24....	28

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary ..\$	50 00	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 6 50
Other Parochial Objects....	1,000 00		
Parochial, \$1,050; Diocesan, \$6.50.....			\$1,056 50

**Mexico, Grace Church.**

THE REV. ALBERT H. ORMSBEE, RECTOR.

*Committee*—B. F. French.

Families .....	28	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1.....	2	Burials.....	3
Confirmed .....	8	Services—Sund. 98, weekd. 30..	128
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.15, priv.2	17
45, all others 8, ad. 8, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 35....	39
died 1, rem. 3, present no.....	50		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 4 50	Thanksgiving Offering.....	\$ 6 35
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	479 90	Diocesan Missions .....	24 24
Sunday School.....	5 94	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	3 93
Repairs .....	3 05	Missions—Domestic S.S....	2 71

Parochial, \$499.74; Diocesan, \$28.17; General, \$2.71 .....\$530 62

Church Property—Church, \$1,700. Insurance, \$5,600.

*(Oswego County) : (Oswego).*

**Oswego, Christ Church.**

**THE REV. PHILIP NELSON MEADE, RECTOR.**

*Wardens*—George C. McWhorter, C. H. Butler.

Families .....	190	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 24.....	33	Burials.....	30
Confirmed .....	27	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 200.	204
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 87, priv. 12	99
275, ad. 27, died 13, rem. 14,		S. S. Teachers 19, Scholars 105.	169
present no.....	275		

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 200 00	General Fund .....	\$ 60 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,789 89	Christmas Fund .....	40 00
Sunday School .....	101 20	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	11 70
Repairs and Improvements	256 72	Bishop's Chaplain.....	30 00
Parish Debt .....	776 76	Deaf Mutes.....	38 29
Oswego Hospital.....	100 00	Missions—Domestic .....	367 13
Mite Society.....	50 00	“ W. A. ....	63 25
Employment Society .....	43 07	“ W. A. bxs	22 37
St. Mary's Guild.....	9 40	Colored G.F.S....	37 16
Girls' Friendly Society.....	69 07	Mission Sch.. Neb. G.F.S.,	7 50
Guild of the Holy Child...	20 00	“ W. A. bxs. . . .	35 00
Brotherhood of St. Andrew	30 00	Gen. Theo. Seminary.....	25 00
Cadets of St. Andrew.....	7 55	Ain. Ch. Building Fund...	10 00
Sunday night offerings ....	113 97	N. Y. Prison Association ..	10 00
Diocesan Missions.....	153 18	Enrolment Fund.....	5 00
“ “ W. A.....	105 00	Japanese girl's scholarship,	
“ “ W. A. bxs	103 83	W. A. and G. F. S. ....	10 00

Parochial, \$6,567.63; Diocesan, \$542; General, \$617.41.....\$7,727 04

Church Property—Church, \$57,500; Rectory, \$2,500: \$60,000.

Indebtedness, \$4,189. Insurance, \$49,000.

**Oswego, Church of the Evangelists.**

**THE REV. HUBERT P. LEF. GRABAU, RECTOR.**

*Wardens*—Benjamin Doolittle, Robert Downey.

Families.....	164	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 30.....	37	Burials.....	12
Confirmed . . . . .	15	Services—Sund. 198, weekd. 181.	379
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 78, priv. 7	85
248, all others 32, ad. 15, rec. 6,		S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 160..	175
died 7, rem. 21, pres. no.....	280		

Onegego County : Pulaski.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 28 67	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	\$ 32 73
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,346 07	General Fund.....	10 85
Sunday School.....	121 23	Christmas Fund.....	12 22
Repairs and Improvements,	100 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 51
"    by Brotherhood...	173 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	10 00
Dining Hall.....	277 80	Missions - Dom. W. A. bxs.	100 00
Brotherhood Convention...	29 00	Foreign.....	7 69
Choir Festival.....	15 00	Colored, S.S.....	29 45
Interest on indebtedness...	180 00	Jews.....	2 80

Parochial, \$3,270.77; Diocesan, \$72.31; General, \$139.94.....\$3,483 00

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Rectory, \$3,000; St. John's Chapel, \$3,000: \$31,000. Indebtedness, \$2,800. Insurance, \$16,700.

Since last report to the Convention the Church has received the following improvements and additions: Choir stalls, center aisle, altar hangings and stoles, processional cross, and pulpit and font cover. A commodious Parish building is in course of construction, for which nearly all the money is already subscribed.

Pulaski, St. James' Church.

THE REV. ROBERT PAUL, RECTOR.

Wardens—John T. McCarty, Charles L. Myers.

Families . . . . .	59	Marriages . . . . .	4
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 2 . . . . .	6	Burials . . . . .	3
Confirmed . . . . .	2	Services—Sund. 85, weekd. 26... 111	
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public . . . . .	13
62, ad. 2, rem. 13, present no..	51	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 35....	40

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary. \$	610 11	General Fund.....	\$ 4 00
Sunday School . . . . .	25 00	Christmas Fund.....	2 57
Furnace for Church.....	150 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 25
Painting Church . . . . .	75 00	Missions—General, S. S....	10 00
Carpeting vestry . . . . .	13 34	Domestic. W. A..	8 00
Papering " . . . . .	10 00	" W.A. bxs.	5 00
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	28 74		
"    " W. A. ....	4 00		

Parochial, \$883.45; Diocesan, \$43.56; General, \$23.00.....\$ 950 01

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$5,000.

Insurance, \$2,600.

In view of mercies numberless during almost fourteen years in Pulaski, the Rector of this parish, being in the seventy-fourth year of his age, and in feeble health, desires to record his gratitude. Ebenezer ! " Hitherto hath the Lord helped us."



Seneca County : Dey's Landing—Hayt's Corners—Romulus.

Seneca County.

Dey's Landing, St. Andrew's Mission.

REPORTED BY MR. BURLERSON, LAY READER.

Trustees—John Ruder, C. C. Pontius, M. E. Halsey.

Families.....	9	Burial.....	1
Baptism—Infant.....	1	Services—Sund. 53, weekd. 1....	54
Communicants—died 1, rem. 2,		Holy Communion—pub. 5 priv. 2	7
pres. no.....	13	S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 11....	12

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	3 69	Diocesan Missions.....\$	11 13
Current Expenses.....	48 35	General Fund.....	3 44
Repairs and Improvements,	9 25		
Parochial, \$61.29; Diocesan, \$14.57.....			\$ 75 86

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$2,500.

Hayt's Corners, Calvary Mission.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	20	Burials.....	4
Baptisms—Adult .....	3	Services—Sund. 67, weekd. 16...	83
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	13
25, rem. 2, present number....	23	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 24....	28
Marriages .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	5 54	Diocesan Missions.....\$	18 95
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	78 54	“ W. A. bxs	10 00
Sunday School.....	4 32	Christmas Fund.....	1 00
Repairs and Improvements,	94 75	Missions—Domestic.....	2 42
Easter off'g for horse sheds	34 08		
Parochial, \$217.23; Diocesan, \$29.95; General, \$2.42.....			\$ 249 60

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,800.

Romulus, St. Stephen's Church.

REPORTED BY DWIGHT A. PARCE, LAY READER.

Trustees—R. M. Steele, W. P. Goodman, Jesse Yerkes.

Families .....	27	Holy Communion—public .....	10
Communicants.....	20	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 8....	10
Services—Sund. 101, weekd. 8...	109		

Seneca County : Seneca Falls—Waterloo.

OFFERINGS.			
Current Expenses.....	\$ 194 53	General Fund.....	\$ 8 00
“ “ K. D.....	30 00	Missions—Domestic S. S....	4 00
Sunday School.....	2 20	“ W. A. bxs.	5 10
Christmas gift to organist,	8 00	Jews .....	98
Diocesan Missions.....	25 00		
Parochial, \$234.73; Diocesan, \$33.00; General, \$10.03 .....			\$ 277 76
Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.			

Seneca Falls, Trinity Church.

THE REV. H. M. DENSLOW, RECTOR.

Wardens—Lansing S. Hoskins, William B. Lathrop.

Families .....	155	Burials.....	30
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 20 .....	25	Services—Sund. 141, weekd. 115,	256
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 70, priv. 2,	72
234, all others 46, ad. 1, rec. 5,		S. S. Teachers 25, Scholars 160..	185
died 8, rem. 3, pres. no.....	280	Sewing School—Teachers 14, Schol-	
Marriages .....	2	ars 58.....	72

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms.....	\$ 169 71	Bishop's Chaplain.....	\$ 30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,276 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y,	12 15
Sunday School.....	99 15	A Diocesan Missionary....	15 00
Special Music Fund.....	131 00	Rev. J. Scott, W. A.....	10 00
Industrial Society. ....	155 47	Missions—Domestic .....	116 00
Thanksgiving Day.....	90 02	“ W. A. bx.,	26 00
Easter Offering.....	668 46	Foreign .....	123 00
By S. S. for Church debt..	80 00	Colored. J. A. bx.	20 00
Other Parochial Objects ...	25 06	St. Mark's Sch. Utah, S. S.,	40 00
Diocesan Missions .....	281 69	“ Helping Hand Mission,”	
“ “ Special.....	20 00	W. A. box .....	6 00
“ “ W. A. bx..	13 00	Children's Aid Society,	
General Fund.....	35 00	N. Y. S. S. ....	5 00
Christmas Fund .....	47 44	Ch. Building Fund Society,	8 57

Parochial, \$3,694.87; Diocesan, \$464.28; General, \$344.57.....\$4,503 72

Church Property—Church, \$40,000; Rectory, \$5,000: \$45,000.

Indebtedness, \$3,200. Insurance, \$17,000.

Waterloo, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. ROBERT M. DUFF, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Sidney Warner, A. H. Terwilliger.

Families .....	170	Services—Sund. 141, weekd. 93,	234
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 25. ....	32	Holy Communion—pub. 31, priv. 6	37
Confirmed .....	16	S. S. Teachers 30, Scholars 200..	230
Communicants—ad. 15, rec. 4,		Parish School—Teacher 1, Schol-	
died 11, rem. 8, pres. no.....	240	ars 32.....	33
Marriages .....	11	Industrial School—Teachers 8,	
Burials.....	28	Scholars 50.....	58

Seneca County: Willard—Willowdale.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 99 56	Diocesan Missions, W. A....	\$ 12 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,018 24	General Fund.....	35 00
Sunday School.....	167 00	Christmas Fund .....	24 51
Repairs and Improvements,	225 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	30 00
Parish School. . . . .	485 08	Onondaga Mission W. A....	10 00
Church music.....	76 92	H. G. S., Syr. Infant Class.	13 50
Christmas and Easter Decor-		Missions—Domestic .....	29 50
ations .....	49 15	“ W. A. bxs	52 75
For new seats, S. S . . . .	40 00	Foreign .....	25 72
Parish Aid, St. Paul's Guild,	12 80	Colored W. A....	8 00
Ch. furniture, Ladies' Mite		Jews. ....	5 36
Society .....	105 58	Increase of the Ministry...	6 00
St. Andrew's Brotherhood,	10 00	Mrs. Buford's work, S. P. G.	10 00
Other Parochial Objects....	42 51	“ “ S. S. Class bx.	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	206 59		
Parochial, \$4,331.84; Diocesan, \$331.60; General, \$142.33.....			\$4,805 77

Church Property—Church, Chapel and Rectory. \$37,000: Endowment, \$26,000: \$63,000.

Willard, Christ Church.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—Morris J. Gilbert, William Farley, John E. Walsh.

Families .....	35	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 5....	6	Burials. ....	2
Confirmed.....	10	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 14...	66
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 16, priv. 3	19
41, all others 26, ad. 10, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 35....	39
died 1, rem. 2, present no.....	79		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 15 44	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 78 69
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	325 53	“ “ W. A. bxs	20 00
Sunday School .....	13 10	Christmas Fund .....	3 73
Easter off'g for Parish House	63 46	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 95
Christmas gift to Missionary	140 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	3 00
Expense to Convention ....	6 41	Missions—Domestic .....	8 98
Parochial, \$563.94; Diocesan, \$111.37; General, \$8.98 ...			\$ 684 29

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,800.

Willowdale, Fayette, Grace Church.

Trustees—M. E. Halsey, M. Middlewood, A. P. Rose.

Families .....	25	Burials.....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 10.....	13	Services—Sund. 53, weekd. 10,..	63
Confirmed.. ..	9	Holy Communion—pub. 23, priv. 4	27
Communicants.....	45	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 35....	37

*Tioga County : Candor.*

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 75 22	For poor family ...	\$ 8 00
Current Expenses.....	5 00	Diocesan Missions.....	34 73
Lamps, &c. ....	11 40	General Fund.....	13 00
Stipends and livery bills....	80 90	Christmas Fund.....	1 10
Christmas presents .....	33 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	9 00
Children's Ascension treat..	5 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	1 00
Hay for Missionary horse ..	8 00	Missions—Jews .....	1 50
County House treats. ....	12 00		
Parochial, \$238.52; Diocesan, \$58.83; General, \$1.50.....			\$ 298 85

Church Property—Church, \$2,150. Insurance, \$1,600.

Brass altar vases were presented in memory of William W. Stacey. St Faith's Guild made and distributed much clothing, and made quantities of cake for the County House Christmas treat. Some of the choir boys of St. Peter's, Geneva, sang on Christmas night at the County House. Twenty-two visits have been made to the County House, with prayers and instructions. The Rev. Messrs. Hall, Clarke, Allen, Foster and Duck have ministered there; also the Rev. Edward Worcester.

*Tioga County.*

Candor, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. G. E. PURUCKER, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Edwin Jenings, J. C. Dixon, M. D.

Families.....	19	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 2 .....	11	Burials.....	5
Confirmed .....	11	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 97..	201
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 50, priv. 1	51
43, ad. 2, died 1, rem. 5, pres.		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30....	35
no .....	39		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 302 15	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 2 76
Sunday School.....	14 69	Missions—Domestic .....	8 58
Diocesan Missions.....	28 42	“ W. A. bxs.	9 75
General Fund .....	4 00	Jews.....	60
Christmas Fund.....	2 00		
Parochial, \$316.84; Diocesan, \$37.18; General, \$18.93 .....			\$372.95
Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000.			

Insurance, \$3,100. Endowment, \$1,000.

This report includes the work done in the Missions, VanEtten and Spencer, excepting that nothing of finance is reported here from the places outside of Candor. In another year it is hoped that each of these new mission stations will report to the Convention. Speedsville and Slaterville are no longer under the charge of the Missionary stationed at Candor.

*Tioga County : Owego—Smithboro—Waverly.*

**Owego, St. Paul's Church.**

THE REV. JAMES HOLWELL KIDDER, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Watson Leverett Hoskins, William H. Ellis.

Families .....	81	Burials .....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 9.....	10	Services—Sund. 125, weekd. 66,	
Communicants—ad. 1, rem. 8,		out of the Parish 8 .....	199
pres. no.....	138	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40 ...	45
Marriages .....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$14 42	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 24 75
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,620 58	Missions—General .....	20 65
Sunday School.....	9 96	Dom. W. A. bxs. ....	112 00
Other Parochial Objects ...	61 62	" S. S. ...	5 88
Diocesan Missions .....	72 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	2 63
General Fund .....	20 00		
Parochial, \$1,706.58; Diocesan, \$116.75; General, \$140.66.....			\$1,963 99

**Smithboro, Emmanuel Church.**

THE REV. JOHN F. ESCH, MISSIONARY.

*Trustees*—L. B. Pearsall, J. M. Sly.

Families.....	16	Burial....	1
Baptism—Infant.....	1	Services—Sund. 24, weekd. 6....	40
Communicants.....	25	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 25 ...	29
Marriages .	2		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	109 32	Diocesan Missions.....\$	12 15
Sunday School....	12 73	General Fund. ....	75
Repairs and Improvements,	7 00		
Parochial, \$129.05; Diocesan, \$12.90.....			\$ 141 95
Insurance, \$1,000.			

**Waverly, Grace Church.**

THE REV. CHARLES DONOHUE, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Elmer Nelson, Albert Baldwin.

Families.....	80	Marriages .	7
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 8.....	9	Burials ..	10
Confirmed ..	6	Services—Sund. 95, weekd. 90...	185
Communicants— within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 49, priv. 1	50
71, all others 17, ad. 6, rec. 3,		S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 43...	55
died 3, rem. 1, pres. no.....	88		

Tompkins County: Ithaca.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	21 23	Diocesan Missions.....	23 82
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	495 56	General Fund.....	13 02
Sunday School.....	45 25	Building Fund.....	2 62
Repairs and Improvements,	158 59	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 89
Ladies' Parish aid.....	202 52	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	5 00
Grace Church Guild.....	32 00	Missions-Colored, W. A.bxs	20 00

Parochial, \$955.15; Diocesan, \$50.35; General, \$20.00.....\$1 025 50

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$8,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,000. Insurance, \$5,200.

Tompkins County.

Ithaca, St. John's Church.

THE REV. S. H. SYNNOTT, RECTOR.

Wardens—Lafayette L. Treman, Hermon V. Bostwick.

Families.....	223	Burials.....	18
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 29.....	31	Services—Sund. 188, weekd. 67..	205
Confirmed .....	17	Holy Communion—public .....	22
Communicants .....	331	S. S. Teachers 36, Scholars 268..	304
Marriages .....	13		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	176 54	Onondaga Mission.....\$	15 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,400 00	Bishop's Chaplain ..	22 50
Sunday School.....	73 80	Missions—Domestic .....	67 26
Repairs and Improvements,	3,500 00	“ W. A. bxs	150 00
Special for poor.....	97 22	Foreign. ....	43 34
Diocesan Missions.....	207 28	Colored W.A.bxs	50 00
General Fund....	27 58	Bishop Brewer.....	10 00
Christmas Fund.....	39 48	Missions in Maine .....	55 75
Building Fund.....	30 00	St. Mark's School, Salt Lake	40 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	20 58	Other general objects.....	30 00
Russian Relief ..	59 10		

Parochial, \$7,247.56; Diocesan, \$421.52; General, \$446.35....\$8,115 43

Church Property—Church, \$18,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Parish House, \$6,000: \$31,000. Insurance, \$14,000.

Ithaca, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. CHARLES BABCOCK, RECTOR.

Trustees—Charles Babcock, Chairman, T. F. Crane, Secretary.

Communicants.....	22	Services—Sund. 86, weekd. 43...	129
Marriage.....	1	Holy Communion—public.....	16

Tompkins County : McLean—Trumansburgh.

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses.....	\$ 112 75	Support of a Missionary ...	\$50 00
Diocesan Missions. ....	130 00	Missions—Domestic .....	12 50
General Fund.....	8 00	"    W. A. bxs.	85 00
Christmas Fund.....	12 50	Foreign .....	12 50
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	12 00	Bishop Brewer..	5 00
Bishop's Chaplain.. .....	10 00	Increase of the Ministry....	25 00
Onondaga Mission W. A....	2 00	China, house boat.....	75
H. G. S., Syr., W. A.....	7 00		
Parochial, \$112.75; Diocesan, \$231.50; General, \$140.75.....			\$ 485 00

McLean, Zion Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM B. CLARKE, MISSIONARY.

Families.....	16	Services—Sund. 18, weekd. 2....	20
Communicants—rem. 2, pres. no	17	Holy Communion—public.....	2
Burials.....	2	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 18....	21

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$94 60	Missions—Domestic .....	\$ 2 22
Repairs and Improvements	15 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund...	50
Diocesan Missions .....	20 86	S. S. Lenten Offering .....	3 17
Christmas Fund.....	2 58		
Parochial, \$109.60; Diocesan, \$23.44; General, \$5.89 .....			\$138 93

Church Property—Church, \$1,500; Rectory, \$800; Cemetery Lot, \$200; Horse Sheds, \$165: \$2,665. Insurance, \$1,500.

Trumansburgh, Church of the Epiphany.

THE REV. CHARLES H. TINDELL, RECTOR.

Wardens—Levi J. Wheeler, Albert F. Mosher.

Families.....	50	Burials.....	6
Baptism—Adult.....	1	Services—Sund. 86, weekd. 40...	135
Confirmed .....	3	Holy Communion—pub.22,priv. 2	24
Communicants.....	83	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 35..	41
Marriage.....	1		

*Parishes and Missions not Reporting.*

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 15 97	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 63 69
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	647 21	General Fund .....	5 00
Sunday School .....	6 76	Christmas Fund .....	4 79
Repairs and Improvements	253 90	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 57
Thanksgiving Rector .....	5 34	Bishop's Chaplain.....	5 00
Ladies' Society ... ..	80 00	Missions—Domestic .....	7 45
Lenten Offerings.....	6 26	“ “ W. A. bxs	40 00
Easter Offering .....	104 77	Foreign.....	7 40
Subscription for music....	121 80	Colored W.A.bxs	10 86

Parochial, \$1,242.01; Diocesan, \$32.05; General, \$65 71... .. \$1,389 77

Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$22,500.

Insurance, \$6,000.

The Rev. W. E. Allen retired from the rectorate February 1, 1892, and the present rector entered upon his duties March 20th.

**Parishes and Missions not Reporting.**

St. Luke's, Harpursville,  
St. Paul's, Aurora,  
St. Luke's, Cayuga,  
Calvary, Northville,  
Grace, Union Springs,  
St. Matthew's, Horseheads,  
Christ Church, Wellsburgh,  
Emmanuel, Adams,

St. John's, Champion,  
Grace, Copenhagen,  
St. Stephen's, Perryville,  
Christ Church, Bridgewater,  
St. John's, Clayville,  
Christ Church, Forestport,  
St. Stephen's, New Hartford,  
St. John's, Speedsville.



*Other Clerical Reports.***Other Clerical Reports.**

The REV. GEORGE BOWEN reports that during the year he has officiated at Elmira, Oswego, Norwich, Sayre, Pa., Owego and Hammondsport, W. N. Y. He administered the Holy Communion six times, officiated at five burials and performed the marriage ceremony once.

The REV. JOSHUA L. BURROWS, Ph. D., reports that during the year he read Morning Prayer and preached at Painesville, Ohio, on eleven occasions. He attended one funeral and baptized two infants. At Ashtabula, Ohio, he read service five times and preached three times.

The REV. F. B. COSSITT reports that from May 10th to November 1st, 1891, he officiated regularly in St. Paul's Church Holland Patent, during which time he baptized one infant and one adult and presented two persons for confirmation. Since November 1st he has officiated seven times in the Diocese of New Jersey and assisted the Rector of Grace Church, Waterville, during the greater part of Lent.

The REV. S. HANSON COXE, S. T. D., reports that during the year he has officiated at five services on Sundays and ten on weekdays.

The REV. C. ORVIS DANTZER reports that during the year he has held services for deaf mutes in the following places: St. Paul's and Grace Church, Syracuse; Christ Church, Oswego; Trinity Church, Watertown; Zion Church, Rome; Trinity Church, Utica; St. John's, Oneida; Grace Church, Cortland; Christ Church, Binghamton, and St. Peter's and St. John's, Auburn; in addition to the places visited in the Diocese of Western New York. The following is a summary of the work done in Central New York during the year. Baptisms, adults 17, infants 13, total 30; confirmations 21; services held 77; sick visited 4; parishes served 11. Offerings,—received from deaf mutes, C. N. Y. \$147.29; from churches and individuals C. N. Y. \$147.61; various sources, W. N. Y. \$147.42; outside sources \$52.72; total \$495.04. Expenses \$170.36; for support of Missionary \$324.68. Many deaf mutes and their children have been brought to baptism and confirmation. Bible classes have been organized in Trinity Church, Utica, and Christ Church, Oswego, and Guilds in Utica and Syracuse. Funds have been started by the two Guilds to aid sick or unfortunate deaf persons as occasion may require. It is generally believed that there are about two thousand deaf mutes in the two Dioceses. Of this number, not much over five hundred have been reached. The difficulty in reaching them is very great. Instead of being congregated in large cities, they are widely scattered on the farms, and in the villages, and are often very much out of the way. In Syracuse there are not as many deaf mutes as in Utica, and there are more in Oneida than in Elmira. If the means were forthcoming the Missionary would be able to visit the widely scattered deaf mutes, once in a while, perhaps twice a year, while continuing his monthly visits to the large centers. Watertown and Binghamton each have about thirty deaf mutes, and there are many others in the outlying districts. There is still no regular stipend for the support of the Missionary in either Central or Western New York, but the Diocesan Council of the latter Diocese at its last meeting passed a resolution providing that offerings for the work among deaf mutes be taken on the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity. But as many generous givers are away from their homes at that time, little can be expected from this source.

The REV. E. MACOMB DUFF, General Diocesan Missionary, reports that he has officiated at Trinity Church, Syracuse, and Calvary Church, Homer, holding in all forty-seven services. He baptized five children at Trinity Syracuse on Easter Day, and assisted in the Holy Communion four times at St. Paul's, Waterloo.

*Other Clerical Reports.*

The REV. W. T. GIBSON, D. D., LL. D., of Utica, reports that he has continued as Chaplain at the Utica State Hospital without any serious interruption; officiated in preaching and celebrations of Holy Communion on various occasions in the city churches, took the morning services at Holy Cross during the month of July and at Trinity during August, celebrated Holy Eucharist twice in private, baptized one adult and one infant, officiated at five funerals, took the Good Friday services as usual at St. Luke's, attended the meetings of the Standing Committee during the year, and hereby puts on record his refusal to sign the testimonials of the Rev. Phillips Brooks, D. D., as Bishop of Massachusetts.

The REV. C. P. JENNINGS, S. T. D., residing at Shelbyville, Indiana, being still in feeble health, has no official report to make.

The REV JOHN MUIR, M. D., Merrickville, Ontario, Canada, reports that since the Diocesan Convention of 1891 he has been able to assist the Rev. William Roberts, Mus. Bac, incumbent of Trinity Church Merrickville, and Christ Church, Burritt's Rapids. on seven occasions, five times at the former place, and twice at the latter. In the absence of the incumbent, he has also performed the marriage ceremony once, and officiated at one funeral.

The REV. T. L. RANDOLPH, residing at Alameda, California, reports that during the last conventional year he has officiated on nine Sundays in St. Matthew's Church, San Mateo, Diocese of California, nine Sundays in Grace Memorial Church, St. Helena, Northern California, and sixteen Sundays in the three associated Missions of Golden Gate, Lorin and West Berkeley, of which he still has temporary charge, administering the Holy Communion very frequently, baptizing six children and presenting ten candidates for confirmation. On the remaining Sundays of the year he has generally assisted, in reading or preaching, the Rector of Christ Church, Alameda, Cal. He has also officiated at one marriage and attended two funerals.

The REV. CHARLES SEYMOUR, residing at Nyack, N. Y., reports that since the last Convention of the Diocese he has officiated more or less on every Lord's Day and at other times; at Holy Baptism once, and at funerals twice.

The REV. MOSES COIT TYLER, LL. D., reports that he has had the privilege of almost continual service during the past year. Within the Diocese he has supplied Grace Church, Waverly, for about two months and a half. He organized the parish of St. Thomas, at Slaterville Springs, and supplied it fortnightly for about three months. He preached at Calvary Church, Homer, three times, at Trinity Church, Seneca Falls, twice, at St. Paul's, Waterloo, once, at St. Stephen's, Romulus, once, at Christ Church, Willard, and at the State Asylum, Willard, once each, at Calvary Church, Hayts Corners, once, at Calvary Church, Utica, twice, at Trinity, Elmira, twice, and at St. John's, Ithaca, four or five times. Outside the Diocese he has preached at the Cathedral, Faribault, once, at St. John's and at Emmanuel, Detroit, once each, at Christ Church, Rochester, three times, at Christ Church, Poughkeepsie, twice, at St. Andrew's, New York, once, at St. Ann's, Dorchester, once, and at the Union Chapel, Siasconset, once.

The REV. W. D. WILSON, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., reports that during the conventional year, besides his duties as Dean of St. Andrew's Divinity School, he has officiated at one burial, married one couple, administered the Holy Communion three times, preached ten times, and held services in churches not otherwise provided for on seven Sundays.

The REV. J. H. YOUNG reports that during the months of July, August and September, 1891, he was in charge of the Church of the Holy Apostles, New York city, and in November and December he was in charge of the Church of the Ascension, Brooklyn, E. D. Since March 1st he has been assisting in St. Luke's Parish, Matteawan, N. Y., where, in the absence of the Rector, he is now in charge.

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*Church Homes and Hospitals.*

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## APPENDIX III.

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**Church Homes and Hospitals.**

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**St. Luke's Home and Hospital, Utica.**

Organized October 18, 1869. Incorporated December 23, 1868. Endowment, \$21,246.05. Receipts for the year ending September 30, 1891, \$11,495.68. Inmates in Home October 1st, 1891, ten. There were three hundred and eighteen patients cared for in the hospital, an increase of fifty-nine over last year, of whom one hundred and eight were residents of Utica and two hundred and ten were non-residents. Of this number one hundred and seven were men, two hundred and two were women and nine were children under ten years of age. One hundred and fifty-seven recovered, ninety-six were improved, thirteen unimproved, twenty-six died and twenty-six remained under treatment. The number requiring medical treatment was one hundred and thirty, the surgical cases were eighty-nine, the cases peculiar to women were eighty-three. There were eighteen cases of affections of the eye and ear, and there have been thirty-two surgical operations performed. Eight thousand dollars have been subscribed for the erection of the wing to the hospital building, and the contracts for construction have been let. The work is now in progress, and it is expected that the same will be completed this fall.

*Board of Managers*—President, William M. White; Vice President, Henry W. Millar; Treasurer, Alexander T. Goodwin; Secretary, John G. Gibson; Chaplain, Rev. Charles T. Olmstead, rector of Grace Church; Rev. Bernard Schulte, George H. Wiley, Edwin D. Comstock, James Constable, Jr., George M. Weaver and J. Fred Maynard.

*Officers of the Board of Almoners*—President, Mrs. Mary W. Goodwin; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Louise H. Beardsley, Mrs. Cornelia F. Jackson and Mrs. Mary C. Thomas; Treasurer, Mrs. Ella C. Peckham; Secretary, Mrs. Louise G. Schantz; House-keeper, Mrs. Mary E. Sharpe; Head Nurse, Miss Mary E. Hannahs.

*Medical Director*—Dr. Willis E. Ford.

*Medical Staff*—Dr. George Seymour, Dr. J. D. Jones, Dr. A. J. Browne, Dr. A. R. Simmons and Dr. E. D. Fuller.

*Surgical Staff*—Dr. Wilbur H. Booth, and Dr. Herbert G. Jones.

*Consulting Staff*—Dr. M. M. Bagg, Dr. James G. Hunt, Dr. W. M. Gibson, Dr. M. A. Southworth, Dr. LaFayette Rinkle, Dr. P. A. Dodge, Dr. Charles E. Smith, Dr. C. E. Munger, Dr. F. H. Peck and Dr. E. M. Draper.

*House Physician*—Dr. William J. Schuyler.

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**House of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.**

A home for females. Opened November 1, 1870. Endowment, \$5,000.

*Trustees*—The Rev. R. G. Quennell, President; the Rev. W. Henry Platt, Secretary; the Rev. S. D. Day, General John C. Robinson, Messrs. John Evans, John Anderson and Daniel Lyons.

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*House of the Good Shepherd, Utica. Shelter for Homeless Women, Syracuse.*

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*Lady Managers*—Mrs. J. J. Youmans, Mrs. Joel Fuller, Mrs. E. A. Clarke, Mrs. G. C. Walker, Mrs. D. L. Brownson, Mrs. John Ray Clarke, Mrs. C. S. Case, Mrs. C. F. Moore, Mrs. Stanley.

Inmates during the year, 11. Receipts, \$1,582.66. Disbursements, \$1,204.05.

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**House of the Good Shepherd, Utica.**

An institution for destitute and friendless children. Incorporated February 8, 1872. Endowment, \$17,700.

Receipts for 1891, \$5,627.57. Expenses, \$5,606.08. Balance, January 1, 1892, \$21.49. Average number of children cared for and taught, 40—the present limit of accommodation. Anniversary in May, in Whitsun-week.

*Trustees*—T. R. Proctor, President; G. M. Weaver, Secretary; H. P. Crouse, Treasurer; L. A. Tourtellot, M. D., M. C. Comstock, H. M. Thomson, C. S. Symonds, H. W. Millar, W. M. Storrs, John E. Brandegee.

*Officers of Board of Managers*—Miss Lucy Watson, President, Mrs. J. J. Francis, Mrs. W. M. Storrs, Mrs. E. H. Collier, Mrs. Charles Mason, Vice Presidents; Mrs. S. G. Wolcott, Secretary; Mrs. M. L. Brandegee, Treasurer.

*Matron*—Mrs. M. F. J. Brisbie.

*Chaplain*—Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross.

It is the aim of this institution to supply to the little ones entrusted to its care a good home, together with the much needed influence of a pure family life. Religious education is, of course, the primary object; and besides the daily devotions, it is the rule to have a weekly service and a catechetical instruction by the chaplain. Added to this the refining influence of a well-ordered school, instruction in sewing, and in such light domestic duties as are suited to their tender years. Constant and strenuous effort is made to throw around each child the benign influence and protection of the Church before going out to battle with the temptations of the world, and to that end baptism follows close upon the admission of any unbaptized child; and during the past three years fifteen have been presented and well prepared for confirmation.

The house is grateful to the Bishop for his kindly interest shown in many ways—notably in always being present at the anniversary services, affording great pleasure and encouragement to the children and all concerned in the prosperity of the institution—but especially for his words of sympathy and counsel so helpful to those on whom rests the constant care and responsibility be days dark or bright, in times of dearth or in times of plenty.

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**Shelter for Homeless Women, Syracuse.**

Opened February 21, 1877. Incorporated 1878.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese; Mrs. W. F. Belknap, Secretary; Miss A. S. Huntington, Treasurer; Dr. Juliet E. Hanchett, Miss J. E. McIntosh, Mrs. W. J. Smith, Mrs. F. R. Hazard, Mrs. Henry Babcock,

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*House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown.*

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Mrs. I. G. Vann, Alexander H. Davis, Dr. J. C. Carson, W. T. Hamilton, W. S. Andrews.

*Matron*—Miss A. A. Kendall. *Assistants*, Miss Tarbox, Miss Peckham.

*Chaplain*—The Rev. J. M. Clarke, D. D.

The object of the institution is to train young and neglected girls in ways of purity, industry and self-control. They are taught sewing, laundry and house work, with instruction in the elementary branches of education. Pains are taken to procure respectable situations at service for those who leave the house. There is no endowment and the income is dependent upon annual subscriptions, occasional gifts and a small sum for board from friends or the poor authorities.

Under the laws of the State, the Shelter receives girls under sixteen committed by the Police Court, and retains control of them up to the age of nineteen. They are also placed by parents or guardians under the care of the Trustees for a term of years.

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**House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown.**

Organized October 3, 1881. A free city hospital under the direction of members of Trinity and Grace Parishes.

*Officers*—President, H. M. Stevens, M. D.; Vice-President, H. H. Babcock; Secretary, Rev. Charles M. Carr; Treasurer, Rev. Russell A. Olin, S. T. D.

*Trustees*—George H. Sherman, Dr. H. M. Stevens, Hon. George A. Bagley, J. S. Greene, H. H. Babcock, Rev. R. A. Olin, S. T. D., Rev. C. M. Carr.

*Visitor*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese.

*Matron*—Mrs. Caroline Fitch.

*Lady Visitors*—Mrs. H. M. Stevens, Mrs. George H. Sherman.

*Medical Board*—Dr. Charles M. Rexford, Dr. Henry H. Deane, Dr. Andrew B. Stevens.

This institution has eleven beds. During the past year 52 patients have been under treatment; of these 30 have been discharged cured, 11 improved, 7 died. In nearly every instance those that died were brought to the hospital when past hope of recovery.

We are just informed that Mrs. Mary A. Sherman, for many years a communicant of Grace Church, and a friend and benefactress of the hospital from the time of its organization, has left by will \$500 to this institution. The Watertown Street Railway Company and the Watertown and Brownville Street Railway Company have offered to give yearly the receipts of their roads on Memorial Day. It is proposed to make this day Hospital Day, and to solicit the city generally for gifts of money.

Persons of all religious faiths are admitted from Watertown and Jefferson County. The Rectors of Trinity and Grace parishes form the regular board of visitors, but patients have the privilege of calling in any spiritual adviser they may prefer. Both Allopathic and Homœopathic physicians render their services gratuitously. The expenses are raised by subscriptions. The hospital is located at 35 Ten Eyck street, which is owned by the Trustees and is in excellent repair.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHARLES M. CARR, *Secretary*.

May 1, 1893.

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*St. Andrew's Divinity School—St. John's Military School.*

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## Educational Institutions.

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### St. Andrew's Divinity School.

A Seminary for the training of Candidates for Orders, under the immediate supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese. Established September 16, 1876.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Messrs. William Marvin, Horace O. Moss and Charles H. Smythe.

*Dean*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D.

During the year the instruction is given as follows:

By the Bishop: The Sacraments and Sacramental Offices; Preaching; Spiritual Life.

By the Dean: First term, in the history and contents of the Old Testament Scriptures. Second term, the history, contents and interpretation of the New Testament Scriptures. Third term, the history, contents and right use of the Prayer Book.

By the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D.: in Hebrew and Church History, Pastoral Care and New Testament Greek.

By the Rev. J. Everett Johnson: in the Articles and Systematic Divinity throughout the year.

Instruction in Hebrew will be given throughout the year as may be desired.

There is a Preparatory Course at St. John's School, Manlius, ten miles from Syracuse.

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### St. John's Military School, Manlius.

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President of the Board of Trustees; Lt. Col. William Verbeck, Superintendent; the Rev. A. C. Clarke, Chaplain.

St. John's school was founded in 1869 by the Rt. Rev. Frederic D. Huntington, S. T. D., Bishop of Central New York, and has ever since been a successful Church School of the highest grade. It is located at Manlius, N. Y., ten miles from Syracuse on the line of the Syracuse, Ontario and New York R. R. The situation of the School buildings is on high ground with excellent natural drainage. The direct locality as well as the region surrounding it is extremely healthful. The appointments of the school edifice are unsurpassed. It was recently built at great expense with express reference to educational uses, and is provided with special securities against accident and ill health. It has all the modern improvements, is heated by steam and lighted with gas.

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*Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.*

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The Chaplain conducts all religious worship and instruction. The services are arranged and conducted, with the advice of the Bishop, as will best promote moral and religious growth.

There are five courses of study, a course in Civil Engineering, a Classical Course, a Business Course, a Special Course and a Preparatory Course.

During the year ending June 17, 1892, there were eighty-two cadets registered.

The Superintendent, Chaplain, Headmaster, Commandant, detailed by the War Department, and five masters constitute the Faculty.

### **Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.**

Under the supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese. Founded in 1871.

Incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, in December, 1878, and a Board of Trustees chosen, of which the Bishop of the Diocese is President.

*Principal*—Miss Mary Jackson, who has able assistants in all branches of study.

This is a Boarding and Day School, designed to furnish the best facilities for the sound and thorough education of girls in all scholarly attainments, womanly graces and Christian character. The situation of the school is in a healthful locality, on a wide, pleasant and attractive street, with a commodious house and ample grounds open to the light and air.

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# APPENDIX IV.

(A.)

## Table of Parochial Statistics.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Families.	Baptisms.			Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Burials.	School		Offerings.
		Adults.	Infants.	Total.					Teachers.	Pupils.	
BROOME COUNTY.											
Binghamton, Christ Church.....	3	23	26	13	370	14	21	18	125	\$ 5,633	56
" Trinity.....	8	28	21	31	269	9	16	17	163	7,380	53
" Good Shepherd.....	10	10	20	22	230	7	14	9	99	3,013	21
Chenango Forks, St. John's.....	18	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	21
Harpursville, St. Luke's.....	*43	.....	.....	.....	*46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Whitney's Point, Grace.....	15	.....	.....	.....	28	.....	.....	4	35	192	02
Windsor, Zion.....	24	3	3	.....	43	1	2	5	24	407	79
Total.....	110	21	59	80	56	1009	25	58	53	463	\$16,350 02
CAYUGA COUNTY.											
Auburn, St. Peter's.....	400	13	22	26	56	595	23	59	24	260	\$ 7,796 41
" St. John's.....	22	3	12	14	.....	227	.....	13	10	96	1,419 80
Aurora, St. Paul's.....	*20	.....	.....	.....	*41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cayuga, St. Luke's.....	*15	.....	.....	.....	*26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Moravia, St. Matthew's.....	68	31	11	42	55	138	3	19	8	46	925 45
Port Byron, St. Paul's.....	12	.....	1	1	1	13	.....	1	6	36	69 96
Union Springs, Grace.....	*23	.....	.....	.....	*33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Weedsport, St. John's.....	14	1	3	4	.....	17	.....	1	4	19	129 05
Total.....	643	47	49	96	112	1088	26	77	52	460	\$10,840 69
CHEMUNG COUNTY.											
Big Flats, St. John's.....	15	4	2	6	1	.....	2	2	4	81	\$ 272 16
Elmira, Trinity.....	165	10	21	31	24	265	17	16	15	140	6,612 05
" Grace.....	251	16	53	74	23	272	7	22	14	162	5,042 14
" Emmanuel.....	50	11	18	29	19	72	4	8	9	29	1,393 00
Horseheads, St. Matthew's.....	*43	.....	.....	.....	*96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	526	41	90	140	67	704	30	47	42	423	\$12,310 35
CHENANGO COUNTY.											
Afton, St. Ann's.....	40	5	3	8	5	51	.....	8	5	25	\$ 1,587 79
Bainbridge, St. Peter's.....	71	5	6	14	15	96	2	5	8	50	942 52
Greene, Zion.....	123	2	1	3	6	208	3	14	13	90	2,527 04
Guilford, Christ Church.....	62	.....	1	1	.....	129	8	10	7	37	1,026 88
McDonough Calvary.....	28	2	.....	2	5	48	.....	1	4	20	267 06
Mt. Upton, Grace.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	1	.....	.....	178 90
New Berlin, St. Andrew's.....	.....	4	5	9	10	191	4	28	10	70	3,128 25
Norwich, Emmanuel.....	153	3	6	9	9	250	3	11	17	143	2,360 28
Oxford, St. Paul's.....	127	3	4	7	14	182	1	15	13	76	3,858 14
Sherburne, Christ Church.....	88	1	7	8	.....	118	.....	7	10	56	1,637 66
Total.....	729	25	22	60	65	1334	20	97	86	577	\$17,500 10
CORTLAND COUNTY.											
Cortland, Grace.....	142	2	8	10	10	202	.....	9	9	74	\$ 2,229 71
Homer, Calvary.....	50	10	5	15	3	87	1	7	5	34	543 56
Total.....	192	12	13	25	13	289	1	16	14	108	\$ 2,773 27

\*Number last reported.



## Parochial Statistics: Jefferson—Lewis—Madison—Oneida.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms.			Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	School.		Offerings.
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.				Teachers.	Pupils.	
JEFFERSON COUNTY.									
Adams, Emmanuel.....	*50				*73				
Antwerp, St. Paul's.....	30	8	2	5	6	48	1	5	\$ 790 01
Brownville, St. Paul's.....	24	4		6	9	80	1	2	604 46
Cape Vincent, St. John's.....	67	6	13	2	104	3	5	9	954 36
Carthage, Grace.....	64	2	8	5	114	10	14	7	1,200 26
Champion, St. John's.....	*60				*35				
Clayton, Christ Church.....	*60	1	3	4	6	*67	5	5	991 54
Dexter, All Saints.....	16		2	2	1	12	1		51 00
Ellisburgh, Christ Church.....	12					12		4	71 28
Evans Mills, Mission.....	20		1	1	4	22		4	179 58
Fredericks Corners, St. Paul's.....	12					15	1		12 80
Great Bend, Trinity Chapel.....						*27			
La Fargeville, St. Paul's.....	*21					35	1		222 13
North Watertown, Redeemer.....								14	90
Pierrepont Manor, Zion.....	33	1	1	1	52	2	14	5	408 21
Redwood, St. Peter's.....	20	5	4	9	32	3	3	4	377 80
Sacketts Harbor, Christ Church.....	52	5	9	14	92	8	12	8	821 21
Theresa, St. James'.....	*30	2	5	7	34	3	10	5	378 48
Watertown, Trinity.....	380	22	11	103	54	878	25	70	11,228 18
Grace.....	150	6	10	23	214	21	11	20	5,667 48
Total.....	1091	56	139	105	62	1474	61	156	\$24,395 26
LEWIS COUNTY.									
Constableville, St. Paul's.....	28	2	0	8	6	84	4	2	\$ 835 68
Copenhagen, Grace.....	*30					*49			
Lowville, Trinity.....	102	2	9	11		115	2	6	577 72
Port Leyden, St. Mark's.....	30		2	2	2	40	1	3	276 42
Total.....	200	4	17	21	8	289	6	9	\$ 1,649 84
MADISON COUNTY.									
Cazenovia, St. Peter's.....		7	22	29	11	132		8	\$ 3,140 61
Canastota, Mission.....	40	2	6	8	11	56		7	382 20
Chittenango, St. Paul's.....	19		1	1		25		5	369 28
Earlville, Grace Mission.....	29	8		3	1	34		5	351 20
Hamilton, St. Thomas.....	*70	1		1		*103	1	7	1,051 00
Oneida, St. John's.....	*155	2	13	15	23	230	5	6	3,500 63
Perryville, St. Stephen's.....	*10					*19			
Total.....	323	15	42	57	46	590	6	21	\$ 8,593 66
ONEIDA COUNTY.									
Augusta, St. Andrew's.....	13	8		6	2	15			\$ 196 05
Boonville, Trinity.....	43		9	9		74	1		
Bridgewater, Christ Church.....	*7								
Camden, Trinity.....	26	5	7	12	6	75	5	8	1,012 69
Clark's Mills, St. Mark's.....	4	1	7	8	3	24	2	5	270 73
Clayville, St. John's.....	*12					*20			
Clinton, St. James'.....	80	1	9	10		179	3	20	1,573 35
Deerfield, Mission.....						*16			
Durhamville, Mission.....			4	4	3	34		1	5
Forestport, Christ Church.....	*47					*58			176 26
Holland Patent, St. Paul's.....	24	1	5	6	2	40		1	4
New Hartford, St. Stephen's.....	*110					*154			473 09
New York Mills, Mission.....					1				
Oriskany, St. Peter's.....	50	7	10	17	4	83		11	6
Oriskany Falls, Good Shep'd Miss'n.....	36	3		2	13	40		2	7
Paris Hill, St. Paul's.....	34	1	4	7	4	68		8	5
Rome, Zion.....	290	10	17	27	20	400	11	24	26
St. Joseph's.....	42		11	11	19	100		2	8
Utica, Calvary.....		3	85	3	18	473	9	38	40
Grace.....		9	19	27	28	496	5	16	21
Holy Cross.....	110	2	18	30	19	170	1	17	12
St. George's.....		10	13	35	18	132	6	23	7
St. Luke's.....	300	19	127	146	54	563	47	71	35
Trinity.....		9	18	22	20	284	9	17	16
Waterville, Grace.....	89	10	24	34	23	174	2	7	9
Westmoreland, Gethsemane.....	23	4	8	7	5	39	1	0	2
Whitesboro, St. John's.....	50	3	14	17	9	85	9	5	4
Total.....	1272	108	358	459	285	3903	115	272	\$67,120 04

\* Number last reported.

Parochial Statistics Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Families.	Baptisms.			Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	School.		Offerings.
		Adults.	Infants.	Total.				Teachers.	Pupils.	
ONONDAGA COUNTY.										
Baldwinsville, Grace.....	75	8	2	10	20	158	3	30	9	75 \$ 2,219 05
Fayetteville, Trinity.....	68	8	4	12	12	149	2	10	7	65 1,558 80
Jamesville, St. Mark's.....	21	1	1	2	1	37	1	6	5	25 228 00
Jordan, Christ Church.....	70	1	9	10	5	100	5	8	8	20 506 50
Manlius, Christ Church.....	33	1	1	2	1	44	1	9	6	44 554 18
Marcellus, St. John's.....	31	1	4	5	1	40	1	3	3	20 535 61
Onondaga, Indian Mission.....	24	1	6	7	1	40	1	5	1	20 72 05
Skanesateles, St. James'.....	110	4	28	32	19	914	10	28	10	160 2,507 96
Syracuse, Calvary.....	40	2	2	4	1	50	1	1	1	1 1,073 13
East, Emmanuel.....	116	5	8	13	14	234	8	12	13	140 2,085 88
Grace.....	180	2	11	13	13	275	2	7	12	100 13,000 74
St. James'.....	180	2	11	13	13	275	2	7	12	100 13,000 74
St. Mark's.....	150	6	14	20	8	225	7	21	16	120 1,478 97
St. John's.....	326	3	34	37	21	518	9	40	27	185 3,439 02
St. Paul's.....	175	5	14	19	13	245	1	10	17	135 8,552 18
Trinity.....										
Total .....	1081	47	143	190	136	2740	62	111	150	1342 \$ 52,030 61
OSWEGO COUNTY.										
Ablon, St. John's.....	*43					*34				
Cleveland, St. James'.....	1	8	9	17	1	82	1	3	6	43 \$ 436 04
Fulton, Zion.....	1	3	3	6	1	80	1	5	7	40 912 09
Lacona, Mission.....	40	5	7	12	15	15	1	9	4	24 1,056 00
Mexico, Grace.....	28	1	1	2	8	50	5	8	4	35 530 62
Oswego, Christ Church.....	190	9	24	33	27	275	5	30	19	150 7,737 04
Evangelists.....	164	7	30	37	15	280	3	12	15	160 3,439 02
Pulaski, St. James'.....	59	4	2	6	2	51	4	3	5	35 960 01
Total .....	524	27	75	102	52	847	19	65	60	487 \$ 14,145 71
SENECA COUNTY.										
Day's Landing, St. Andrew's.....	9	1	1	2	15	1	1	1	11	\$ 75 86
Hart's Corners, Calvary.....	20	3	3	6	23	2	4	4	24	349 80
Ovid, Trinity.....	*8				*12					
Romulus, St. Stephen's.....	27	1	1	2	20	2	2	2	8	277 76
Seneca Falls, Trinity.....	135	5	20	25	290	2	30	25	150	4,502 72
Waterloo, St. Paul's.....	170	7	25	32	16	248	11	28	30	300 4,805 77
Willard, Mission.....	35	1	5	6	10	79	2	2	4	23 684 89
Willowdale, Grace.....	25	2	10	12	9	45	4	4	2	35 298 85
Total .....	449	19	61	80	35	714	17	60	68	473 \$ 10,899 85
TIOGA COUNTY.										
Candor, St. Mark's.....	19	9	2	11	38	3	5	5	30	\$ 873 95
Owego, St. Paul's.....	31	1	9	10	1	138	4	9	5	40 1,963 99
Smithboro, Emmanuel.....	16	1	1	2	25	2	1	4	25	141 96
Waverly, Grace.....	80	1	8	9	6	88	7	10	12	43 1,026 50
Total .....	196	11	20	31	17	269	16	26	26	128 \$ 3,504 39
TOMPKINS COUNTY.										
Ithaca, St. John's.....	223	2	29	31	17	331	13	18	30	268 \$ 8,115 45
St. Paul's.....	16	1	1	2	1	22	1	1	1	1 465 00
McLean, Zion.....	*18					*22				
Starbuck, Mission.....	*17					*20				
Speedville, St. John's.....	50	1	1	2	3	63	1	6	6	35 1,389 77
Trumansburg, Epiphany.....										
Total .....	334	3	29	32	20	425	15	26	45	321 \$ 10,129 13
Total for 135 parishes, &c.....	7790	434	1134	1568	1055	18055	419	1049	1023	8341 \$ 254,437 94
*Number last reported.										

\*Number last reported.

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*Summary of Statistics.*


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(B.)

**Summary of Statistics.****CLERGY:—**

Ordained: Deacons 8, Priests 3, .....	11
Received .....	4
Transferred .....	11
Died .....	1
Canonically Resident: Bishop 1, Priests 97, Deacons 11 .....	109

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS... ..	22
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POSTULANTS .....	8
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LICENSED LAY READERS.....	66
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**PARISHES:—**

Present number in Union with the Convention .....	109
Whole number of Parishes: Self-supporting 49, Missionary 61...	110
Whole number of Parishes and Missions .....	146

**CHURCHES:—**

Consecrated during the year .....	4
Corner Stones laid .....	3
Whole number of Churches .....	140

RECTORIES .....	56
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**EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS:—**

Parochial .....	1
Teachers .....	1
Scholars .....	32
Academic .....	2
Teachers .....	23
Scholars .....	282
Theological .....	1
Teachers .....	5
Students .....	15

**CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS:—****Church Homes:—**

For the Aged and Destitute.....	2
For Friendless Children .....	1
For Homeless Women.....	1
Church Hospitals... ..	3
Number of Inmates in Church Homes .....	76
Number of Patients cared for in Church Hospitals .....	470

*Summary of Offerings.*

**Parochial Statistics.**

**FAMILIES:—**

Reported, 7,780; estimated for Parishes not reporting, 600 ..... 8,380

**BAPTISMS:—**

Adults, 434; Infants, 1,134..... 1,568

CONFIRMED ..... 1,058

COMMUNICANTS..... 16,055

MARRIAGES ..... 419

BURIALS ..... 1,049

**SUNDAY SCHOOLS:—**

Teachers reported in 103 Parishes and Missions..... 1,023

Scholars reported in 102 Parishes and Missions ..... 8,341

**Summary of Offerings.**

**PAROCHIAL:—**

Communion Alms.....\$ 5,081 86

Current Expenses and Rectors' Salaries..... 144,886 68

Sunday Schools..... 6,542 25

Increase and Improvement of Church Property ..... 35,799 74

Special Charities..... 7,077 98

Indebtedness paid..... 4,394 55

Other Parochial Objects..... 3,899 14

Total for Parochial Objects.....\$207,682 20

**DIOCESAN:—**

Diocesan Missions: from Parishes, &c.....\$9,233 03

Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued..... 1,253 22

—————\$10,486 25

Episcopate Fund..... 1,075 50

General Fund..... 1,433 86

Christmas Fund..... 1,121 85

Bishop's Relief Fund..... 520 29

Bishop's Chaplain Fund..... 739 45

Church Building Fund..... 131 73

Theological Education..... 1,013 52

Central New York Bible and Prayer Book Society ..... 87 70

Homes and Hospitals..... 9,518 43

Onondaga Indian Mission..... 223 57

Aid to various Churches..... 3,850 19

Various Objects ..... 91 45

Total for Diocesan Objects..... \$30,293 79

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*Permanent Funds.*


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**GENERAL:—**

Domestic Missions: General .....	\$4,645 49	
Special .....	2,764 43	
Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued .....	5,079 53	
	<hr/>	\$12,489 49
Foreign Missions .....		2,025 68
Church Missions to the Jews .....		187 71
New York Bible and Prayer Book Society.....		83 25
Church Missions to Deaf Mutes .....		294 90
American Church Building Fund .....		601 80
Church Temperance Society.....		20 43
Mexico .....		92 00
Parochial Missions Society.....		165 70
Russian Sufferers .....		234 00
Other Objects .....		267 00
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Total for General Objects.....	\$	16,461 95
TOTAL AMOUNT OF OFFERINGS.....	\$	254,437 94
VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY.....	\$	1,960,633 00
AMOUNT OF INSURANCE REPORTED.....	\$	795,400 00

**Permanent Funds.**

Christmas Fund for Disabled Clergy, &c.....	\$	12,000 00
Episcopate Fund.....		76,504 32
DeLancey Fund.....		2,600 00
Permanent Missionary Fund.....		20,453 93
VanWagenen Missionary Fund.....		21,185 35
Jennie McGraw.Fiske Fund.....		15,000 00
Clarke Scholarship Fund.....		2,000 00
Bible and Prayer Book Society Fund.....		3,000 00
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Total Amount of Permanent Funds.....	\$	152,743 60

## APPENDIX V.

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(A.)

# CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

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## CONSTITUTION,

ADOPTED JUNE 14TH, 1870.

### ARTICLE I.

**SECTION 1.** There shall be a Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this Diocese, on the Second Tuesday of June, in the year 1870, and each year thereafter, at four o'clock and thirty minutes P. M., in such place as shall be determined by the Bishop for the time being, or in case of his inability to act or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, by the Standing Committee.

**SEC. 2.** On Tuesday evening, after service, a quorum being present, the Convention shall organize, and the Standing Committees shall be appointed.

**SEC. 3.** In the event of the prevalence of any epidemic disease, or for other sufficient cause, occurring after the designation of the place of meeting, the Bishop, or in the cases above mentioned, the Standing Committee, may appoint another place for the meeting of the Convention.

### ARTICLE II.

The Bishop may call Special Conventions when he shall judge it conducive to the good of the Church.

In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or the inability of the Bishop to do so, the Standing Committee may call such Conventions.

### ARTICLE III.

**SECTION 1.** The Convention shall be composed of the Bishop, if he be present, and the officiating Ministers regularly admitted and settled in some Church within the Diocese which is in union with the Convention; and of Lay-members, not exceeding three Delegates from each Parish.

**SEC. 2.** All other Clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese for the space of six months, and not under discipline, may be members of the Convention.

**SEC. 3.** The Lay Delegates shall be chosen by the Vestry, when one is in legal existence. When the Vestry is, from vacancy or otherwise, incompetent to act, they shall be chosen by the Congregation.

**SEC. 4.** But in case of Churches or Congregations organized or incorporated without a Vestry, Delegates may be chosen by the Church or Congregation, unless the Convention shall otherwise prescribe.

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SEC. 5. The mode of admitting new Churches or Congregations into union with the Convention may be prescribed by Canon.

ARTICLE IV.

Every Convention at its first morning session shall be opened with Prayers and the Holy Communion, and the Bishop may at this time deliver his Annual Address, or Charge.

ARTICLE V.

The Bishop shall preside in the Convention; but in case of a vacancy, inability to act, or necessary absence, the members shall elect a President from among the Presbyters.

ARTICLE VI.

A Secretary shall be chosen upon the assembling of the Annual Convention from among the members thereof, who shall remain in office until the meeting of the next Annual Convention, and until a successor be appointed. His duty shall be to take minutes of their proceedings, to preserve their journals and records, to attest the public acts of the body, and faithfully to deliver into the hands of his successor, all books and papers relative to the concerns of the Convention which may be in his possession. It shall also be his duty to give due notice to each Minister and Vestry of the time and place appointed for the meeting of each Convention.

ARTICLE VII.

SECTION 1. In all matters which come before the Convention, the Clergy and Laity shall deliberate, and, except as provided in the next Section, may vote, in one body; but if in any case it shall be required by five members, the two orders shall vote separately, the Clergy as individuals and the Laity by Parishes; and the concurrence of a majority of each order shall be necessary to constitute a decision.

SEC. 2. In case of the election of a Bishop, the two orders shall always vote separately by ballot, and according to the mode above prescribed.

ARTICLE VIII.

The mode of altering the Constitution shall be as follows: A proposition for an amendment shall be introduced, in writing, and considered in the Convention; and if approved of, shall lie over till the next Annual Convention; and, if again approved of in such next Convention by a majority of the two orders voting thereon separately, the change shall take place, and the Constitution so altered shall be valid and obligatory.

ARTICLE IX.

No amendment of the Canons shall be made during the session of the Convention in which the same shall be proposed, unless two-thirds of each order shall concur therein; but any amendment, if approved by a majority less than two-thirds, shall lie over for the consideration and final action of the next Annual Convention.

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CANONS.

ADOPTED IN CONVENTION, 1869.

CANON I.

*Of a List of Ministers in the Diocese.*

SECTION 1. Within one week before the meeting of every Convention of this Diocese, the Bishop shall prepare, or cause to be prepared, a list of all the Ministers canonically resident in this Diocese, annexing the names of their respective Cures, Parishes, Stations, or places of residence, designating those who are entitled to seats in the Convention; but no Clergyman while suspended from the Ministry, shall have a place on the said list. And such list shall be laid before the Convention on the first day of meeting, and be prefixed to the Journal.

SEC. 2. The right of any Clergyman of this Diocese to a seat in the Convention shall, if disputed, be determined according to the provisions of the third Article of the Constitution, by the Convention itself; whether his name be inserted in the list aforesaid or omitted.

CANON II.

*Of the Members and Organization of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. The evidence of the regular admission of a Clergyman into this Diocese shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention of a compliance with Section 7, of Canon XV, Title I, of the Digest of the Canons of the General Convention; and the evidence of settlement in a Church thereof shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention, of a compliance with the first and second sections of Canon XV, Title I, of the Digest.

SEC. 2. The appointment of a Lay Delegate to the Convention of this Diocese shall be certified in writing by the Rector of the Parish of which he is a representative, or by one of the Wardens, or by the Clerk of the Vestry of such Parish; and no other certificate of the appointment of any Lay Delegate or Delegates to the Convention of this Diocese shall be allowed or received. And no Lay Delegate shall be entitled to a seat in the Convention unless he be entitled to vote for Wardens and Vestrymen of the Parish which he is appointed to represent.

SEC. 3. At every Convention the Bishop shall take the Chair, and shall continue to preside during its sitting. He shall possess the usual powers of presiding officers in deliberative assemblies to preserve order and decorum, and shall decide all questions of order without debate, subject to an appeal to the House. He shall have the right to name any clerical member to perform the duties of the Chair, but such substitute shall not extend beyond an adjournment, unless directed by the House.

SEC. 4. In case of the absence or disability of the Bishop, or of a vacancy in the office, the senior clerical member of the Standing Committee present shall call the Convention to order and act as President *pro tempore*, and perform all the duties of President until the Convention shall be organized and shall have elected a President.



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**SEC. 5.** The President having taken the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call over the names of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, and shall enter in the Journal the names of those who are present. Notice shall then be given to the Lay Delegates to place their certificates on the table. They shall be examined by the Secretary and a Committee of two members to be appointed by the President. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared. The names of the Lay Delegates duly appointed shall then be called, and the names of those who are present shall be entered on the Journal. The irregular and defective certificates shall be reported to the Convention as soon as it is duly organized, who shall decide on the admission of the Delegates named in them.

**SEC. 6.** The presence of at least twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and of Delegates from at least twenty Congregations, shall be necessary to the transaction of business, except that a smaller number may adjourn from day to day.

**SEC. 7.** A quorum being found to be in attendance, the President shall declare the Convention duly organized. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an Assistant Secretary, to be approved by the Convention.

**SEC. 8.** The Rules of Order of the preceding Annual Convention shall be the Rules of Order until altered by a vote of a majority of the Convention.

### CANON III.

#### *Of the Call of a Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** Notice of the meeting of any Convention shall be given by the Secretary in a printed letter, transmitted by mail at the expense of the Convention, to every Clergyman in the Diocese, and to the Wardens in every vacant Parish, at least one month before the time of meeting. This letter shall contain a notice of the time and place of holding the Convention, extracts from the Constitution and Canons relating to the appointment of Lay Delegates, and a form of certificate of their election. Notice of the meeting shall also be inserted in any newspaper in which the Bishop may direct such insertion to be made.

**SEC. 2.** Whenever, under the provision of the Constitution, a special Convention is called for any particular purpose, it shall be the duty of the Secretary in the notice thereof to specify such purpose.

### CANON IV.

#### *Of the Admission of a Church into Union with the Church in this Diocese.*

**SECTION 1.** To entitle a Church to admission into union with the Church in this Diocese, it is required that there be submitted to the Convention of the same, at a stated meeting: (1.) A certificate from the Bishop, or in case of his absence or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, of a major part of the Standing Committee, approving the incorporation of such a Church: (2.) The certificate of incorporation duly proved and recorded, or a copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the County. But no such certificate shall be given by the Bishop or the majority of the Standing Committee save upon satisfactory evidence of the ability of such Church to pay and continue the sum of at least six hundred dollars a year for the support of a Rector or Missionary; and also that such Church contains at least thirty actual Communicants.

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**SEC. 2.** Whenever, hereafter, any Church in union with this Convention, shall neglect, for three years in succession, to make a parochial report, no missionary report being made in its behalf; and during the same period shall not employ a Clergyman as its Parish Minister, nor obtain the services of a Missionary, nor make the stated monthly collections as required by Canon X of this Diocese, such Church shall be regarded as having forfeited its connection with the Convention, and be no longer entitled to representation in the same; and the Bishop shall report said Church to the Convention in his Annual Address; but any such Church may be readmitted on the recommendation of the Bishop, and by a resolution of the Convention, and such readmission shall take effect from and after the rising of the Convention which shall have agreed to the same.

**CANON V.**

*Of the Secretary of the Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** In addition to the duties imposed upon the Secretary by the Constitution and by Canon III, he shall be required to transmit annually to each of the Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, and to the Secretary of the last House of Clerical and Lay Deputies in the General Convention, and to the Secretary of every Diocesan Convention a copy of the Journal of the Convention: and shall request the last to send copies of their respective Journals in exchange. He shall also transmit a copy to each Clergyman in the Diocese, and each Lay Delegate attending the Convention, and five copies to each Parish in the Diocese, one of which it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Vestry to preserve with the Parish records.

**SEC. 2.** He shall also transmit to every General Convention, in addition to the documents mentioned in Section 3, Canon XVIII, Title 1, of the Digest, a certificate to be signed by himself, containing a list of the Clergymen in this Diocese, and the amount of funds paid or secured to be paid (distinguishing them) to the General Theological Seminary; together with the nomination of Trustees of that Seminary; and also a certificate of the appointment of Clerical and Lay Deputies.

**SEC. 3.** Any expense incurred by a compliance with the several sections of this Canon shall be paid out of the Diocesan Fund.

**SEC. 4.** Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of Secretary of the Convention, the duties thereof shall devolve upon the Assistant Secretary if there be one; if not, upon the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

**CANON VI.**

*Of the Treasurer of the Diocese.*

**SECTION 1.** At every Annual Convention there shall be chosen a Treasurer of the Diocese. It shall be his duty to receive and disburse all moneys collected under the authority of the Convention, the collection and distribution of which shall not be otherwise regulated. He shall be subject to the direction of the Standing Committee in relation to the mode and place of depositing the funds received by him, and the manner of paying them out, and his accounts and books shall be at all times subject to the inspection of the Standing Committee or any member thereof. Before entering on the duties of his office he shall give a bond to the Standing Committee, in such penalty and with such surety as they shall direct, conditional for the faithful performance of his duties, and for the delivery over to his successor of all funds, securities, books and papers pertaining to his office.

**SEC. 2.** His accounts shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

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SEC. 3. In case of a vacancy in the office, the Standing Committee shall appoint a Treasurer, and the person so appointed shall continue to act until an election is made by the Convention. The Treasurer may be removed at any time from his office by the Standing Committee, for any neglect or misconduct, of which they shall be judges.

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**CANON VII.**

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*Of Registers, Parochial Reports, and the Removal of Communicants from one Parish to another.*

SECTION 1. The Parish Register required by Section 5, Canon XV, Title 1, of the Digest, shall specify the name and the time of the birth of the child baptized, with the names of the parents and sponsors; the name of the adult baptized; the names of the parties married, and of two or more special witnesses of the same, and the place where the marriage was solemnized; the names of the persons buried; and also the time when each rite was performed. These Registers shall be kept by the Minister in a book to be provided for that purpose belonging to the Vestry of each Church; which book shall be the Parish Register, and shall be preserved by the Vestry as a part of the records of the Church.

SEC. 2. The Parish Register shall contain a list of the families and adult persons in the Cure as far as practicable, and also an accurate list of the persons confirmed from time to time.

SEC. 3. In every Parish and Missionary Station a list of the Communicants shall be kept which shall retain the names of all persons who shall have been admitted to the Holy Communion in that Parish or Station until they shall have ceased to be Communicants in the Cure by either (1) death, (2) removal or (3) repulsion and suspension or excommunication by competent authority. In the Annual Report of the Parish, discrimination shall be made by means of separate items between those who shall have received the Holy Communion at least once within two years preceding such report, and all others whose names are on the list as above provided, but who shall not have received the Communion either in public or in private during the two years preceding the report, whatever may have been the occasion or cause of their neglect of their privilege and duty.

SEC. 4. The Annual Report shall also indicate all the additions to the list of communicants during the past year, as well as the losses by death, removal, repulsion or suspension, as required by Section 5, Canon XV, Title 1, and Section 1, Canon XVIII, Title 1, of the Digest, and shall also contain, in addition to the value of churches and rectories, the amount of insurance thereon.

SEC. 5. In every case where a Parish is destitute of a Minister, the Register contemplated by this Canon shall be kept by the Wardens, or by some person appointed by the Vestry, whose duty it shall also be to prepare and forward to the Bishop the Annual Parochial Report.

SEC. 6. Communicants removing from one parish to another, in this Diocese, shall procure a certificate as provided for in Canon XII, Title 2, Sec. 1, of the Canons of the General Convention.

SEC. 7. The same rule shall apply in this Diocese to Communicants who may wish to be transferred, without changing their residence, from the list of Communicants in one Parish, so as to be received as Communicants in any other Parish or in any other place of worship, where the Holy Communion is habitually celebrated.

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**SEC. 8.** No Rector or other Minister in charge of any Parish in this Diocese shall receive as an habitual Communicant, or enter upon the list of Communicants under his charge, the name of any person who has been a Communicant in any other Parish in this Diocese, without such a certificate or Letter Dimissory from the Parish to which such Communicant last belonged.

**SEC. 9.** Any Communicant, not under censure or ecclesiastical discipline, shall be entitled to such a Certificate or Letter, on application therefor to the Minister in charge of the Parish to which said Communicant belongs, and in case of a vacancy in the pastoral care of a Parish, and in case of any person under discipline, the application shall be referred to the Bishop of the Diocese, or in the vacancy of the Episcopal office, to the President of the Standing Committee, and the answer and decision of the Bishop or of the President of the Standing Committee, as above provided, shall be final and conclusive.

**CANON VIII.**

*Of Deputies to the General Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** The Convention shall, at its regular annual meeting next preceding the regular session of the General Convention, elect by the concurrent ballot of the Clerical and Lay Members, four Clergymen and four Laymen, who shall be Communicants of the Church and residents of the Diocese, to act as Deputies from this Diocese to the General Convention. The Deputies so chosen shall hold their office during the term of three years.

**SEC. 2.** Any vacancy occurring among the Deputies between the stated times of election, may be supplied by any Convention during or prior to which such vacancy shall occur.

**SEC. 3.** It shall be the duty of the Deputies-elect to signify to the Bishop, on some day within three weeks of the meeting of the General Convention, and at least one week before such meeting, the acceptance of the appointment, and their intention to perform its duties; in default of which, and in case of their inability or unwillingness to perform the duties of the appointment, all vacancies so occurring by declensions, sickness or death, shall be filled by the designation of the Bishop, from the list of the Clergymen and Laymen actually belonging to the Convention in which the Deputies were appointed, and such person or persons so designated by the Bishop, being furnished with his certificate thereof, shall have all the power and authority of Deputies duly elected by the Convention.

**SEC. 4.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or of the inability of the Bishop to act, the power conferred upon the Bishop by this Canon shall be exercised by the President of the Standing Committee.

**CANON IX.**

*Of the Standing Committee.*

**SECTION 1.** At every Annual Convention an election of a Standing Committee shall be made; which Committee shall consist of four of the Clergy and four of the Laity, to be chosen by ballot, and by the concurrent vote of each order, each Parish having one vote by its delegates. Vacancies in said Committee, occurring by death or otherwise, shall be supplied by the concurrent vote of the Clerical Members and Lay Members of the Committee.

**SEC. 2.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop in matters of discipline, shall be performed by

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the Standing Committee, except in those cases where such powers and duties are or may be specially delegated to or enjoined upon the Clerical Members of said Committee; in which cases such powers and duties shall be exercised by said Clerical Members alone; provided that no sentence shall be pronounced upon a Clergyman but by a Bishop.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of the Standing Committee shall keep a true record of their proceedings, and report the same annually to the Diocesan Convention. He shall preserve all books, Journals and papers belonging to said Committee, and transmit the same to his successor in office.

### CANON X.

#### *Of the Diocesan Missions and Offerings.*

SECTION I. All Members of the Church in the Diocese of Central New York constitute its Diocesan Missionary Society; and the Convention of the Diocese shall be the Diocesan Board of Missions.

SEC. II. For missionary purposes the Diocese shall be divided into six districts, as follows:

First District—Jefferson and Lewis Counties.

Second District—Oneida County.

Third District—Broome, Chenango and Madison Counties.

Fourth District—Onondaga and Oswego Counties.

Fifth District—Cayuga and Seneca Counties.

Sixth District—Chemung, Cortland, Tioga and Tompkins Counties.

SEC. III. 1. The principal officer of each Missionary District shall be called the Dean of the District. He shall be appointed every four years by the Bishop, from the Clergy of the District, after nomination in a regular Convocation of the same. Under the Bishop he shall have the oversight of all Missionary work in his District.

2. Each Missionary District shall annually elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, at its first regular Convocation after the annual Convention of the Diocese.

3. If the office of Dean of any Missionary District become vacant, by removal or otherwise, the Bishop shall appoint a successor for the remainder of the term.

SEC. IV. 1. In the general Missionary work of the Diocese, the Bishop shall be assisted by a Diocesan Board of Managers consisting, together with the Bishop, of the Treasurer of the Diocese, who shall also be the Treasurer of the Board, the six Deans, and six Clergymen and six Laymen, one of each from each Missionary District, to be elected by ballot at each annual meeting of the Diocesan Board of Missions. In any vacancy of the Episcopate, the Board of Managers shall elect one of its members to preside.

2. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall consult for the promotion of the Missionary work of the Diocese. It shall each year, through its Secretary, present to the Diocesan Board of Missions, at its annual session, a report of the Missionary work of the Diocese during the Conventional year.

3. At each Annual Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall submit to the Diocesan Board of Missions for its action, an estimate of the sum required for the Missionary work of the Diocese during the current year. Immediately after the adjournment of the Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall meet and determine how much of the money voted by the

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Diocese for its Missionary work during the year, shall be assessed to each District, and what part of it shall be given to the same for apportionment among its Stipendiary Clergy.

4. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall, through its Treasurer, prepare for publication in each Journal of the Convention, a table, by districts, of all the Parishes and Missions in the Diocese, the sum assessed to each District to be raised for Diocesan Missionary work, the amount assessed by the District to each Parish and Mission for the same, and the sum actually given for this purpose by each Parish and Mission. It shall also contain the amount of Stipendiary Funds given to each District, together with the sum apportioned to each of its Stipendiary Parishes and Missions.

5. Other meetings of the Board of Managers shall be held at the call of the Bishop, or, in a vacancy of the Episcopate, of four Deans. Eleven members of the Board, including three Deans, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; but no action of the Board shall be valid without the approval of the Bishop.

SEC. v. 1. Each Missionary District shall hold not less than two stated Convocations yearly. At the first of these, which shall be held as soon after the adjournment of the Annual Convention as the District may determine, appropriations shall be made by it in aid of the Missionary work in the said District.

2. Each Missionary District shall be represented in its Convocations by the Clergy canonically resident, and by two Lay Delegates from each of its Parishes and Missions.

3. Each Missionary District shall have power to assess upon its own Parishes and Missions whatever sum may canonically be required of it for the Missionary work of the Diocese, and all moneys raised or collected for Diocesan Missions shall be promptly paid by the Treasurer of the District to the Treasurer of the Diocesan Board of Managers, and by him paid to the Missionaries on the order of the Treasurer of the District.

4. At least two weeks before the Annual Convention of the Diocese, the Secretary of each Missionary District shall make a report of the year's work of the District to the Secretary of the Board of Managers, including the items called for in section IV, 4, of this Canon.

5. Any Missionary District may, with the approval of the Bishop, undertake special Missionary work, provided it shall first have complied with all canonical requirements, and shall be free to make its own regulations and conduct its own Missionary work in all ways not conflicting with the provisions of this Canon.

6. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman in charge of a Parish or Mission, to attend all Convocations of his District, and to report to the same the Missionary work done in his Cure.

SEC. vi. 1. Offerings shall be made systematically in the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese, as follows:

For the Communion Alms, on the first Sunday in each month.

For the Domestic Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Advent.

For the Christmas Fund, on Christmas Day.

For the Foreign Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Epiphany.

For the Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York, or the Bible and Prayer Book Society of New York, in the discretion of the Minister, on Whitsunday.



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For the Increase of the Ministry, on Easter, or some other near and convenient Sunday.

For the Diocesan Church Building Fund, on the fourth Sunday in March and September.

For the Mission among Deaf Mutes in the Diocese on the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.

2. Offerings for Diocesan Missions shall be made in every Parish and Mission in the Diocese on the third Sunday of each month, when one of the above named Sundays is not the third Sunday. All such offerings shall be forwarded promptly to the Treasurer of the District.

It is also recommended that the Minister of each Parish or Congregation, at the Episcopal visitation, ask an offering which shall be placed in the hands of the Bishop, to be used at his discretion for the benefit of needy persons, and which shall be called the Bishop's Relief Fund.

### CANON XI.

#### *Of the General Fund.*

SECTION 1. In order to provide for what has hitherto been known as "The General Fund," it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of the Diocese, with the Standing Committee, to make an estimate as soon as may be conveniently done after each annual session of the Diocesan Convention, of the amount of money that will be needed during the ensuing year to meet the current expenses and the expenses of the Convention, adding thereto the liabilities of the Diocese chargeable to said Fund, if there be any.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to assess the amount thus agreed upon, on the Parishes in union with the Convention, at the rate of a uniform per cent. on "The Current expenses of the Parish, including the Rector's salary,"—not including any amount that may have been given to the Parish or its Ministry by the Missionary Board of this Diocese, or by any other missionary organization—or in any other way that the Bishop and Standing Committee may see fit to adopt. And it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report at each Convention the names of all Parishes which shall be in arrears to the General Fund, and the amount of such arrears respectively.

SEC. 3. The Treasurer shall notify each Parish of the quota thus assigned to it, and it shall be the duty of the Wardens and Vestry of each Parish to see that the amount thus due the Diocese shall be forwarded to the Treasurer in quarterly installments, one quarter of the amount being sent on the first days of September, of December, of March and of June respectively. And in case any Parish shall fail to remit the amount thus called for, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report the fact to the Bishop and Standing Committee for such action thereon as they may think necessary.

### CANON XII.

#### *Of the Christmas Fund.*

SECTION 1. All moneys raised or contributed for the Relief of Disabled Clergy and the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy, shall be paid to the Corporation known as "The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York." And it shall be the duty of the Convention at each of its annual meetings to nominate by ballot one person to act as Trustee in the said corporation, to fill the vacancy which by the by-laws of said corporation will then occur, and to nominate in like manner other persons to fill

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any other vacancies in the said board that may have occurred during the year since the last Annual Convention.

SEC. 2. In every Parish in the Diocese there shall be made annually, on Christmas Day, a collection for the relief of Disabled Clergy of the Diocese, and for the benefit of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy of the Diocese. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman to give due notice of this collection to the Congregation, and of the Wardens of every Parish to forward the same to the Treasurer of the Christmas Fund.

SEC. 3. All appropriations for the Relief of Disabled Clergy shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, on the certificate of the Bishop that the individual has labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than three years, (except in the case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) and is disabled by age or physical infirmity from having a parochial charge; but no appropriation shall be made for a larger sum than five hundred dollars per annum, and it shall be paid semi-annually on the first of January and July.

SEC. 4. All appropriations for the benefit of the widow or children of a deceased Clergyman, shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund on the certificate of the Bishop, that the person or persons is the widow or minor child or children of a deceased Clergyman who was a canonical resident of the Diocese at the time of his death, and who had labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than one year, (except in the case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) but no appropriation for this purpose shall be made for a larger sum than three hundred dollars per annum, to be paid semi-annually, on the first of April and October; and no appropriation shall be paid to a widow after she has married again, or to orphan or orphans after having attained the age of majority.

SEC. 5. The Trustees of the Christmas Fund shall have power to appropriate a sum not exceeding fifty dollars towards the funeral expenses of a deceased beneficiary.

SEC. 6. All moneys belonging to the Fund and not needed for present relief, shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon security upon real estate appraised at double the amount loaned thereon, exclusive of buildings, the appraisal to be made by two appraisers appointed by the Trustees for the purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State, or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of the said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the Fund; and they shall have the power from time to time to change such securities or investments.

SEC. 7. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees of the Christmas Fund, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers therefor, shall be reported to the appropriate Committee, according to Canon XIV, signed by said Trustees or a majority of them.

*Resolution adopted by the Convention June 13, 1887.*

*Resolved*, That the Clergy of this Diocese, or the Wardens of the different parishes, be requested to set aside ten per cent. of the Communion Alms, to be by them transmitted semi-annually, that is at Christmas and at Trinity season, of each year, to the Treasurer of the Diocese, for the increase of the means to be used by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund for the benefactions to the Disabled Clergy of the Diocese and the Widows and Orphans of the Deceased Clergy, in accordance with such Canons and Rules of the Diocese as may now be in force or may hereafter be enacted; and that the said Trustees be and are hereby authorized and instructed to add year by year any portion of said ten per cent. that may remain, if indeed any shall remain, to the permanent fund for the above named purpose.



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**CANON XIII.***Of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.*

**SECTION 1.** There shall be five Trustees appointed by the Convention to whom the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate in this Diocese shall be entrusted. It shall be the duty of the said Trustees to appoint a President and Secretary; and no act of said Trustees shall be valid unless authorized by a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of said Trustees by a majority of the same and recorded by their Secretary in a book to be kept as the record of their proceedings, and to be opened to the inspection of the Convention. The said Trustees shall hold their office during the pleasure of the Convention; and all vacancies occurring in said Board of Trustees shall from time to time be filled by the Convention.

**SEC. 2.** All moneys belonging to the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon securities on real estate to an amount not exceeding seventy per cent. of the appraised value of the property, inclusive of buildings, with proper insurance on the buildings; the appraisal to be made by three appraisers, appointed by the Trustees for that purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of the said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the said Fund; and they shall have power from time to time to change such securities and investments.

**SEC. 3.** The salary of the Bishop shall be paid quarterly by the Treasurer of the Diocese on the first days of July, October, January and April, in each fiscal year, and the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund shall remit quarterly, in anticipation of such payments, all sums received by them as income of said Fund, and the receipt of said Treasurer shall be a proper voucher for said Trustees in rendering their annual Report to the Convention of this Diocese.

**SEC. 4.** With a view to the further increase of the principal of the said Fund, such portions of the contributions of the Diocese as may be given or appropriated for that purpose, shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Convention to the order of the said Trustees, to be invested by them for accumulation and without diminution, until the further order of the Convention; and all moneys remaining in the hands of said Trustees for investment, shall be deposited in some safe bank in this State, to the credit of the President and Secretary of the Board.

**SEC. 5.** A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers thereof, shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

**CANON XIV.***Of the Fiscal Year and Financial Reports.*

**SECTION 1.** The fiscal year of the Diocese shall begin on the first day of May annually, and end on the thirtieth day of the April following. And the Treasurer of the Diocese and all Trustees having in charge any funds belonging to the Diocese shall annually make their reports to the appropriate Standing Committees on or before the fifteenth of May in each year.

**SEC. 2.** Standing Committees shall be appointed at each Annual Convention, to consider and Report to the Annual Convention next ensuing, as follows:

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1. On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, consisting of three Laymen.
2. On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the support of the Episcopate, consisting of three Laymen.
3. On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, consisting of three Laymen.
4. On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, consisting of three Laymen.
5. On the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund, consisting of one Clergyman and two Laymen.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of each of these several Committees to meet in each year at some time between the fifteenth of May and the meeting of the next annual Convention, at the place where the Treasurer resides, or where the funds are held, and make an examination into all the books, papers, vouchers, &c., relating to the respective funds held by the Treasurer or Trustees, and prepare a report to be presented to the Annual Convention next ensuing.

CANON XV.

*Of Vacant Churches.*

SECTION 1. Whenever a Church becomes vacant it shall be the duty of the Vestry to give immediate notice thereof to the Bishop.

SEC. 2. The Bishop shall appoint those of the Clergy in the Diocese, who can with most convenience discharge the duty, to supply such vacant Parishes as have been reported to him, at such times as may be deemed convenient and proper. It shall be the duty of such vacant Churches thus supplied to defray all the expenses incident to such occasional services.

CANON XVI.

*Of Elections.*

SECTION 1. All the Officers of the Convention shall be elected by ballot. Election by ballot may be dispensed with by a unanimous vote of the Convention. And when an election is by ballot, a majority of the votes in each order shall be necessary to a valid election.

SEC. 2. To facilitate the stated election by ballot, the Secretary shall provide sheets of paper with printed headings, containing the titles of the various offices to be filled by ballot, for the use of the members of the Convention; and all such officers may be voted for at one balloting. No printed ballots shall be allowed.

SEC. 3. In all cases of failure or omission to elect officers by the Convention, the persons last elected shall continue in office until others be chosen.

CANON XVII.

*Of Attending the Meetings of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. Whereas, the regular attendance of the Clergy and Laity at the meetings of the Convention is of essential consequence to the interests of the Church, this duty is hereby enjoined upon them.

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SEC. 2. And whereas it is often necessary to travel a considerable distance to the place of meeting of the Convention, it is hereby made the duty of the different parishes to make provision for the expenses of their Clergy in attending the Convention, either by a collection in Church on Sunday, or by some other mode.

SEC. 3. No member of this Convention shall leave the same during its session without having applied for and received leave of absence.

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**CANON XVIII.**

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*Of the Trial of a Clergyman not being a Bishop.*

Whenever any Minister of this Diocese, not being a Bishop thereof, shall become liable to presentment and trial under the provisions of any Canon of the General or Diocesan Convention, the mode of proceedings in this Diocese shall be as follows, viz.:

SECTION 1. The trial shall be on a presentment in writing, addressed to the Bishop of the Diocese, specifying the offences of which the accused is alleged to be guilty, with reasonable certainty as to time, place and circumstances. Such presentment may be made by the major part in number of the members of the Vestry of any Church of which the accused is a Minister, or by any three Presbyters of this Diocese entitled to seats in the Convention, or as hereinafter mentioned. Whenever from public rumor or otherwise, the Bishop shall have reason to believe that any Clergyman is under the imputation of having been guilty of any offence or misconduct, for which he is liable to be tried, and that the interest of the Church requires an investigation, it shall be his duty to appoint five persons, of whom three at least shall be Presbyters, to examine the case—a majority of whom may make such examination: and if there is, in their opinion, sufficient ground for presentment, shall present the Clergyman accordingly.

SEC. 2. A presentment being made in any of the modes above prescribed, the Bishop, if the facts charged shall not appear to him to be such as to constitute an offence, may dismiss it; or if it allege facts, some of which do, and some of which do not constitute an offence, he may allow it in part and dismiss the residue, or he may permit it to be amended. When it shall be allowed in whole or in part, the Bishop shall cause a copy of it to be served on the accused, and shall also nominate twelve Presbyters of this Diocese, entitled to seats in the Convention, and not being parties to the presentment, and cause a list of their names to be served on the accused, who shall, within thirty days after such service, select five of them and notify their names in writing to the Bishop; and if he shall not give such notification to the Bishop within the said thirty days, the Bishop shall select five, and the Presbyters so selected shall form a Board for the trial of the accused, and shall meet at such time and place as the Bishop shall direct, and shall have power to adjourn from time to time and from place to place (but always within this Diocese), as they shall think necessary.

SEC. 3. A written notice of the time and place of their first meeting shall be served at least thirty days before such meeting on the accused, and also on one of the persons making the presentment.

SEC. 4. If at the time appointed for the first meeting of the Board of Presbyters, the whole number of five shall not attend, then those who do attend may adjourn from time to time; and if after one adjournment or more, it shall appear to them improbable that the whole number will attend within a reasonable time, then those who do attend, not being less than three, shall constitute the Board, and proceed to the trial, and a majority of them shall decide all questions.

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**SEC. 5.** If a Clergyman presented shall confess the truth of the facts alleged in the presentment, it shall be the duty of the Bishop to proceed to pass sentence; and if he shall not confess them before the appointment of a Board for his trial, as before mentioned, he shall be considered as denying them.

**SEC. 6.** If a Clergyman presented, after having due notice, shall not appear before the Board of Presbyters appointed for his trial, the Board may nevertheless proceed as if he were present, unless for good cause they shall see fit to adjourn until another day.

**SEC. 7.** When the Board proceeds to the trial, they shall hear such evidence as shall be produced; which evidence shall be reduced to writing, and signed by the witnesses respectively; and some officer authorized by law to administer oaths may, at the desire of either party, be requested to administer an oath or affirmation to the witnesses, that they will testify the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, concerning the facts charged in the presentment. If, on or during the trial, the accused shall confess the truth of the charges as stated in the presentment, the Board may dispense with hearing further evidence, and may proceed at once to state their opinion to the Bishop as to the sentence that ought to be pronounced.

**SEC. 8.** Upon the application of either party to the Bishop, and it being made satisfactorily to appear to him that any material witness cannot be procured upon the trial, the Bishop may appoint a commissary to take the testimony of such witness. Such commissary may be either a Clergyman or a Layman, and the party so applying shall give to the other at least six days' notice of the time and place of taking the testimony. And if the person on whom the notice shall be served shall reside more than forty miles from the place of examination, an additional day's notice shall be given for every twenty miles of the said distance. And both parties may attend and examine the witness; and the questions and answers shall be reduced to writing and signed by the witness, and shall be certified by the commissary and enclosed under his seal and transmitted to the Board, and shall be received by them as evidence. A witness examined before such commissary may be sworn or affirmed in manner aforesaid.

**SEC. 9.** The Board having deliberately considered the evidence, shall declare in writing, signed by them or a majority of them, their decision on the charges contained in the presentment, distinctly stating whether the accused is guilty or not guilty of such charges respectively, and also stating the sentence which in their opinion should be pronounced: and a copy of such decision shall be without delay communicated to the accused; and the original decision, together with the evidence, shall be delivered to the Bishop, who shall pronounce such canonical sentence as shall appear to him to be proper, provided the same shall not exceed in severity the sentence recommended by the Board; and such sentence shall be final. Before pronouncing any sentence the Bishop shall summon the accused and any three or more of the Clergy, to meet him at such time as may in his opinion be most convenient, in some Church to be designated by him, which shall for that purpose be opened at the time to all persons who may choose to attend, and the sentence shall then and there be publicly pronounced by the Bishop. But the Bishop, if he shall be satisfied that justice requires it, may grant a new trial to the accused, in which case a new Board of Presbyters shall be appointed, the proceedings before whom shall be conducted as before mentioned.

**SEC. 10.** All notices and papers contemplated in this Canon may be served by a summoner or summoners, to be appointed for the purpose by the Bishop, and whose certificate of such service shall be evidence thereof. In.

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case of service by any other person, the fact shall be proved by the affidavit of such person. A written notice or paper delivered to a party, or left at his last place of residence, shall be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or paper—provided, however, that the service, if not personal, shall be a notice of at least sixty days.

SEC. 11. The accused may have the privilege of appearing by counsel; in case of the exercise of which privilege, and not otherwise, those who present shall have like privilege; which counsel shall in all cases be members of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

SEC. 12. The record of all proceedings upon a presentment of a Clergyman, shall be preserved by the Standing Committee; and for that purpose shall, after final decision, be delivered to their Secretary.

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## **Rules of Order.**

**For Conducting the Business of the Convention of the  
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### **FIRST DAY.**

**I. On the first day the order of business shall be as follows:**

1. After Divine Service, the President having taken the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call the names of the Clergy entitled to seats, and enter on the record the names of those who are present.
2. The Secretary shall then call the names of the Parishes entitled to representation, and the Lay Delegates of each Parish shall place their certificates on the table.
3. The President shall then appoint a Committee, consisting of two members and the Secretary, to examine the certificates and report thereon.
4. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared.
5. The names of the Lay Delegates reported by the Committee on Credentials as duly appointed, shall then be called, and the result noted in the record.
6. If a quorum be found in attendance, viz.:—twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and twenty delegations from the Parishes, the President shall then declare the Convention duly organized for business.
7. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an Assistant Secretary to be appointed by the Convention.
8. The Following Committees shall then be appointed by the President:
  - I. *On the Admission into Union with this Convention of Churches applying for the same*—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - II. *On Unfinished Business*—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - III. *On the Report of the Missionary Board*—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - IV. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society*—consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
9. Immediately upon the appointment of the aforesaid Committees, the papers to be examined and reported on by them shall be called for and referred.
10. **Motions, Notices and Resolutions shall then be in order.**

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## SECOND DAY.

II. On the second day, after Divine Service, the Order of Business, which shall not be departed from without the consent of two-thirds of the members present, shall be as follows:

1. The reading, correcting and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
2. Calling the names of members not present before, and entering in the Journal those who appear.
3. The Annual Address of the Bishop, unless he shall prefer another time for its delivery; if so, it shall be in order at any time.
4. The Report from the Standing Committee on the Admission of New Parishes; the admission of the Parishes and the reception of their Lay Delegates.
5. The reading of an abstract of the proceedings of the Standing Committee of the Diocese.
6. Reports from the Secretary and the Treasurer when those officers have any special communications to make to the Convention.
7. Presentation of Resolutions; the same to be referred to appropriate Committees or placed on the Calendar without debate.
8. The election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, and of the Deputies of the General Convention, and the nomination of Trustees of the General Theological Seminary.
9. The election of the Treasurer of the Diocese.
10. The supplying of vacancies, if any, in the Board of Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; in the Board of Trustees of the Christmas Fund; in the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Fund.
11. Reports from the following Standing Committees:—On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund; on the Treasurer's Accounts; on the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; on Unfinished Business; on the Report of the Missionary Board; on the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society; on Christian Education; on the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order.
12. Reports from Special Committees.
13. The appointing of the following Standing Committees:
  - I. On *Christian Education*—Consisting of THREE CLERGYMEN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - II. On *the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—Consisting of THREE CLERGYMEN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - III. On *the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.

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- IV. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- V. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- VI. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- VII. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Van Wageningen Missionary Fund*—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
- 14. The appointment of the Presidents of the Missionary Convocations and the supplying of vacancies, if any, in the list of Deputies to the Federate Council.
- 15. Unfinished Business.
- 16. Motions, Resolutions and Miscellaneous Business.

THIRD AND SUBSEQUENT DAYS.

III. On the third, and any subsequent day, after Morning Prayer, the Order of Business shall be as follows:

- 1. Reading and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
- 2. The disposal of the Unfinished Business of the Convention, in the order above prescribed for the Second Day; the business, if any, however, which was under consideration at the time of adjournment of the Convention to be first disposed of.

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GENERAL RULES.

IV. Every member who shall be present when a question is stated from the Chair, shall vote thereon, unless excused by the House.

V. No motion shall be put or debated until it is seconded, and when seconded, it shall be stated by the President before the debate; and every motion shall be reduced to writing, when required by the President or any member.

VI. If the question in debate contains several distinct propositions, any member may have the same divided.

VII. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, except to lay it on the table; to postpone it indefinitely; to postpone it to a certain time; to commit it, or amend it; and motions for either of these purposes shall have precedence in the order here named. But a motion to adjourn shall always be in order when no member is speaking, and shall be decided without debate; and if it be negatived, shall not be renewed until some other business has intervened.

VIII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate; but any matter thus laid on the table may be called up again during the same session, on the motion of any member who voted in the affirmative.

IX. On a question being put by the President, it shall be determined by the sound of voices, for or against it; but any member may require a count of



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the votes, and tellers for that purpose shall be appointed by the Chair—or any three votes may, previous to a decision by count, require the ayes and noes to be taken, which shall be done by calling the names of the Clerical members and the Churches represented, and the votes shall be entered in the Journal.

X. Any five votes may require the ayes and noes to be taken by order, and when so taken they shall be entered on the minutes.

XI. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.

XII. A question being decided shall not be reconsidered during the same session, without the consent of two-thirds of the votes of the Convention; nor without the motion for that purpose being made by one of the majority on the prior decision; nor shall any question be reconsidered more than once.

XIII. All Reports of Committees shall be in writing, and shall, upon reading or presentation of the same, become the property of the Convention, without any motion for acceptance, and any report recommending action by the Convention shall be accompanied with a Resolution.

XIV. All Special Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise specially directed by the House; in which case they shall be appointed by ballot.

XV. No standing rule or order shall be suspended, changed or rescinded without one day's previous notice of a motion to that effect, unless by the vote of two-thirds of the persons present entitled to vote.

XVI. Before the final adjournment of any session of the Convention, the Minutes of the last day's proceedings shall be read, corrected and approved.

XVII. Unless otherwise ordered by the Convention, it shall meet at 9 o'clock in the morning; take a recess from 1 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon; and adjourn for the day at 6 o'clock P. M.

## APPENDIX VI.

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(A.)

### Organization of Parishes.

#### (1.) An Act Providing for the Incorporation of Religious Societies.

**CHAPTER 803.**—An Act to amend the Acts to provide for the incorporation of Religious Societies, so far as the same relate to Churches in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church. Passed May 9, 1868.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** The 1st Section of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies," passed April 5, 1813, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for not less than six male persons of full age, belonging to any Church or Congregation in communion with the Protestant Episcopal Church in this State, not already incorporated, to meet at any time at the usual place of public worship of such Church or Congregation for the purpose of incorporating themselves under this Act.

2. A notice of such meeting, specifying its object, and the time and place thereof, shall be publicly read in the time of morning service, on two Sundays next previous thereto, by the Rector or Officiating Minister, or if there be none, by any other person belonging to such Church or Congregation; and shall also be posted in a conspicuous place on the outside door, near the main entrance to such place of worship.

3. The Rector, or if there be none, or he be necessarily absent, then one of the Church Wardens or Vestrymen, or any other person called to the Chair, shall preside at such meeting, and shall receive the votes.

4. The persons entitled to vote at such meeting shall be the male persons of full age belonging to the Church or Congregation, qualified as follows, and none others:

*First.* Those who have been baptized in the Protestant Episcopal Church or who have been received therein, either by the rite of Confirmation or by receiving the Holy Communion; or

*Second.* Those who have purchased, and for not less than twelve months next prior to such meeting have owned a pew or seat in such Church; or who during the same period of time have hired or paid for a pew or seat in such Church; or who during the whole period aforesaid have been contributors in money to the support of such Church.

5. The persons so qualified shall, at such meeting, by a majority of votes determine:

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*First.* The name or title by which such Church or Congregation shall be known in law.

*Second.* On what day in Easter Week an annual election for Church Wardens and Vestrymen shall thereafter take place.

*Third.* What number of Vestrymen, not less than four nor more than eight, shall annually be elected, and shall, together with the Rector, if there be one, and the two Church Wardens, constitute the Vestry of the Church.

*Fourth.* And shall by a majority of votes, elect two Church Wardens and the number of Vestrymen that it shall have been determined are to be annually elected; which Church Wardens and Vestrymen thus elected shall serve until the next regular election.

6. The polls shall continue open for one hour and longer, in the discretion of the presiding officer, or if required, by the vote of a majority of voters present.

7. The presiding officer, together with two other persons, shall make a certificate, under their hands and seals, of:

*First.* The Church Wardens and Vestrymen so elected.

*Second.* Of the day in Easter Week so fixed for the annual election of their successors.

*Third.* Of the number of Vestrymen (not less than four nor more than eight), so determined upon to be annually elected to constitute part of the Vestry.

*Fourth.* Of the name or title by which such Church or Congregation shall be known in law; which certificate being duly acknowledged or the execution and acknowledgment thereof being duly proven before any officer authorized to take the acknowledgment or proof of deeds or conveyances of real estate, to be recorded in the county where such Church or place of worship of such Congregation shall be situated, shall be recorded by the clerk of such county, or by the officer whose duty it is, or may hereafter be made, to record such instruments in the county in which such Church or place of worship may be situated, in a book to be by him kept for such purpose.

8. The Church Wardens or Vestrymen so elected, and their successors in office, of themselves, (but if there be a Rector then together with the Rector of such Church or Congregation), shall form a Vestry, and shall be the Trustees of such Church or Congregation; and they and their successors shall thereupon by virtue of this Act, be a body corporate, by the name or title expressed in such certificate.

9. The male persons qualified as aforesaid, provided they also shall have belonged to such Church or Congregation for twelve months immediately preceding, shall in every year thereafter, on the day in Easter Week so fixed for that purpose, elect two Church Wardens and as many Vestrymen (not less than four nor more than eight), as shall have been legally determined to constitute part of the Vestry.

10. Notice shall be given of such election by the Rector, if there be one, or if there be none, or he be absent, by the officiating Minister, or by a Church Warden, for two Sundays next previous to the day so fixed, in the time of Divine Service.

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11. Whenever a vacancy in the Board so constituted shall happen, by death or otherwise, the Vestry shall order a special election to supply such vacancy; of which notice shall be given in the time of Divine Service, at least ten days previous thereto.

12. The notice of any election, stated or otherwise, shall specify the place, day and hour of holding the same. The provisions contained in the preceding 6th clause shall apply to all elections.

13. An election to supply a vacancy, and also the stated annual election, shall be holden immediately after Morning Service; and at all such elections the Rector, or if there be none, or he be absent, one of the Church Wardens, selected for the purpose by a majority of the duly qualified voters present, or if no Warden be present, a Vestryman, selected in like manner, shall preside and receive the votes of the electors, and be the returning officer; and shall enter the proceedings in the book of the Minutes of the Vestry, and sign his name thereto, and offer the same to as many electors present as he shall think fit, to be by them also signed and certified.

14. The Church Wardens and Vestrymen chosen at any of the said elections, shall hold their offices until the expiration of the year for which they shall be chosen, and until others are chosen in their stead; and shall have power to call and induct a Rector to such Church or Congregation, as often as there shall be a vacancy therein, and to fix his salary or compensation.

15. No Board, or meeting of such Vestry, shall be held unless at least three days' notice thereof shall be given in writing, under the hand of the Rector or one of the Church Wardens; except that for the first meeting after an election, twenty-four hours' notice shall be sufficient; and no such Board shall be competent to transact any business unless the Rector, if there be one, and at least one of the Church Wardens, and a majority of the Vestrymen be present. But if the Rector be absent from the State and shall have been so absent for over four calendar months, or if the meeting has been called by the Rector, and he be absent therefrom, the Board shall be competent to transact all business, if there be present one Church Warden and a majority of the Vestrymen; except that in the absence of the Rector no measure shall be taken for effecting a sale or disposition of the real property, nor may any sale or disposition of the capital or principal of the personal estate of such corporation be made, nor any act done which shall impair the rights of such Rector.

16. The Rector, if there be one, and if not, then the Church Warden present, or if both the Church Wardens be present, then the Church Warden who shall be called to the Chair by a majority of votes, shall preside at every meeting of the Board, and have the casting vote.

17. Whenever any corporation, organized under the provisions of this Act, shall deem it for the interest of such corporation to change the number of its Vestrymen, it shall and may be lawful for such corporation to change the same, provided that the number of such Vestrymen shall not thereby be made less than four nor more than eight. And in order to effect such change, the same shall be authorized and approved by the Vestry at a regular meeting thereof; and shall then at the next stated annual election for Wardens and Vestrymen be submitted to, and ratified by a majority of the votes of all the qualified voters voting at such election; notice of which proposed change, and that the same will be submitted for ratification at such election, shall be given at the same time, and in the same manner as it is required for notice of the said election: if such change be thus ratified, a certificate shall be made setting forth the resolution of the Vestry, and the proceedings to ratify the same, together with the fact of the notice being given as required, and shall be acknowledged or proved and recorded in the same manner as is required

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for the original certificate of organization; and thereupon the number of Vestrymen to constitute a part of the Vestry of such corporation shall be such as shall be fixed by the proceedings to effect such change. But such change shall not take effect or be operative, until the certificate above mentioned shall have been duly recorded.

SEC. 2. The provisions of the ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth clauses of Section 1 of this Act shall apply to any Church or corporation in communion with the Protestant Episcopal Church in this State, heretofore incorporated under the Act hereby amended, or under any of the Acts amending the same, or under the several Acts to provide for the incorporation of religious societies, passed April 6th, 1784, March 27th, 1801, or the Act for the Relief of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York, passed March 17th, 1795, or by any special charter made or granted before or after July 4th, 1776, whereof the Vestry, at a regular meeting, shall by vote determine to adopt the same; and such vote shall, at the next ensuing stated annual election for Wardens and Vestrymen be submitted to, and ratified by a majority of the votes of all the qualified voters voting at such election, notice of such vote of the Vestry, and of the proposed submission of the same for ratification, having been given at the same time and in the same manner as is required by the tenth clause of the first section of this Act for notice of election. But such adoption shall not take effect or be operative until a certificate embodying a true copy of the resolution of the Vestry, as entered upon their Minutes, and the proceedings to ratify the same, together with the fact of the notice being given, as required, shall have been acknowledged or proved, and shall be recorded, as is required by the foregoing 7th clause of Section 1, for the certificate of incorporation.

SEC. 3. The first Section of the Act passed March 5th, 1819, entitled "An Act to amend the Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies.'" is hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. The third Section of the Act passed February 15, 1826, entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies,'" passed April 5, 1813, shall not apply to any Church or Congregation in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church of this State.

SEC. 5. All Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

STATE OF NEW YORK,                    )  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

HOMER A. NELSON,  
Secretary of State.

## (2.) Form of Certificate of Incorporation.

*To all whom these Presents may Concern :*

We, the undersigned, whose names and seals are affixed to this instrument, do hereby certify, that on the [*Second*] day of [*June*] in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and [*sixty-nine*], the male persons of full age, belonging to the Church or Congregation in communion with the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York, worshipping in [*the School*

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*House of School District Number (3) in the town of Verona, in the County of Oneida, in the State of New York*, not already incorporated, met at their usual place of worship aforesaid, for the purpose of incorporating themselves under the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies, and the Act to Amend the same, in pursuance of notice duly given specifying the object of the meeting, and the time and place thereof which had been publicly read in the time of morning service, on two Sundays next previous to such meeting, by *\*[the Rector]*, and which was also posted in a conspicuous place on the outside door near the main entrance to the usual place of worship of the said Congregation.

And we further certify, that at such meeting, not less than six male persons, of full age, belonging to the Church or Congregation aforesaid, and not already incorporated, and duly qualified to vote at such meeting, met for the purpose aforesaid.

And we further certify that † *[the Rev. John Williams, the Rector of the said Church or Congregation]*, presided at the said meeting and received the votes.

And we further certify, that at the said meeting the following persons were elected Church Wardens and Vestrymen, by a majority of the votes of the persons present at the said meeting qualified to vote, viz.:

{	Were elected
}	Church Wardens.
{	Were elected
}	Vestrymen.

And we further certify, that by a majority of the votes of the persons present and qualified as aforesaid *[Tuesday]* in Easter week was fixed and determined for the annual election of the successors of the said Church Wardens and Vestrymen

And that the number of Vestrymen determined upon to be annually elected to constitute part of the Vestry was *[six]*.

And that it was in like manner determined that the said Church or Congregation shall be known in law by the name of *[the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Paul's Church, in the town of Verona, County of Oneida, and State of New York.]*

In testimony whereof, we the said *[John Williams]*, who was the presiding Officer at the said meeting, and *[Thomas Clark and William Smith]*, who were present and witnessed the proceedings, and were selected and named to sign and seal this certificate, have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed our seals, the *[second]* day of *[June]*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *[seventy]*.

[John Williams.]	[SEAL.]
[Thomas Clark.]	[SEAL.]
[William Smith.]	[SEAL.]

Signed and sealed in  
presence of  
[Samuel Richards.]  
[James Hubbard,]

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*\*Or by the officiating Minister; or by Alfred Bailey, belonging to the said Church or Congregation.*

*†Or the Rev. John Williams, the Rector of the said Church or Congregation being necessarily absent by reason of illness, (or whatever may be the cause), Mr. Thomas Clark was called to the chair; and, or there being no Rector, Mr. Henry Churchill, one of the Church Wardens (or Vestrymen), or Mr. Daniel Thomas, was called to the Chair, and*

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N. B. The seals to be attached to this certificate must be of wax, or wafer, or other material capable of receiving an impression, and constituting what is ordinarily known as a "seal" to deeds, &c., in this State. Not unfrequently use is made of the scroll, [L. s.], which is not sufficient and does not answer the legal requirement of a "seal" in this State.

The certificate thus made out, and signed and sealed, must be duly acknowledged by the parties signing and sealing the same, or the execution and acknowledgment thereof must be duly proven before some officer authorized to take the acknowledgment, or proof of deeds or conveyances of real estate, to be recorded in the County where the Church or place of worship is situate.

Being thus signed, sealed, acknowledged or proven, and stamped, the certificate must be recorded by the Clerk of the County, or by the officer whose duty it is, or may hereafter be made, to record such instruments in the County in which the Church is situate.

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*Incorporation of Free Churches.*

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**Incorporation of Free Churches.**

**(1.) An Act for the Incorporation of Societies to Establish Free Churches. Passed April 30, 1854.**

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :*

**SECTION 1.** Any seven or more persons of full age, citizens of the United States, and a majority of them being residents of this State, who shall associate themselves for the purpose of founding and continuing one or more Free Churches, may make, sign, and acknowledge, before any officer authorized to take the acknowledgment of deeds of land to be recorded in this State, and may file in the office of Secretary of State, and also of the Clerk of the County in which any such Church is to be established, a certificate in writing, in which shall be stated the name, or title, by which such society shall be known in the law, the purpose of its organization, and the names of seven trustees, of whom not less than five shall be persons who are not ministers of the Gospel, or priests of any denomination, to manage the same; but such certificate shall not be filed, unless with the written consent and approbation of a Justice of the Supreme Court of the district in which any such Church shall be intended to be established, or in the city of New York, of a Judge of the Superior Court of the said city, to be endorsed on such certificate.

**SEC. 2.** Upon the filing of such certificate, the persons named therein as trustees and their successors, being citizens of the United States, and residents of this State, shall be a body politic and corporate, with all the rights, powers, and duties, and subject to all the restrictions and obligations and other provisions, so far as the same may be applicable, and consistent with this act, specified and contained in the act entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific, and Missionary Societies," passed April 12, 1848, and the act amending the same passed April 7, 1849, except that the limitation in the first of the said acts of the value of the real estate may be held by any society in the city or county of New York, incorporated under this act, shall not be applicable to any Church edifice erected or owned by such society, or the lot of ground on which the same may be built, and except that the provision in the first of the said acts, in relation to the personal liability of the trustees, shall be applicable only to the trustees who shall have assented to the creation of any debt.

**SEC. 3.** Any vacancies occurring in the said board of trustees shall be supplied by the remaining trustees, at any legal meeting of the members; but there shall always be at least five members of the board who are not ministers of the Gospel or priests of any denomination.

**SEC. 4.** The seats or pews in every church building or edifice owned or occupied by any corporation organized under this act, shall be forever free for the occupation and use during public worship, of all persons choosing to occupy the same, and conducting themselves with propriety; and no rent, charge, or exaction shall ever be made or demanded for such occupation or use; nor shall any real estate belonging to any such corporation, be sold or mortgaged by the trustees thereof, unless by the direction of the Supreme Court, to be given in the same manner, and in like cases, as provided by law in relation to religious incorporations.

**SEC. 5.** This Act shall take effect immediately.



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*Incorporation of Trustees of Funds.*


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**(2.) Certificate of Incorporation of Free Churches.**

We, whose names are hereto subscribed, male persons of full age, citizens of the United States, and a majority of whom are residents of the State of New York, do hereby certify that we have associated ourselves together for the purpose of founding and continuing a free church in the city [or town] of——, State of New York; that the name or title by which such society shall be known in law was determined to be the Free Church of the——, in the——of——. That the purpose of its organization is the ministering of the Word and Sacraments according to the doctrine and worship and discipline of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America. That the following are the names of seven trustees who are to manage the affairs of the said Church and body corporate, five of whom are not ministers of the gospel or priests of any denomination, namely:

[Signed in duplicate by all, and to be acknowledged, not proved, and to be approved by a Judge of the Supreme Court of the district, and filed in the office of the County Clerk, and a duplicate in the office of the Secretary of State.]

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**(C.)**

**Incorporation of Trustees of Funds.**

**With By-Laws of Trustees and Form of Bequest.**

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**(1.) An Act Incorporating the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund.**

AN ACT to incorporate the Trustees for the management and care of the fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York. Passed April 27, 1841.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows.*

SECTION 1. Alexander B. Johnson, John E. Hinman, and Hiram Denio of the County of Oneida, Garry V. Sackett of the County of Seneca, and Thomas H. Rochester, of the County of Monroe, and their successors duly elected and appointed in the manner hereinafter prescribed, are hereby constituted a body corporate, by the name of "The Trustees for the Management and Care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York," and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and be capable of taking and holding by gift, grant or devise, and of purchasing, holding and conveying any estate, real or personal, necessary for the purpose of said corporation, provided the yearly value or income of the same shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. The object of the said corporation shall be the management and care of the fund now provided, together with that which may hereafter be contributed or acquired, and any accumulation arising upon the investment thereof, for the support of the office of Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York, and the appropriation of the income of said Fund to that purpose according to the directions to be from time to time given by the Convention of said Church in said Diocese.

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**SEC. 3.** The said Trustees shall be five in number, and shall hold their office during the pleasure of the said Convention, and all vacancies occurring in said Trustees shall from time to time be filled by said Convention. The said Trustees shall appoint a President and Secretary, and no act of said Trustees shall be valid unless authorized by a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of said Trustees by a majority of the same, and recorded by the Secretary in a book to be kept as a record of their proceedings, which book shall be open to the inspection of the said Convention.

**SEC. 4.** A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees hereby incorporated, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers therefor, shall be reported to each annual Convention, and signed by said Trustees, or a majority of them.

**SEC. 5.** The said Trustees hereby incorporated shall be bound to conform to any instructions to be given them by said Convention, touching the management of the said Fund, and the disposition of the income thereof; provided that such instructions shall be in writing, and shall be entered on the Journals of the said Convention; and provided also that the income of the said Fund shall in no case be diverted to or expended for any other purpose than that of sustaining the Episcopal office in the said Diocese.

**SEC. 6.** The provisions of title third of the eighteenth chapter of the first part of the Revised Statutes, shall apply to the corporation hereby created, so far as the same are not inconsistent with this Act.

I have compared the preceding with an original Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, and do certify that the same is a true and correct transcript thereof and of the whole of the said original. Given under my hand and seal of office this 28th day of April, 1841.

JOHN C. SPENCER, *Secretary of State.*

**(2.) An Act Incorporating the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.**

**CHAPTER 59**—An Act for the Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York. Passed March 26, 1863.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** Ward Hunt, George H. Mumford, William B. Douglass, Alexander L. Chew, Edgar H. Hurd, Russell H. Haywood and their successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate, under the title of "Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York."

**SEC. 2.** The affairs of the said corporation shall be managed by a Board of six Trustees, and the persons named in the first section of this act shall be the first Trustees of the said corporation.

**SEC. 3.** The said Trustees shall be divided by lot into three classes. The term of the first class shall expire on the first day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-three; the term of the second class shall expire on the first day of September following; the term of the third class shall expire on the first day of September then ensuing. The vacancies in said classes shall be filled as they occur, by two Laymen, who shall be elected by ballot by

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the Convention of said Diocese, at its regular annual meeting in each year; the Trustees so to be elected shall hold the said office for three years from the expiration of the terms of their predecessors. The Acting Bishop of the Diocese shall be *ex-officio* a member of the Board of Trustees.

SEC. 4. The said Trustees are authorized to receive and hold by deed, conveyance or last will and testament, for the accumulation of said Fund, real and personal estate, to such an amount that the annual income accruing therefrom shall not exceed thirty thousand dollars. The said Fund shall be devoted in part to the assistance and support of officiating ministers of the said Church, engaged in Parochial duty within the said Diocese, and this portion of the Fund shall be called "Fund for Clerical Support;" and in part to the purchase of glebes and the erection of parsonages within the limits of organized parishes in the said Diocese in communion with the said Church, and which shall be called "Fund for Parsonage Aid." All real or personal property conveyed, devised or given to the Trustees without specification as to the appropriation thereof, shall be devoted equally to the two purposes; but all donors to the Fund, by gift or devise, may specify whether the same is to be appropriated for "Clerical Support" or for "Parsonage Aid," and a separate account shall be kept of the portion of the Fund devoted to these purposes.

SEC. 5. In the distribution of these Funds, regard shall be had by the Trustees, in the exercise of a sound discretion, to the equal necessities of the Ministers of the Parishes applying for them, without prejudice or favor.

SEC. 6. For the purpose of distributing such Funds, the said Trustees shall meet on the first Monday of August in each year, or at such other time as they may appoint, and after determining the amounts of money to be distributed for the ensuing year, they shall consider the applications for assistance, which may then have been received. Such applications shall be in writing, signed either by the Minister or by order of the Vestry of the Parish, and shall state the facts necessary to a full understanding of the necessity of the case, and particularly the amounts already contributed or secured toward the support of the Minister, or for the erection of a parsonage, as the case may be. The said applications shall be separately considered by the Trustees, and a minute made of their decision thereon, together with a statement of the reason for refusing the same, if the application be rejected. In no case shall the amount awarded from the Funds be more than one-half of the funds already contributed and secured, as may satisfactorily appear by the written application; and, in making grants from the Fund in aid of parsonages, in no case shall any moneys be paid from the same Fund, except on assurances satisfactory to the Trustees that all the remaining moneys necessary to the purchase of a glebe or erection of a parsonage are secured, and that no debt or incumbrance will remain thereon.

SEC. 7. The Trustees shall make an annual report to the Diocesan Convention, at their regular meeting, of the state of the Fund; of all applications for assistance therefrom, of the grants made, with the conditions, if any, attached thereto, and of the applications which have been refused, and the reasons for the refusal thereof, and a duplicate copy of such report shall also be rendered annually to the Comptroller of the State.

SEC. 8. The said Trustees are further authorized to receive, by donations or devise, moneys and land, devoted by the giver to the purposes of clerical support, parsonage aid in particular Parishes, and Parochial and Theological Schools and Missions, within the said Diocese, and they shall hold and apply the same in strict accordance with the condition attached in any such donation or devise, if not incompatible with the laws of this State; and in cases where the Bishop of the Diocese has been heretofore, or shall be hereafter made a testamentary Trustee for any of the purposes contem-

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plated by this act, he shall have the right to surrender the said trust to the Trustees of this Fund at will, and in case of his not doing so before his death, the said testamentary trust shall inure on his death to the Trustees of this Fund, subject to all the conditions prescribed by the donor: but the annual income accruing from the property said Trustees are allowed to hold by virtue of this section, and of section four, shall not exceed thirty thousand dollars in the aggregate.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect immediately.

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### 3.) An Act Enabling Parishes to Transfer Personal and Real Estate to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

CHAPTER 509—An act to enable incorporated Parishes of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York to make certain transfers of their real and personal estate. Passed June 7, 1875.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Any incorporated religious Society or Parish of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York shall have power to convey or transfer all or any portion of the real or personal estate of such Society or Parish to the corporation known as "Trustees of the Parochial Fund," in the said Diocese, incorporated by the act entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," passed April twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, provided that such conveyance or transfer shall be first approved by a resolution of the Wardens and Vestry of such Society or Parish, duly entered in their minutes; and provided, further, that any property so conveyed or transferred shall be held by the said Trustees of the Parochial Fund solely for the use and benefit of the Society or Parish making the conveyance or transfer, in the discretion of the said Trustees; and provided further, that the whole income of property to be acquired by the said Trustees within the purview of this act shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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### (4.) An Act Providing for the Division and Management of the Episcopate and Parochial Funds.

CHAPTER 420—An act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York. Passed April 28, 1838.

It having been represented to the Legislature, that the Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, called the Diocese of Western New York, is about to be divided territorially into two Dioceses, and that a Diocese of said Church is about to be established in the easterly part of said existing Diocese; and that certain funds amounting to about the sum of fifty-one thousand dollars, are now held by a corporation entitled "The Trustees for the management and care of the Funds for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York," which corporation was created by an Act of the Legislature, passed in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, being chapter

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one hundred and thirty-four of the acts of that year; and that certain other Funds amounting to over eighteen thousand dollars, are now held by a corporation entitled "The Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," which last mentioned corporation was created by an Act of the Legislature, passed in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-three, being chapter fifty-nine of the acts of that year; and it having been further represented to the Legislature that the Annual Convention of the said Church, for the said Diocese of Western New York, at its last annual meeting, held in the month of August last, did determine that such division of said Diocese was expedient to be made, and that in the event of such division, the said funds hereinbefore mentioned should be equally divided between the two Dioceses, which should be formed in consequence of such division; and it being further represented that by the resolves of such Church, the said division would be consummated during the present year, and that it would be necessary in order to the preservation of the portion of said Funds which should then belong to the new Diocese, to be formed out of the easterly part of said existing Diocese, that some corporate bodies having legal continuity and succession should exist to receive and manage said funds; therefore,

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly,  
do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Whenever such division of the Diocese of Western New York as is hereinbefore mentioned shall take place, and be consummated, it shall be lawful for the Convention of said new Diocese to be formed out of the eastern part of the existing Diocese, to appoint five Trustees to be denominated the Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the said new Diocese, by the name which shall be given to such new Diocese; and such Trustees shall thereupon be a body corporate by that name, and shall have perpetual succession, and be capable of taking and holding the portion of the aforesaid Fund for the support of the Episcopate, which shall belong to such new Diocese, and of taking and holding by gift, grant and devise, and of purchasing, holding and conveying any estate, real or personal, necessary for the purpose of said corporation, provided the yearly value or income thereof shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars; that the object of the said corporation shall be the management and care of the said Fund which shall belong to the said new Diocese, together with that which may be hereafter acquired, and any accumulation arising from the investment thereof, for the support of the office of Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the said new Diocese, and the appropriation of the income of said Fund to that purpose, according to the directions to be from time to time given by the Convention of said Church in said new Diocese.

SEC. 2. All the portions of the act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York," passed April twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and forty-one, are hereby made applicable to the corporation provided for in the first section of this Act, except that where the Diocese of Western New York, or the Convention of that Diocese is mentioned or referred to, the said new Diocese and the Convention thereof shall be deemed to be intended and shall be substituted.

SEC. 3. It shall be lawful for the Convention of such new Diocese to appoint six Trustees, to be denominated Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of the said new Diocese, by the name which shall be given to it; and such Trustees shall be a body corporate by that name, and shall have perpetual succession, and shall be capable of taking and hold-

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ing that portion of the Fund now possessed by the corporation created by the Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Western New York," passed March twenty-six, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, which shall belong to such new Diocese, and all such other moneys as shall be contributed thereto, or which shall be accumulated from the income thereof; and that all the provisions of the said last mentioned Act following the Second Section thereof, shall apply to the corporation provided for in this Section, except that where the Diocese of Western New York, or the Convention of that Diocese is mentioned, the said new Diocese and the Convention thereof shall be deemed to be intended and shall be substituted.

SEC. 4. The two existing corporations in this Act mentioned, are hereby authorized to pay over to the corporation herein provided for, the portions of said Funds which, according to the said resolution of the Diocese of Western New York, shall belong to said new Diocese; and nothing in this Act contained shall be construed further to affect or in any wise impair the said existing corporations.

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
Office of the Secretary of State, } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the city of Albany, this twenty-fourth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

HOMER A. NELSON, *Secretary of State.*

**(5.) Acts Amending and Enlarging the Powers of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.**

CHAPTER 106.—An Act supplementary to Chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled "An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal church in the Diocese of Western New York," and supplementary to Chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York." Passed April 4, 1887.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. The incorporation known as the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York, incorporated under and by virtue of chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," shall have power to take and receive, by gift, grant, devise or bequest, any property, real or personal, and hold the same; first, in trust for the use and benefit of any congregation or parish which may be incorporated and in union with the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York; or, second, in trust for the assistance or support of any such mission or missionaries in said Diocese as may be approved of by the Bishop; the money or other property so used for missionary purposes to be expended under the general direction of the Bishop thereof, or the Bishop in council with the Missionary Board of said Church in said Diocese, or, in case of a vacancy in the bishopric, or an extended absence of the Bishop, then, under the general direction of the Standing Committee in said Diocese; or third, in trust to assist weak and feeble.



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parishes in said Diocese to support their ministers or Sunday Schools, or, to build or repair their church edifices or parsonages; or, fourth, in trust for the assistance or support of any parochial, divinity, or theological school, or any scholarship in any such school in said Diocese which may be approved by the Bishop; or, fifth, to institute scholarships in St. John's Military School for Boys, which is an incorporated Church School within said Diocese; or otherwise to aid in the support of said school or any successor thereof; sixth, for the general use and purposes of the Church in said Diocese in cases when no special or particular use or purpose of the gift is attached thereto; provided always, that the Trustees shall hold and invest or apply each fund or the interest or income thereof in strict accordance with the terms of the trust or condition attached to it by the gift, grant, devise or bequest producing such fund, so that in no case shall the money or property given, granted, devised or bequeathed for one purpose or object, be applied or used for another; and provided, further, that the net annual income of any separate fund shall not exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

STATE OF NEW YORK,        )  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

FREDERICK COOK.  
*Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 308.—An Act to amend chapter one hundred and six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act supplementary to chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled 'An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,' and supplementary to chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York.'" Approved by the Governor May 16, 1888. Passed, three-fifths being present.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An Act supplementary to chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled 'An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,' and supplementary to chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,'" is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 1. The corporation known as the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York, incorporated under and by virtue of chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," shall have power to take and receive, by gift, grant, devise or bequest, any property, real or personal, and hold the same: First, in trust for the use and benefit of any congregation or parish which may be incorporated and in union with the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church

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in the Diocese of Central New York; or, second, in trust for the assistance or support of any such mission or missionaries in said Diocese as may be approved by the Bishop: the money or other property so used for missionary purposes to be expended under the general direction of the Bishop thereof, or the Bishop in council with the Missionary Board of such Church in said Diocese, or in case of a vacancy in the Bishopric, or an extended absence of the Bishop, then under the general direction of the Standing Committee in said Diocese; or third, in trust to assist weak and feeble parishes in said Diocese to support their ministers or Sunday Schools, or to build or repair their church edifices or parsonages; or fourth, in trust for the building, use, maintenance or support of a hospital or infirmary in said Diocese, such hospital or infirmary to be managed and conducted by persons designated and appointed from time to time by the Trustees of the aforesaid corporation; or for the assistance or support of any parochial, divinity or theological school or any scholarship in any such school in said Diocese, which may be approved by the Bishop; or fifth, to institute scholarships in St. John's Military School for boys, which is an incorporated Church School within said Diocese, or otherwise to aid in the support of said school or any successor thereof; or sixth, for the general use and purposes of the Church in said Diocese in cases where no special or particular use or purpose of the gift is attached thereto; provided, always, that the Trustees shall hold and invest or apply each fund or the interest or income thereof, in strict accordance with the terms of the trust or condition attached to it by the gift, grant, devise or bequest producing such fund, so that in no case shall the money or property given, granted, devised or bequeathed for one purpose or object, be applied or used for another; and provided further, that the net annual income of any separate fund shall not exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK. }  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

FREDERICK COOK,  
Secretary of State.

(6.) By-Laws of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

I.

*Officers and Elections.*

The officers of the Board of Trustees shall be a President, who shall be the Bishop of the Diocese, a member of the Board ex-officio; and a Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Trustees, on the first Tuesday of June of each year, or if said annual meeting shall fail to be held, then at the first special meeting thereafter. The Secretary and Treasurer shall hold their offices for one year, and until their respective successors in office are appointed. They shall be chosen by ballot, unless such ballot is dispensed with by an unanimous vote of the members present. The Secretary and Treasurer may be the same person. Vacancies in the offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be filled at any meeting of the Board of Trustees.



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## II.

*Quorum.*

Four members shall constitute a quorum, for the transaction of business, but not less than two members may adjourn a meeting with a view to a quorum.

## III.

*Presiding Officers.*

The Bishop or Acting Bishop of the Diocese shall preside at all meetings of the Board. In his absence one of the Trustees present, chosen for the purpose, shall preside. In addition to his powers as Presiding Officer, the President may, whenever he may deem it expedient, call Special Meetings of the Trustees, and may himself or shall direct the Secretary to give notice of the time and place thereof.

## IV.

*The Secretary.*

The duty of the Secretary shall be to conduct the correspondence of the Board; to prepare and transmit all letters in connection with its business; to keep in proper books copies of all letters written by himself or by direction of the Board, and also copies of all letters or communications on the business of the Board, which may be brought before it; to keep the minutes of the Board and its proceedings; to have charge of all its documents; to execute all papers, conveyances and instruments in writing required to be executed by the Corporation, under seal and acknowledged when authorized by the Board; to give due notice of the time and place of meetings of the Board, stated or special, when directed by the President; in case of the death or inability of the President, to call special meetings of the Board on the written requisition of any two members.

## V.

*The Treasurer.*

The Treasurer shall collect, receive and keep the Funds and Securities of the Board of Trustees. He shall open and keep regular accounts of such funds and securities, showing the amount, nature, investment and deposit of the same, having special reference to the distribution made under Section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," passed March 26, 1863, the provisions of which Act are made applicable to this corporation, so far as is provided by the Act passed by the Legislature of this State on the 28th day of April, 1868, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York;" and also to the donations and devises, appropriations and testamentary trusts under Section 8 of the aforesaid Act, passed March 26, 1863, or of any other Act of the Legislature now, or that hereafter may be applicable thereto, showing in distinct separate accounts the funds, moneys or lands devoted to the purposes respectively mentioned therein. By and with the advice and consent of the Trustees, or a majority of the Trustees resident at Syracuse, he shall deposit, invest and manage the funds and moneys belonging to the Board, and may let or demise any real estate given or devoted for the purpose of the Act for a period not exceeding one year, and shall make and present to the Board a written statement of the disposition or investment of all Funds or property of the Board at every annual meeting. He shall, in conjunction with the President, prepare and submit to the Board the Annual Report to the Diocesan Convention, required by Section 7 of the aforesaid Act of the Legislature, passed March 26, 1863.

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VI

*Special Meetings.*

Special Meetings may be called by the President or Secretary, as before provided, upon the written requisition of any two Trustees.

VII.

*Alteration of By-Laws.*

The By-Laws may be altered at any meeting by the unanimous vote of all the Trustees, or the same may be altered by a majority of all the Trustees, upon notice given at the next preceding meeting of the intended alteration.

*Permanent Missionary Fund.*

The moneys and securities received by this Board from the Diocese of Western New York, on the occasion of its division, amounting to \$11,384.09, shall, together with any additions since made, or hereafter to be made thereto, continue to be denominated in the accounts and the reports of the Treasurer. "The Permanent Missionary Fund." as the same was so denominated in the accounts and reports of the Treasurer of the said Diocese of Western New York before the division. That the Treasurer pay the interest of said fund, from time to time, as the same may accrue, to the Treasurer of this Diocese, for the sole use and benefit of Missions therein. That the Treasurer keep a separate account of each of the other funds held by this Board, and pay the interest of each according to the terms of the trust under which it is held.

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**(7.) Incorporation of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.**

The undersigned, being persons of full age, and citizens of the United States, and citizens of and residents within the State of New York, desiring to associate themselves together and form a Society for Benevolent, Charitable and Mission purposes, do make and acknowledge this certificate in writing:

The name or title by which this society shall be known in law is "The Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York."

The particular business and objects of this Society shall be the distribution of Bibles and Prayer Books, and shall be carried on in the City of Utica, Oneida County and State of New York.

The number of Trustees of this Society shall be six, of whom the Bishop of the Diocese of Central New York shall be one, and five Laymen to be elected annually by the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York.

The names of the Trustees of this Society who shall manage its affairs for the first year of its existence, shall be the Right Reverend F. D. Huntington, William B. Jackson, Levi Blakeslee, Thomas W. Seward, Horace O. Moss and John J. Peck.

In witness whereof, we have hereto set our hands and seals this 26th day of May, A. D. 1874.

F. D. HUNTINGTON.  
WM. B. JACKSON.  
LEVI BLAKESLEE,  
T. W. SEWARD.  
J. J. PECK.  
H. O. MOSS.

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I hereby approve of and consent to the filing of the within proposed organization.

LEROY MORGAN,

*Justice Supreme Court, 5th Judicial District of New York.*

June 29, 1874.

ONEIDA COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, SS.

I hereby certify that the original copy of the foregoing instrument, signed and sealed, and the execution thereof duly acknowledged by the parties signing and sealing the same before officers authorized to take such acknowledgment, is on file in this office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto affixed the seal of said County, and subscribed my name this 29th day of August, 1874.

[L. s.]

JAMES B. PADDON, *Clerk.*

## (8.) By-Laws of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.

### I.

#### *Officers.*

The Officers of the "Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York," shall be a President, who shall be the Bishop of the Diocese; a Secretary and Treasurer; and an Executive Committee of three,—all members of the Board of Trustees.

### II.

#### *Duties of Officers.*

The duties of the Officers shall be such as usually pertain to officers so named. The Executive Committee, of which the Bishop shall be Chairman, shall from time to time receive applications for Bibles and Prayer Books from within the Diocese, consider the same, and act upon them; in no case, however, granting any gifts or incurring any expense which shall reduce the principal, or original amount of the endowment, without the consent of the Board.

### III.

#### *The Treasurer and the Executive Committee.*

The Treasurer and the Executive Committee shall invest or deposit the endowment in such a manner as they shall deem expedient, with full securities, and shall be prepared to exhibit their accounts annually to the Examining Committee of the Diocese. They shall also provide a Depository of the books in the city of Utica.

### IV.

#### *The Secretary.*

The Secretary shall prepare and present to each Annual Convention of the Diocese a report of the proceedings of the Board.

### V.

#### *Meetings.*

There shall be a yearly meeting of the Board, notified by the Secretary, on

*Incorporation of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund.*

**The** Second Thursday in June, when the officers may be elected. Special Meetings may be called at any time by the Bishop.

VI.

*Vacancies.*

A vacancy occurring in the Board may be filled by vote of the Board at any meeting.

**(9.) Incorporation of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund.**

We, George J. Gardner, of Syracuse, N. Y.; J. Dean Hawley, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Richard F. H. Ledyard, of Cazenovia, N. Y.; William S. Andrews, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Edward N. Wescott, of Syracuse, N. Y., being of full age, citizens of the United States and citizens and residents of the State of New York, associate ourselves together and form a corporation for benevolent and charitable purposes under the provisions of Chapter 319 of the laws of 1848, and the acts amendatory thereof, and do hereby certify:

1. The name of such corporation shall be the Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York.

2. Its business and its objects shall be to provide for and assist pecuniarily, so far as practicable, disabled clergy and the widows and orphans of deceased clergymen of the Diocese of Central New York. The locality of such business and the office where it shall be carried on, shall be in Syracuse, in the County of Onondaga and State of New York.

3. The number of the Trustees of said Corporation shall be five, and their names for the first year are as follows: George J. Gardner, of Syracuse, N. Y.; J. Dean Hawley, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Richard F. H. Ledyard, of Cazenovia, N. Y.; William S. Andrews, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Edward N. Wescott, of Syracuse, N. Y.

Witness our hand and seals this 20th day of October, 1898.

GEORGE J. GARDNER,	[L. S.]
J. DEAN HAWLEY,	[L. S.]
RICHARD F. H. LEDYARD,	[L. S.]
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,	[L. S.]
EDWARD N. WESCOTT,	[L. S.]

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
County of Onondaga, } ss.

On this 20th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, before me, the subscriber, personally appeared George J. Gardner, William S. Andrews, J. Dean Hawley and Edward N. Wescott, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate of incorporation, and who severally duly acknowledged that they executed the same.

W. J. HART.

*Notary Public for Onondaga County.*

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
County of Madison, } ss.

On this 19th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, before me, the subscriber, personally appeared Richard F. H. Ledyard, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing certificate of incorporation, and who duly acknowledged that he executed the same.

FRANK J. PULFORD,  
*Notary Public for Madison County.*

*Form of Bequest.*

I hereby consent to the filing of the foregoing certificate of incorporation and approve the same.

IRVING G. VANN,

*Justice Supreme Court.*

STATE OF NEW YORK. }  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

It is hereby certified, That the certificate of incorporation of Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York, with acknowledgment thereto annexed, was filed and recorded in this office on the 31st day of October, 1888.

Witness my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this 31st day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

FREDERICK COOK,

*Secretary of State.*

Also filed in Clerk's office of Onondaga County.

### (10.) Form of Bequest.

*I give, devise, and bequeath unto "The Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York," (or unto "The Trustees for the Management and Care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Central New York") or unto ("The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York") the sum of .....Dollars.*

The following Report was not received in time to be inserted in its proper place:

#### House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse.

Organized February, 1873.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President; Mr. George J. Gardner, Secretary; Mr. D. O. Salmon, Treasurer; Rev. H. R. Lockwood, D. D., Hon. G. F. Comstock, Messrs. W. H. H. Smith, W. T. Hamilton, W. D. Dunning, Thomas W. Durston, Jacob Crouse, John Lyman, W. B. Cog, and the Mayor of Syracuse, *ex-officio*.

*House Family*—Miss Jessie Roberts, Superintendent and Treasurer of current receipts; Nurses, Misses Waters, Chadwick, Sweet, Siralls, Dexter, Bliss, DeLaMater, Carter, Roberts, Howell, Wolcott, Gardner, Arnold, Richardson, Robbin, Mrs. Dutcher, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Van Vechtern.

The institution is under the charge of a graduate of the Long Island College Hospital. The Training School is connected with the hospital. There is a maternity department for mothers and children, with educated female physicians, Drs. Juliet E. Hanchett and Theresa Bannan. There are about sixty beds in the hospital.

During the year two memorial rooms have been furnished, the Wood Howlett memorial room by Mrs. D. P. Wood in memory of her daughter, Mrs. Wood Howlett; and the Van Schaack memorial room by Mrs. W. G. Hibbard in memory of her mother, Mrs. Van Schaack. One free bed has been supported for the year at a cost of \$250, the Van Schaack memorial bed. Further endowments of beds are greatly needed.

Number of patients during the year, 476. Receipts, \$9,250.80. Expenses, \$9,911.00.

The Bishop frequently visits and officiates at the House, which has his constant interest and supervision.

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# Canonical Offerings.



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FOR AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY AND WIDOWS AND ORPHAN FUND:—*On Christmas Day.*

FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS:—*On a Sunday in Epiphany.*

FOR THE INCREASE OF THE MINISTRY:—*On Easter or some other near and convenient Sunday.*

FOR THE BIBLE AND PRAYER BOOK SOCIETY:—*On Whitsunday.*

FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS:—*On the Third Sunday of every month when one of the above named Sundays is not the third in the month.*

FOR THE BISHOP'S RELIEF FUND:—*At the Episcopal Visitation.*

FOR THE DIOCESAN CHURCH BUILDING FUND:—*On the Fourth Sunday in March and September.*

FOR THE MISSION AMONG DEAF MUTES:—*On the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.*

All Offerings, except for Parochial purposes, whether for Diocesan, General, or Special Objects, should be sent to GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Treasurer, Syracuse.*

When a remittance is made directly for any special object, the Treasurer requests that a voucher, or receipt, be produced and forwarded to him, or he be otherwise advised of the same by letter other than that containing statement of remittance, in order that his Annual Report may show the aggregate of *all* offerings in the Diocese, and thus conform to the sum total of the Parochial Reports.

## Form of Bequest.

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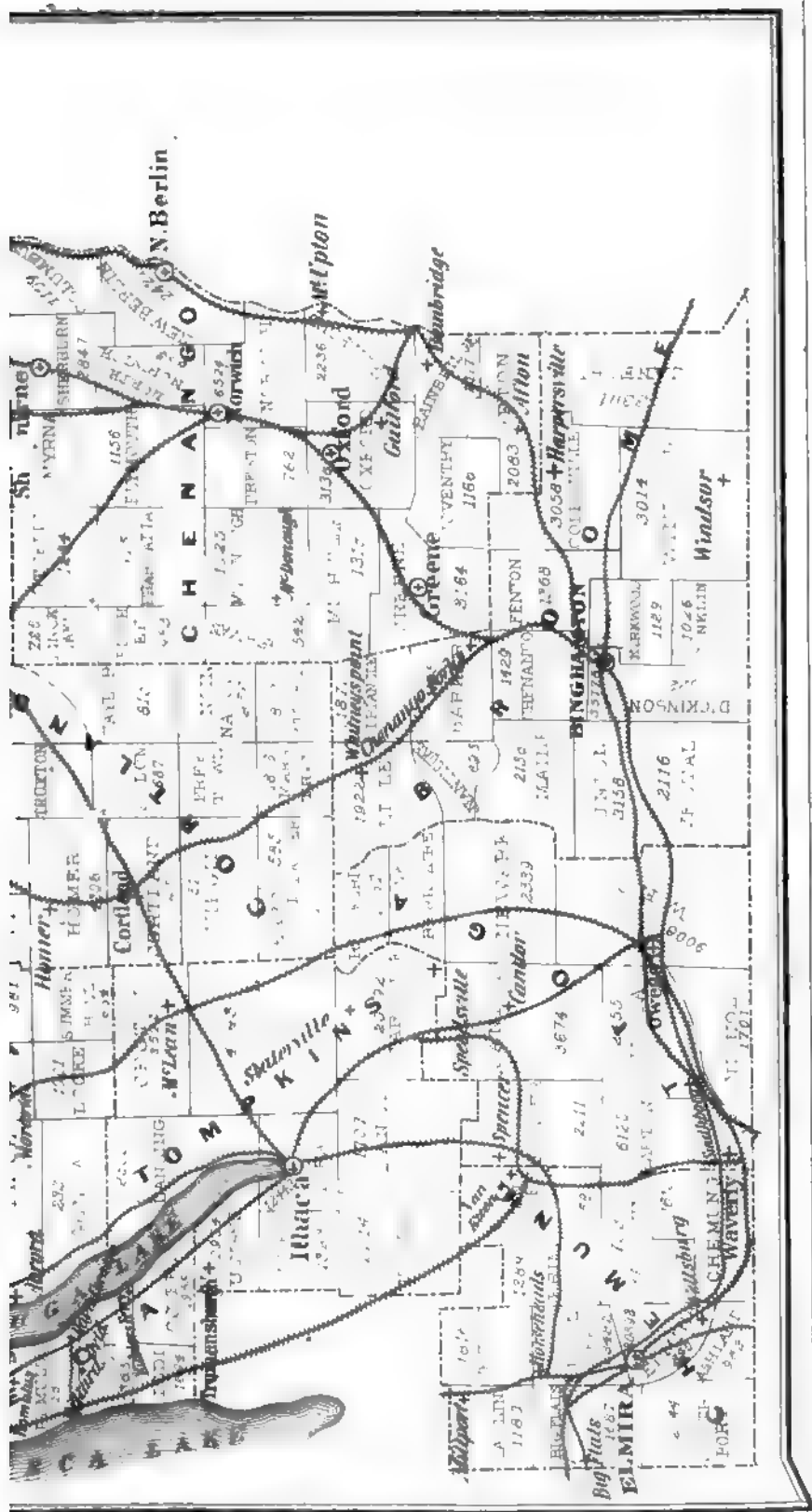


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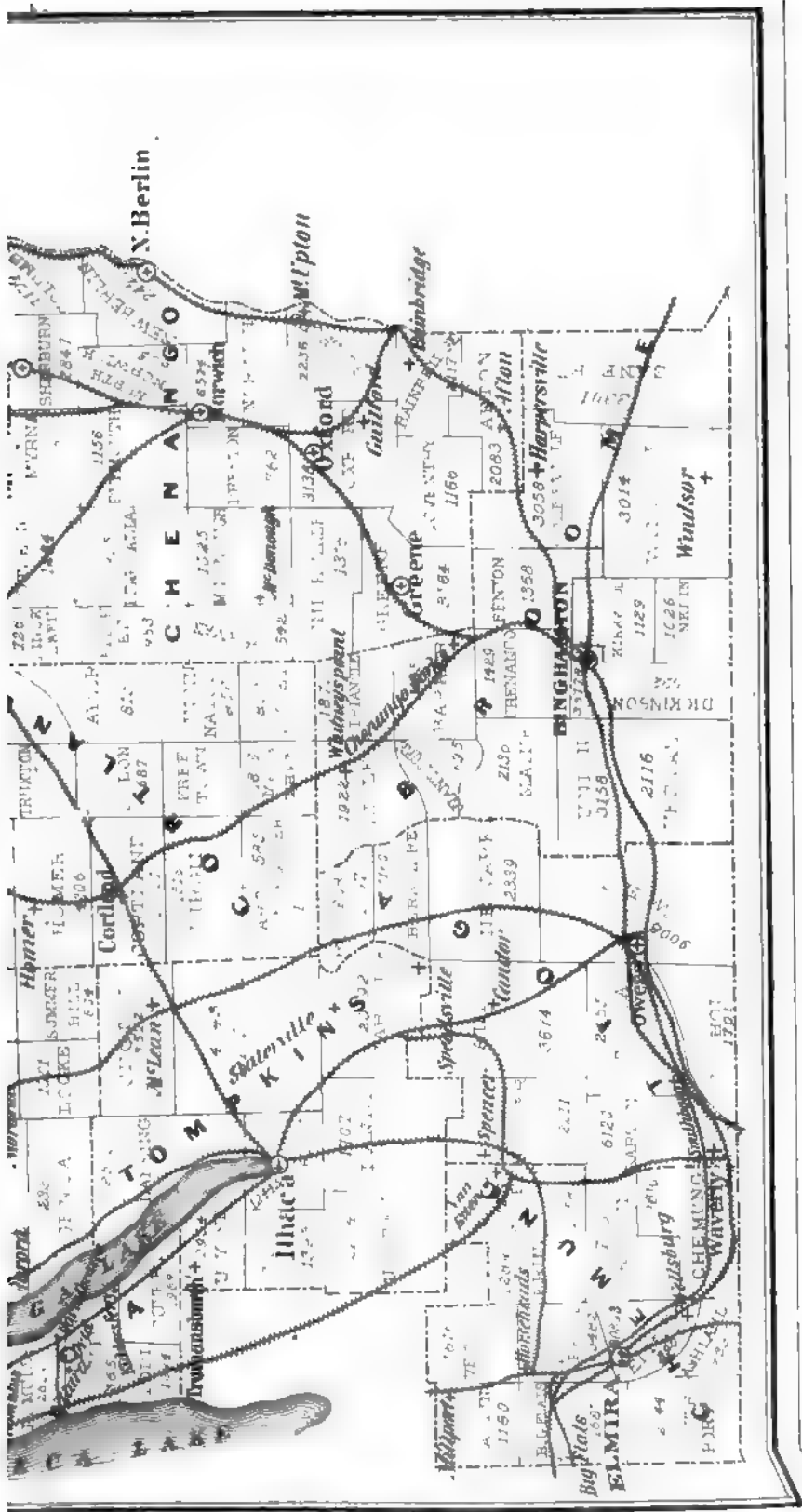
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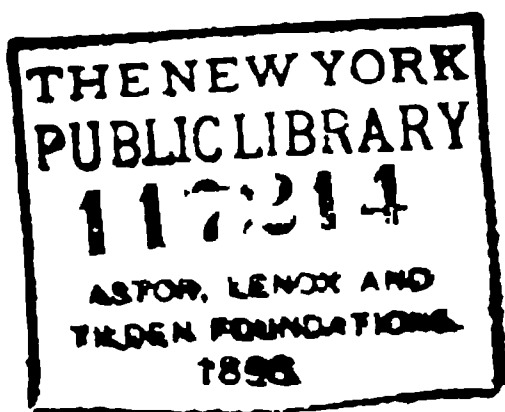
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The Rev. S. D. DAY,

Mr. G. H. PUMPELLEY.

Mr. W. F. JENKS,

*VIII. On the Support of an Assistant Bishop.*

The Rev. W. H. BROWN,  
 The Rev. J. B. AVIRETT,  
 The Rev. R. G. QUENNELL,  
 The Rev. P. N. MEADE,  
 The Rev. JOHN BRAINARD, D. D.,  
 The Rev. S. H. SYNNOTT,

Mr. J. M. TILDEN,  
 Mr. WM. M. WHITE,  
 Mr. JOSEPH E. JULIAND,  
 Mr. HAMILTON S. WHITE,  
 Mr. W. V. VAN RENSSELAER,  
 Mr. W. C. WEY, M. D.

# List of the Clergy.

June, 1893.

In the order of Present Canonical Residence.

The year attached to the name indicates the beginning of former residence in the Diocese.

## BISHOP.

THE RIGHT REV. FREDERIC DAN HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D.

Consecrated April 8th, 1869.

## PRESBYTERS.

- The Rev. William D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Received December 1, 1844.
- The Rev. William Thomas Gibson, D. D., LL. D., Ordained Dec. 18, 1853.
- The Rev. William Roberts, Ordained Nov. 21, 1858.
- The Rev. Alfred Bailey Goodrich, D. D., Received August 17, 1859.
- The Rev. Nathan F. Whiting, D. D., Received August 12, 1862.
- The Rev. William Martin Beauchamp, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 12, 1862.
- The Rev. Almon Gregory, (1847) Received June 8, 1863.
- The Rev. John Brainard, D. D., Received Dec. 14, 1863.
- The Rev. Joshua Law Burrows, Ph. D., (1859) Received 1864.
- The Rev. George Gustavus Perrine, Ordained July 2, 1865.
- The Rev. Henry Roswell Lockwood, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 23, 1867.
- The Rev. James Holwell Kidder, Received Sept. 26, 1868.
- The Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., Received Aug. 9, 1869.
- The Rev. Alexander H. Rogers, (1861) Received Dec. 2, 1870.
- The Rev. Thomas L. Randolph, Received Dec. 28, 1870.
- The Rev. Robert Paul, Received Sept. 25, 1871.
- The Rev. Charles Babcock, Received Dec. 20, 1872.
- The Rev. Joel Davis, Received Jan. 20, 1873.
- The Rev. Albert Hall Ormsbee, Ordained June 3, 1873.
- The Rev. Robert George Quennell, Received Nov. 1, 1874.
- The Rev. Frederick P. Winne, Ordained Sept. 23, 1875.
- The Rev. James A. Robinson, (1852) Received Oct. 14, 1875.
- The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., (1857) Received Nov. 4, 1875.
- The Rev. William DeLancey Wilson, Ordained Jan. 25, 1876.
- The Rev. Charles Seymour, Received 1876.
- The Rev. Frederick Beverly Cossitt, Ordained June 6, 1876.
- The Rev. William H. Casey, Ordained June 6, 1876.
- The Rev. Bernard Schulte, S. T. D., Received June, 1876.
- The Rev. John Muir, M. D., Ordained March 7, 1877.
- The Rev. Charles P. Jennings, S. T. D., Received May, 1877.
- The Rev. Andrew Hull, D. D., (1841) Received Jan. 4, 1881.
- The Rev. John H. Egar, D. D., Received Feb. 18, 1881.
- The Rev. Charles W. MacNish, Ordained May 31, 1881.
- The Rev. Samuel Wesley Strowger, Ordained May 31, 1881.
- The Rev. Benajah Emory Whipple, Ordained Dec. 3, 1881.

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- The Rev. John Everett Johnson, Received Jan. 24, 1882.  
 The Rev. John Woodworth Craig, Received Feb. 27, 1882.  
 The Rev. William E. Allen, Received June 16, 1882.  
 The Rev. William B. Coleman, Jr., Received June 27, 1882.  
 The Rev. Robert Murray Duff, S. T. D., (1864) Received Aug. 24, 1882.  
 The Rev. Oliver Owen, Received Jan. 13, 1883.  
 The Rev. Moses Coit Tyler, LL. D., Ordained April 29, 1883.  
 The Rev. Thomas Lewis Banister, Received May 14, 1883.  
 The Rev. William Cooke, Ordained May 18, 1883.  
 The Rev. George H. Kirkland, Received Dec. 31, 1883.  
 The Rev. Gustav E. Purucker, Received March 3, 1884.  
 The Rev. Charles Tyler Olmsted, S. T. D., Received June 1, 1884.  
 The Rev. Ezekiel Wilson Mundy, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
 The Rev. Frank Nash Westcott, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
 The Rev. George Bowen, Jr., Ordained June 25, 1884.  
 The Rev. James Kellogg Parker, Ordained Dec. 18, 1884.  
 The Rev. Stephen Henry Synnott, Received April 10, 1885.  
 The Rev. Herbert McKenzie Denslow, Received July 7, 1885.  
 The Rev. Henry V. Gardner, Received Jan. 4, 1886.  
 The Rev. John Arthur, Ordained April 2, 1886.  
 The Rev. James Ferdinand Taunt, (1878) Received March 29, 1887.  
 The Rev. William D. Maxon, Received April 27, 1887.  
 The Rev. George L. Neide, Received May 10, 1887.  
 The Rev. William Bours Clarke, Ordained May 20, 1887.  
 The Rev. John Scott, Received Oct. 4, 1887.  
 The Rev. John T. Rose, Received Jan. 18, 1888.  
 The Rev. Edwin W. Colloque, Received May 4, 1888.  
 The Rev. William Higgs, Ordained May 27, 1888.  
 The Rev. William Edgar Wright, Received Oct. 2, 1888.  
 The Rev. George W. Southwell, Received Nov. 9, 1888.  
 The Rev. Samuel Hanson Coxe, S. T. D., (1854) Received April 22, 1889.  
 The Rev. Philip Nelson Meade, Received May 13, 1889.  
 The Rev. Henry Dows Stebbins, Ordained May 29, 1889.  
 The Rev. Herbert Guibord Coddington, Ordained Dec. 11, 1889.  
 The Rev. James Jones Burd, Received Dec. 31, 1889.  
 The Rev. Joseph H. Young, Received Feb. 20, 1890.  
 The Rev. Arthur Cleveland Clarke, Ordained June 4, 1890.  
 The Rev. James Battle Avirett, Received August 4, 1890.  
 The Rev. James B. Murray, D. D., Received Oct. 6, 1890.  
 The Rev. Charles H. Tindell, (1831) Received Jan. 3, 1891.  
 The Rev. Samuel D. Day, Received Jan. 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. Antoine G. Singsen, Received April 25, 1891.  
 The Rev. Anson J. Brockway, Received April 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles D. Atwell, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
 The Rev. William Gordon Bentley, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
 The Rev. Edwin Cheney Alcorn, Received June 5, 1891.  
 The Rev. Joseph Morison Clarke, D. D., (1852) Received Nov. 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles Donohue, Ordained Dec. 18, 1891.

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The Rev. John Frederick Esch, (1868) Received Jan. 19, 1892.  
 The Rev. Robert Hudson, Ph. D., Received April 10, 1892.  
 The Rev. Walter E. Bentley, Ordained Sept. 21, 1892.  
 The Rev. William Morris Gilbert, Ordained Sept. 21, 1892.  
 The Rev. Frank P. Harrington, Received Dec. 26, 1892.  
 The Rev. William T. Tierkel, Received Dec. 26, 1892.  
 The Rev. William Henry Bown, Received March 30, 1893.  
 The Rev. Frank P. Tompkins, Ordained May 18, 1893.  
 The Rev. Orin A. Sands, Ordained May 18, 1893.  
 The Rev. C. N. Clement Brown, Received May, 1893.  
 The Rev. William Price James, Received June 14, 1893.  
 The Rev. Joseph Marchant Hayman, Ordained June 20, 1893.

DEACONS.

The Rev. Henry Riley Fuller, Ordained Jan. 8, 1888.  
 The Rev. Daniel Daly, Ordained March 9, 1890.  
 The Rev. Albert Cusick, Ordained Oct. 1, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles Orris Dantzer, Ordained March 10, 1892.  
 The Rev. Earle Henry Kenyon, Ordained Sept. 23, 1892.  
 The Rev. George N. Smith, Ordained Sept. 23, 1892.  
 The Rev. William Herbert Hawken, Ordained Sept. 23, 1892.  
 The Rev. George Henry Ottaway, Ordained Sept. 23, 1892.  
 The Rev. Charles Tefft Raynor, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 The Rev. Frank Miller Baum, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 The Rev. Arthur Lester Byron-Curtiss, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 The Rev. John Smiley, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 The Rev. Joseph Hypkin Brown, Ordained March 9, 1893.  
 The Rev. Edward Burdick Doolittle, Ordained March 9, 1893.  
 The Rev. David L. Ferris, Ordained June 11, 1893.

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**Candidates for Holy Orders.**

John Ernest Bates,	Gilbert William Laidlaw,
Albert Edward Bentley,	George Maxwell,
James Winslow Clarke,	David Benton Matthews,
Henry Aaron Dexter,	Charles H. McKnight,
Charles Winfred Douglas,	George Wharton McMullen,
Parker Fenno,	Dwight A. Parce,
Herbert Henry Fox,	George Fletcher Potter,
DeLancey Burdette Hamblin,	Charles E. S. Rasay,
Matthew Irving Hunt,	Charles Alexander Smith,
Christopher I. Lambert,	William Harman VanAllen,
	Frederick F. Llewellyn.

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**Postulants.**

Robert Wesley Bowman,	John C. Kirtland, Jr.,
Lucian Adelbert Davison,	Francis William Maccaud,
Ernest Frederick George,	William Earle Stilwell,
	Frederick Brymer Keable.



# Alphabetical List of the Clergy.

June, 1893.

**THE RIGHT REV. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D.,**  
**BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE, SYRACUSE.**

**Allen, William E., Rector of Christ Church, Sherburne.**

**Alcorn, Edwin C., Utica.**

**Arthur, John, Rector of St. John's Church, Oneida.**

**Avirett, James B., Rector of Grace Church, Waterville.**

**Atwell, Charles D., in charge of Emmanuel Mission, Elmira, (P. O.) and**  
**Christ Church, Wellsburgh.**

**Babcock, Charles, Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.**

**Babcock, Theodore, D. D., Rector of Christ Church, Manlius, (P. O.) and St.**  
**Mark's Church, Jamesville.**

**Banister, T. Lewis, Rector of St. Stephen's Church, New Hartford.**

**Baum, Frank M., Minister of Christ Church, Sacketts Harbor.**

**Beauchamp, William M., S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Baldwinsville.**

**Bentley, Walter E., Rector of Christ Church, Clayton.**

**Bentley, William G., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Constableville, (P. O.) and**  
**St. Mark's Church, Port Leyden.**

**Bowen, George Jr., Waverly.**

**Bown, William H., Rector of Grace Church, Watertown.**

**Brainard, John, D. D., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Auburn.**

**Brockway, Anson J., Rector of Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor.**

**Brown, C. N. Clement, Rector of St. John's Church, Auburn.**

**Brown, Joseph H., Minister of St. Paul's Church, Antwerp.**

**Burd, James J., Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, Utica.**

**Burrows, Joshua L., Ph. D.**

**Casey, William H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Aurora, (P. O.) Grace**  
**Church, Union Springs, and St. Luke's Church, Cayuga.**

**Clarke, Joseph M., D. D., Bishop's Chaplain, Syracuse.**

**Clarke, William B., Rector of Grace Church, Cortland.**

**Clarke, Arthur Cleveland, Chaplain of St. John's School, Manlius.**

**Coddington, Herbert G., Rector of Grace Church, Syracuse.**

**Coleman, William B., Jr., Rector of St. George's Church, Utica.**

**Colloque, Edwin W., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Oxford.**

**Cooke, William, Assistant Minister of Grace Church, Utica.**

**Cossitt, Frederick B., Waterville.**

**Coxe, S. Hanson, S. T. D., Utica.**

**Craig, John W.**

**Cartiss, Arthur L. B., Minister of Christ Church, Forestport.**

**Cusick, Albert, Missionary, Onondaga Reservation.**

**Day, Samuel D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.**


**Daly, Daniel, Missionary at Lacona.**

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- Dantzer, Charles O., Missionary to Deaf Mutes, p. o. Syracuse.  
 Davis, Joel, Rector of Trinity Church, Camden.  
 Denslow, Herbert M., Rector of Trinity Church, Seneca Falls.  
 Donohue, Charles, Rector of Grace Church, Waverly.  
 Doolittle, Edward B., Minister of St. John's Church, Clayville, and Missionary at Bridgewater, (p. o.) and Brookfield.  
 Duff, Robert M., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo.  
 Eggar, John H., D. D., Rector of Zion Church, Rome.  
 Esch, John F., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Smithboro.  
 Ferris, David L., Minister of St. John's Church, Big Flats and St. Matthew's Church, Horseheads.  
 Fuller, Henry R., Assistant Minister of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.  
 Gardner, Henry V., East Aurora, N. Y.  
 Gibson, William T., D. D., LL. D., Chaplain of the N. Y. S. Hospital, Utica.  
 Gilbert, William M., Rector of Grace Church, Carthage.  
 Goodrich, Alfred B., D. D., Rector of Calvary Church, Utica.  
 Gregory, Almon, Syracuse.  
 Hayman, Joseph M., Rector of St. Joseph's Church, Rome.  
 Harrington, Frank P., Rector of St. Thomas' Church, Hamilton.  
 Hawken, William H., Missionary at Millport.  
 Higgin, William, Missionary at McDonough.  
 Hudson, Robert, Ph. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Syracuse.  
 Hull, Andrew, D. D., Elmira.  
 James, W. Price, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Holland Patent.  
 Jennings, Charles P., S. T. D., Shelbyville, Indiana.  
 Johnson, J. Everest, in charge of Calvary Church, Syracuse, and Emmanuel Mission, East Syracuse.  
 Kidder, James H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Owego.  
 Kirkland, George H., Rector of St. Andrew's Church, New Berlin.  
 Kenyon, Earle H., Minister of Emmanuel Church, Adams.  
 Lockwood, Henry R., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.  
 Maxon, William D., Rector of Trinity Church, Utica.  
 McKnight, George H., D. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Elmira.  
 MacNish, Charles W., Missionary at Ovid, (p. o.) Hayt's Corners, and Willard.  
 Meade, Philip N., Rector of Christ Church, Oswego.  
 Muir, John, M. D., Merrickville, Ontario, Canada.  
 Mundy, Ezekiel, W., Rector of St. Mark's Church, Syracuse.  
 Murray, James B., D. D., Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Moravia.  
 Neide, George L., Rector of St. James' Church, Cleveland.  
 Olmstead, Charles T., S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Utica.  
 Ormsbee, Albert H.  
 Owen, Oliver, Rector of St. James' Church, Clinton.  
 Ottaway, George H., Missionary at Canastota and Chittenango.  
 Parker, James K., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Oriskany, (p. o.) St. John's Church, Whitesboro and St. James' Church, New York Mills.  
 Paul, Robert, Rector of St. James' Church, Pulaski.

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- Perrine, George G., Rector of Christ Church, Guilford.  
 Purucker, Gustav E.  
 Quennell, Robert G., Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton.  
 Randolph, Thomas L., Alameda, California.  
 Raynor, Charles T., Missionary at Oriskany Falls, (P. O.) and Augusta.  
 Robinson, James A., Rector of Grace Church, Whitner's Point  
 P. O. Cortland.  
 Rogers, Alexander H., Rector of Zion Church, Greene.  
 Roberts, William, in England.  
 Rose, John T., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Cazenovia.  
 Sands, Orin A., Rector of Zion Church, Windsor.  
 Schulte, Bernard, D. D., Rector of St. Luke's Memorial Church, Utica.  
 Scott, John, in charge of the Indian Mission, Onondaga Reservation.  
 Seymour, Charles, Nyack, N. Y.  
 Singsen, Antoine G., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge, (P. O.) and  
 St. Ann's Church, Afton.  
 Southwell, George W., Rector of Christ Church, Jordan.  
 Smiley, John, Minister of St. James' Church Theresa, and St. Peter's  
 Church, Redwood.  
 Smith, George N., Missionary at Van Etten.  
 Stebbins, Henry D., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Norwich.  
 Strowger, Samuel W., Rector of St. John's Church, Cape Vincent.  
 Synnott, Stephen H., Rector of St. John's Church, Ithaca.  
 Taunt, James F., New York City.  
 Tompkins, Frank P., Syracuse.  
 Tindell, Charles H., Rector of Trinity Church, Lowville.  
 Tyler, Moses Coit, LL. D., Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.  
 Tierkel, William T.  
 Westcott, Frank N., Rector of St. James' Church, Skaneateles.  
 Whipple, Benajah E., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Paris Hill.  
 Whiting, Nathan F., D. D., Cape Vincent.  
 Wilson, William D., D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Dean of St. Andrew's  
 Divinity School, Syracuse.  
 Wilson, William DeL., Rector of St. John's Church, Syracuse.  
 Winne, Frederick P., Assistant Minister of Trinity Church, Watertown.  
 Wright, William E., Rector of Grace Church, Elmira.  
 Young, Joseph H., New York City.

 For CLERICAL CHANGES since the Convention see the last page of the Journal.

# List of Parishes, Chapels and Missions.

With the Names of Ministers and Date of Organization.

Self-Supporting Parishes in SMALL CAPITALS. Not admitted to Union in *italics*.

## BROOME COUNTY.

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
BINGHAMTON .....	CHRIST CHURCH..	Rev. R. G. Quennell ....	1810
" .....	TRINITY .....		May 12, 1886
" .....	GOOD SHEPHERD.	" S. D. Day .....	Feb. 8, 1878
<i>Chenango Forks</i> .....	<i>St. John's</i> .....	" R. G. Quennell ....	Nov. 20, 1880
Harpursville .....	St. Luke's .....	" A. G. Singsen.....	April 15, 1799
Whitney's Point....	Grace .....	" J. A. Robinson ....	Dec. 19, 1870
Windsor.....	Zion .....	" O. A. Sands .....	August, 1842

## CAYUGA COUNTY.

AUBURN.. .....	ST. PETER'S .....	Rev. J. Brainard, D. D.,	July 1, 1805
" .....	St. John's.....	" C. N. C. Brown ..	April 18, 1868
Aurora .....	St. Paul's.....	" W. H. Casey .....	Feb. 11, 1835
Cayuga.....	St. Luke's .....	" " .....	July 5, 1871
Moravia .....	St. Matthew's ..	" J. B. Murray, D.D.,	July 14, 1828
Port Byron .....	St. Paul's .....		1849
Union Springs .....	Grace .....	" W. H. Casey .....	Feb. 9, 1867
Weedsport.....	St. John's .....		Feb. 26, 1866

## CHEMUNG COUNTY.

Big Flats .....	St. John's .....	Rev. D. L. Ferris .....	1862
ELMIRA ... ..	TRINITY .....	" G. H. McKnight, D.D.	June 12, 1888
" .....	GRACE .....	" W. E. Wright .....	June 20, 1864
" .....	Emmanuel Mis'n	" C. D. Atwell.....	
Horseheads .....	St. Matthew's...	" D. L. Ferris .....	
Millport .. ..	St. Mark's Mis'n.	" W. H. Hawken ....	1862
Wellsburg .....	Christ Church...	" C. D. Atwell.....	1871

## CHENANGO COUNTY.

Afton .....	St. Ann's .....	Rev. A. G. Singsen .....	1860
Bainbridge .....	St. Peter's .....	" " .....	1825
GREENE .....	ZION .....	" A. H. Rogers.....	1838
Guilford. . . . .	Christ Church...	" G. G. Perrine .....	Sept. 9, 1830
McDonough .....	Calvary Mission .	" W. Higgs .....	
Mt. Upton.....	Grace ... ..	" G. G. Perrine.....	April, 1883
NEW BERLIN .....	ST. ANDREW'S...	" G. H. Kirkland ....	June 22, 1814
NORWICH .....	EMMANUEL.....	" H. D. Stebbins.....	Sept. 17, 1832
OXFORD .....	ST. PAUL'S.....	" E. W. Colloque....	1814
SHERBURNE .....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" W. E. Allen .....	July, 1828

## CORTLAND COUNTY.

Cortland .....	Grace.....		Oct. 14, 1847
Homer .....	Calvary .....		June 6, 1831

*List of Parishes and Missions—Jefferson—Lewis—Madison—Oneida.***JEFFERSON COUNTY.**

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANS.
Adams.....	Einmanuel.....	Rev. E. H. Kenyon.....	Feb.,
Alexandria Bay....	St. Lawrence....		
Antwerp.....	St. Paul's.....	" J. H. Brown .....	Jan. 19,
Brownville .....	St. Paul's.....	" F. P. Winne .....	August,
Cape Vincent.....	St. John's.....	" S. W. Strowger....	
CARTHAGE.....	GRACE.....	" W. M. Gilbert.....	
Champion.....	St. John's.....		April,
Clayton .....	Christ Church...	" W. E. Bentley.....	
Dexter .....	All Saints'.....		
Ellisburgh.....	Christ Church...	" A. J. Brockway....	
Evans Mills.....	Mission.. ..		
Frederick's Corners.	Mission. ....	" A. J. Brockway....	
Great Bend... ..	Trinity Chapel..		
Greig.....	Mission.....	" W. G. Bentley .....	
LaFargeville.....	St. Paul's.....	" W. E. Bentley.....	
Millen's Bay .....	Mission .....	" S. W. Strowger....	
North Watertown..	Redemer.....	" F. P. Winne.....	
PIERREPONT MANOR.	ZION.....	" A. J. Brockway....	Jan. 4,
Redwood .....	St. Peter's.....	" J. Smiley... ..	August,
Sackett's Harbor ..	Christ Church...	" F. M. Baum .....	
Theresa.....	St. James'.....	" J. Smiley.....	
WATERTOWN .....	TRINITY .....		May,
" .....	GRACE.....	" W. H. Bown. ....	August,
Wood's Falls .....	St. Andrew's ..	" F. P. Winne.....	

**LEWIS COUNTY.**

Constableville.....	St Paul's.....	Rev. W. G. Bentley.....	
Copenhagen.....	Grace.....		Dec. 12,
LOWVILLE.....	TRINITY.....	" C. H. Tindell .. ..	Sept. 24,
Port Leyden.....	St. Mark's.....	" W. G. Bentley.....	June 14,

**MADISON COUNTY.**

Brookfield.....	St. Timothy's....	Rev. E. B. Doolittle.....	
CAZENOVIA.....	ST. PETER'S .....	" J. T. Rose .....	
Canastota .....	Trinity Mission..	" G. H. Ottaway.....	
Chittenango .....	St. Paul's .....	" " " .....	
Earlville.....	Grace Mission...		
HAMILTON.....	ST. THOMAS'....	" F. P. Harrington ..	Sept. 21,
ONEIDA .....	ST. JOHN'S.....	" J. Arthur.....	May 6,
Perryville... ..	St. Stephen's....		

**ONEIDA COUNTY.**

Augusta.....	St. Andrew's....	Rev. C. T. Raynor .....	
Boonville .....	Trinity.....		
Bridgewater.....	Christ Church...	" E. B. Doolittle....	Oct.
Camden.....	Trinity.....	" J. Davis .....	
Chadwicks .....	St. George's.....	" T. L. Banister .....	
Clarks Mills.....	St. Mark's.....	" O. Owen.....	
Clayville... ..	St. John's.....	" E. R. Doolittle....	
CLINTON .....	ST. JAMES' .....	" O. Owen.....	May 19,
Durhamville.....	Mission.....	" J. Arthur.....	
Forestport.....	Christ Church...	" A. L. B. Curtiss....	
Holland Patent ....	St. Paul's.....	" W. P. James....	June 21,
NEW HARTFORD .....	ST. STEPHEN'S....	" T. L. Bannister ...	Sept. 1,
New York Mills....	St. James'.....	" J. K. Parker.....	
Oriskany .....	St. Peter's.....	" " .....	May,
Oriskany Falls.....	Good Shepherd..	" E. T. Raynor.....	
Paris Hill .....	St. Paul's.....	" B. E. Whipple .....	
ROME .....	ZION.. ..	" J. H. Egar, D. D....	
" .....	St. Joseph's.....	" J. M. Hayman.....	
UTICA .....	CALVARY.....	" A. B. Goodrich, D.D.	Dec. 18,
" .....	GRACE .....	" C. T. Olmsted, D.D.	May 21,
" .....	HOLY CROSS .....	" J. J. Burd .....	
" .....	ST. GEORGE'S .....	" W. B. Coleman, Jr.	May 19,

*List of Parishes and Missions—Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins,*

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
UTICA.....	ST. LUKE'S.....	Rev. B. Schulte, D. D....	April 14, 1873
".....	TRINITY.....	" W. D. Maxon.....	1798
".....	St. Andrew's.....	" W. Cooke.....	
WATERVILLE.....	GRACE.....	" J. B. Avirett.....	Aug. 10, 1840
Westmoreland.....	Gethsemane.....	" O. Owen.....	1842
Whitesboro.....	St. John's.....	" J. K. Parker.....	1845
ONONDAGA COUNTY.			
BALDWINSVILLE.....	GRACE.....	Rev. W. M. Beauchamp, D. D..	1838
East Syracuse.....	Emmanuel Mis'n	" J. E. Johnson.....	
FAYETTEVILLE.....	TRINITY.....	" A. W. Eberole.....	1830
Jamesville.....	St. Mark's.....	" T. Babcock, D. D..	July 12, 1831
JORDAN.....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" G. W. Southwell...	1841
Manlius.....	Christ Church...	" T. Babcock, D. D..	Jan. 16, 1811
Marcellus.....	St. John's.....		1825
Onondaga.....	Indian Mission..	" J. Scott.....	
SKANEATELES.....	ST. JAMES'...	" F. N. Westcott.....	Jan. 4, 1816
SYRACUSE.....	Calvary.....	" J. E. Johnson.....	1831
".....	GRACE.....	" H. G. Coddington..	Mar. 27, 1811
".....	ST. JAMES'.....		
".....	St. John's.....	" W. DeL. Wilson...	1839
".....	St. Luke's Miss'n	" J. K. Johnson.....	
".....	ST. MARK'S.....	" E. W. Mundy.....	Jan. 10, 1832
".....	ST. PAUL'S.....	" H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.	1826
".....	TRINITY.....	" R. Hudson, Ph. D..	March 3, 1856
OSWEGO COUNTY.			
Albion.....	Mission.....		
Cleveland.....	St. James'.....	Rev. G. L. Neide.....	July 22, 1867
Fulton.....	Zion.....	" H. M. Clarke.....	June 23, 1835
Lacona.....	Mission.....	" D. Daly.....	
Mexico.....	Grace.....		Dec. 4, 1848
OSWEGO.....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" P. N. Meade.....	1817
".....	EVANGELISTS....		August, 1850
Pulaski.....	St. James'.....	" R. Paul.....	1846
Redfield.....	Grace Mission...		
Sandy Creek.....	Emmanuel Mis'n	" D. Daly.....	
Smartsville.....	Mission.....	" "	
SENECA COUNTY.			
SENECA FALLS.....	TRINITY.....	Rev. W. B. Clarke.....	1831
Dey's Landing.....	St. Andrew's....		
Hayt's Corners.....	Calvary Mission.	" C. W. MacNish.....	
Jerusalem.....	Mission.....		
Ovid.....	Trinity Mission..	" C. W. MacNish....	
Romulus.....	St. Stephen's....		
WATERLOO.....	ST. PAUL'S.....	" B. M. Duff, D. D....	October. 1817
Willard.....	Mission.....	" C. W. MacNish.....	
Willowdale.....	Grace.....		
TIOGA COUNTY.			
Candor.....	St. Mark's.....		1831
OWEGO.....	ST. PAUL'S.....	Rev. J. H. Kidder.....	Feb. 10, 1834
Smithboro.....	Emmanuel.....	" J. F. Esch.....	1871
Spencer.....	Mission.....	" E. C. Alcorn.....	
Van Etten.....	Mission.....	" ".....	
Waverly.....	Grace.....	" C. Donohue.....	1854
TOMPKINS COUNTY.			
ITHACA.....	ST. JOHN'S.....	Rev. S. H. Synnott.....	1822
McLean.....	Zion.....		1833
Speedsville.....	St. John's.....	" M. C. Tyler, LL. D.,	
Slaterville.....	Mission.....	" ".....	
Trumansburgh.....	Epiphany.....		Jan. 6, 1871

# THE CONVENTION, 1893.

## Clergy in Attendance.

### BISHOP.

THE RT. REV. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D.

### PRESBYTERS.

Rev. W. E. Allen,	Rev. F. P. Harrington,
“ E. C. Alcorn,	“ J. E. Johnson,
“ John Arthur,	“ W. Price James,
“ J. B. Avirett,	“ J. H. Kidder,
“ C. D. Atwell,	“ G. H. Kirkland,
“ Theo. Babcock, D. D.,	“ H. B. Lockwood, S. T. D.,
“ T. L. Banister,	“ W. D. Maxon,
“ W. M. Beauchamp, D. D.,	“ C. W. MacNish,
“ W. E. Bentley,	“ P. N. Meade,
“ W. G. Bentley,	“ John Muir, M. D.,
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“ C. N. C. Brown,	“ Oliver Owen,
“ W. H. Casey,	“ J. K. Parker,
“ J. M. Clarke, D. D.,	“ Robert Paul,
“ W. B. Clarke,	“ G. G. Perrine,
“ A. C. Clarke,	“ R. G. Quennell,
“ H. G. Coddington,	“ J. A. Robinson,
“ W. B. Coleman, Jr.,	“ A. H. Rogers,
“ E. W. Colloque,	“ J. T. Rose,
“ Wm. Cooke,	“ O. A. Sands,
“ F. B. Cossitt,	“ B. Schulte, D. D.,
“ S. D. Day,	“ A. G. Singsen,
“ Joel Davis,	“ S. W. Strowger,
“ H. M. Denslow,	“ H. D. Stebbins,
“ C. Donohue,	“ F. P. Tompkins,
“ R. M. Duff, S. T. D.,	“ C. H. Tindell,
“ J. H. Egar, D. D.,	“ F. N. Westcott,
“ W. T. Gibson, D. D., LL. D.,	“ B. E. Whipple,
“ W. M. Gilbert,	“ W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D.
“ A. B. Goodrich, D. D.,	“ W. DeL. Wilson,
“ Wm. Higgs,	“ F. P. Winue,
“ R. Hudson, Ph. D.,	“ W. E. Wright.

### DEACONS.

Rev. F. M. Baum,	Rev. E. B. Doolittle,
“ J. H. Brown,	“ H. R. Fuller,
“ A. L. B. Curtiss,	“ J. M. Hayman,
“ D. Daly,	“ E. H. Kenyon,
“ C. O. Dantzer,	“ C. T. Raynor,

Rev. J. Smiley.

*Lay Delegates in Attendance.*

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BROOME COUNTY.

BINGHAMTON, *Christ Church*—ARTHUR S. MINER, JAMES A. ELLIOTT.  
 “ *Trinity*—JOHN ANDERSON.

CAYUGA COUNTY.

AUBURN, *St. Peter's*—ALFRED N. HOLLISTER.  
 “ *St. John's*—A. R. CHRISLER.

CHEMUNG COUNTY.

ELMIRA, *Trinity*—CHARLES H. MCKNIGHT.  
 “ *Grace*—LUTHER L. BARNEY.

CHENANGO COUNTY.

AFTON, *St. Ann's*—NATHAN B. STOWELL.  
 GREENE, *Zion*—JOSEPH E. JULIAND.  
 NEW!BERLIN, *St. Andrew's*—H. O. MOSS, J. T. WHITE, JAMES M. SPRAGUE.  
 NORWICH, *Emmanuel*—E. WINSOR, Jr., NORMAN CARR.  
 OXFORD, *St. Paul's*—F. G. CLARKE, J. R. VAN WAGENEN, J. H. GIFFORD.  
 SHERBURNE, *Christ Church*—CHARLES S. KERSHAW.

CORTLAND COUNTY.

CORTLAND, *Grace*—H. B. HUBBARD, GEORGE L. WARREN, HORACE S. DIBBLE,

JEFFERSON COUNTY.

CAPE VINCENT, *St. John's*—FRANCIS W. SACKETT.  
 CARTHAGE, *Grace*—ALONZO KRING.  
 PIERREPONT MANOR, *Zion*—WILLIAM M. WHITE.  
 SACKETTS HARBOR, *Christ Church*—JOHN MCLOUGHLIN.  
 WATERTOWN, *Trinity*—A. H. SAWYER, J. M. TILDEN, W. H. MOORE.  
 “ *Grace*—LEWIS F. PHILLIPS.

LEWIS COUNTY.

CONSTABLEVILLE, *St. Paul's*—ADOLPH G. STEINBRENNER, PETER J. CROFOOT.  
 LOWVILLE, *Trinity*—HENRY C. NORTHAM, FREDERICK McCULLOCK,  
 FREDERICK SCHRAUR.  
 PORT LEYDEN, *St. Mark's*—EVERETT WILLIAMS.

MADISON COUNTY.

CAZENOVIA, *St. Peter's*—ROBERT J. HUBBARD.  
 HAMILTON, *St. Thomas'*—B. J. STIMPSON, CHARLES E. SMITH.  
 ONEIDA, *St. John's*—A. J. FRENCH, E. ALLEN CLARK, JOSEPH BEAL.



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*Lay Delegates in Attendance.*

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## ONEIDA COUNTY.

AUGUSTA, *St. Andrew's*—G. HAYWARD, BURDETTE HAMBLIN, J. A. DOUGLASS.  
 BRIDGEWATER, *Christ Church*—W. SOUTHWORTH, C. V. J. DOOLITTLE, M. D.  
 CAMDEN, *Trinity*—GEORGE ABBOTT.  
 CLARK'S MILLS, *St. Mark's*—H. D. NEWHALL, GEORGE HAMMOND.  
 CLAYVILLE, *St. John's*—CHARLES H. MCDOWELL, W. J. PUGH, HENRY STEELE.  
 CLINTON, *St. James'*—JOHN T. MONTROSS.  
 FORESTPORT, *Christ Church*—W. R. STANBURGH, GEORGE DOWNING.  
 HOLLAND PATENT, *St. Paul's*—W. W. DEANGELIS.  
 NEW HARTFORD, *St. Stephen's*—J. V. H. SCOVILL, T. P. FRENCH, G. BENTON.  
 ORISKANY, *St. Peters*—ANDREW J. NILES, GEORGE GRAHAM.  
 PARIS HILL, *St. Paul's*—C. HERBERT ADDINGTON.  
 ROME, *Zion*—GEORGE BARNARD, JAMES C. SMITH, E. L. STEVENS.  
 UTICA, *Calvary*—GEORGE C. MASON, W. W. NICHOLSON.  
 “ *Grace*—W. H. WATSON, M. D., CHARLES S. SYMONDS, F. T. WOOD.  
 “ *Holy Cross*—JAMES EAGAN, E. D. BRANDEGEE, W. W. CANFIELD.  
 “ *St. George's*—W. M. GIBSON, M. D., E. TREVETT, C. W. HUTCHINSON.  
 “ *St. Luke's*—HENRY HOPSON.  
 “ *Trinity*—M. C. COMSTOCK, W. M. STORRS, G. M. WEAVER.  
 WATERVILLE, *Grace*—A. O. OSBORN, WILLIAM OSBORN, GEORGE W. BERRILL.  
 WHITESBORO, *St. John's*—ROBERT AUCOCK.

## ONONDAGA COUNTY.

BALDWINVILLE, *Grace*—RICHARD RICHARDSON.  
 FAYETTEVILLE, *Trinity*—DELANCEY BARTLETT.  
 JORDAN, *Christ Church*—FRANK G. BELL.  
 MANLIUS, *Christ Church*—CHARLES A. LAKIN.  
 MARCELLUS, *St. John's*—A. M. SEYMOUR.  
 SKANEATELES, *St. James'*—JOHN D. BARROW.  
 SYRACUSE, *Calvary*—A. H. GREEN, W. F. OSBORNE, HENRY YOEUELL.  
 “ *Grace*—GEORGE JACK, CHARLES J. PETERS.  
 “ *St. James'*—D. O. SALMON, G. J. GARDNER, WILLIAM PRIME.  
 “ *St. John's*—GEORGE F. POTTER, SMITH H. RIKER.  
 “ *St. Mark's*—J. WILLIAM SMITH, ANDREW H. GREEN, Jr.  
 “ *St. Paul's*—W. D. DUNNING, HOWARD G. WHITE, W. H. H. NEAL.  
 “ *Trinity*—JOHN L. KLING.

## OSWEGO COUNTY.

FULTON, *Zion*—N. W. OTTMAN.  
 OSWEGO, *Christ Church*—GEORGE C. MCWHORTER, CHARLES H. BUTLER.  
 “ *Evangelists'*—CHARLES J. MATTESON.

## SENECA COUNTY.

SENECA FALLS, *Trinity*—WILLIAM B. LATHROP, WILLIAM M. FOLLETT.  
 WATERLOO, *St. Paul's*—W. F. BACON.

## TOMPKINS COUNTY.

ITHACA, *St. John's*—EDWARD L. NICHOLS, H. V. BOSTWICK.

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## FIRST DAY.

GRACE CHURCH, UTICA, )  
Tuesday, June 13th, 1893. }

This being the day appointed for the meeting of the Twenty-fifth Annual Convention of the Diocese of Central New York, the Right Rev. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of the Clergy and Laity, assembled in Grace Church, in the city of Utica, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

Evening Prayer was said by the Rev. W. H. Bown and the Rev. Joel Davis.

At the conclusion of Divine Service, the Rt. Rev. the President took the chair and called the Convention to order.

The Secretary called the roll of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, when sixty-nine answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 16.*)

The credentials of Lay Delegates were presented and referred to a committee consisting of the Rev. W. B. Coleman, Jr., Mr. C. H. Butler, and the Secretaries.

On the report of the committee the roll was called, when seventy-nine delegates, representing forty-four parishes, answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 17.*)

A quorum of the Clergy and of the Lay Delegates being present, the Rt. Rev. the President declared the Convention to be duly organized and ready for business.

The Convention proceeded to the election of a Secretary, when, on motion, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and the Rev. Alfred B. Goodrich, D. D., was chosen.

On nomination of the Secretary, the Rev. James K. Parker was appointed Assistant Secretary.

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*Committees—Clergy Invited to Seats.*

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The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following committees:

*On the Admission of Churches into Union with the Convention*—The Rev. S. W. Strowger; Messrs. George C. Mason and Henry Hopson.

*On Unfinished Business*—The Rev. John Arthur; Messrs. John McLoughlin and C. V. J. Doolittle, M. D.

*On the Report of the Missionary Board*—The Rev. W. E. Allen; Messrs. W. F. Bacon and J. V. H. Scovill.

*On the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society*—The Rev. W. D. Maxon; Messrs. W. H. Watson, M. D., and H. M. Rouse.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Gibson, it was

*Resolved*, That all Clergy of this Church, and of any Church in communion with this Church, not canonically resident in this Diocese, and also all Candidates for Holy Orders, and representatives of missionary stations, who may be present, be admitted to honorary seats in this Convention.

Under this resolution there were present the Rev. O. E. Herrick, D. D.; George Maxwell, H. H. Fox, F. W. Maccaud, D. B. Matthews, C. J. Lambert, A. E. Bentley, Candidates for Holy Orders; and W. Taylor, M. D., and W. H. Tuttle, representatives of Trinity Mission, Canastota.

The Convention then, on motion, took a recess until 7.30 o'clock this evening.

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TUESDAY EVENING, 7.30 o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the chair.

Mr. George J. Gardner read his Report as Treasurer of the Diocese, and the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund. (*See Appendix I. F. (7.)*)

On motion, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and Mr. George J. Gardner was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

The Bishop delivered his Annual Address.

The Secretary read the following communication from a Committee of the Council of the Diocese of Western New York.

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*Communication from the Diocese of Western New York—Episcopal Relief.*

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*To the Rt. Rev. the Bishop and the Clerical and Lay Delegates of Central New York in Convention assembled :*

At the last meeting of the Council of the Diocese of Western New York a committee was appointed "to confer with the Diocese of Central New York with a view to ascertaining whether a division of the two dioceses is desirable and practicable."

This action was taken after propositions to divide the diocese and to elect an Assistant Bishop had each been acted upon adversely. It was then thought, inasmuch as the condition of the two dioceses forming the original Diocese of Western New York, is substantially the same in respect of the conceded need of increased Episcopal supervision, and as no action has hitherto been taken which adequately meets that need, that such a project as a tripartite division might meet with favor in both dioceses.

If the idea so commends itself to your judgment as one the careful and detailed consideration of which might result in a plan likely to prove acceptable to you, we should be glad to meet a committee on your part with a view to such consideration.

In behalf of and by order of the committee.

A. CLEVELAND COXE, *Bishop and Chairman.*

HENRY ANSTICE, *Secretary.*

The Rev. W. D. Maxon offered the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That such portion of the Bishop's address as refers to the request for relief in his Episcopal duties be referred to a committee of four clergymen and four laymen, appointed by the Bishop, to report at the first opportunity at to-morrow morning's session, and that the letter from the Diocese of Western New York be referred to that committee.

The Rev. Dr. Gibson moved that the resolution be amended by striking out the words, "to report at to-morrow morning's session," and substituting the words, "to report at the next ensuing annual Convention, and that the Diocesan be requested to invite the aid of such Missionary or other Bishops as may be available for the ensuing winter and spring, at the expense of the Diocesan treasury."

The Rev. J. B. Avirett moved as a substitute for the resolution and the amendment that the matter of Episcopal relief be referred to a committee to report at an adjourned Convention to be held in October, and the motion was lost.

The question being on the amendment offered by the Rev. Dr. Gibson, it was not adopted.

The resolution of the Rev. Mr. Maxon was then, on motion, adopted.

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*Committee on Episcopal Relief—Amendments to Canon X.*

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The Bishop appointed as the committee called for in the resolution, the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., the Rev. W. T. Gibson, D. D., the Rev. J. H. Egar, D. D., the Rev. W. D. Maxon, Messrs. R. J. Hubbard, A. H. Sawyer, J. R. VanWagenen, and William M. White.

The Rev. Dr. Lockwood read the Report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. (*See Appendix I. A.*)

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, it was

*Resolved.* That this Convention nominates William S. Andrews to the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, for election to fill the vacancy in the Board of Trustees caused by the expiration of his term of office, and also that it nominates John W. Yale as a Trustee in said Board to fill the vacancy for the unexpired portion of the term of R. F. H. Ledyard, deceased.

The Rev. P. N. Meade presented the following amendments to Canon X, proposed by the Convocation of the Fourth District:

1. *Resolved.* That Section II, of Canon X, describing the boundaries of the several Missionary Districts, be amended so as to restore from the Sixth District to the Fourth the county of Cortland, and from the Third District to restore to the Fourth so much of the county of Madison as shall include the parishes of Cazenovia, Chittenango, Canastota and Perryville.

2. *Resolved.* That Section IV. 1, be amended by inserting after the words "one of each from each Missionary District," the words "to be elected by the District," and omitting what follows.

3. *Resolved.* That Section IV. 3, be amended by adding this clause following: "And this determination shall be published in the Journal as part of the proceedings of the Convention."

4. *Resolved.* That Section V. 1, be amended by adding to it this clause: "under the advice or direction of the Bishop."

The amendments were, on motion, referred to the Committee on the Constitution and Canons.

The Convention then, on motion, adjourned until nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

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## SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, June 14, 1893.

The Convention met, pursuant to adjournment, at nine o'clock A. M.

Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. F. P. Harrington and the Rev. G. L. Neide.

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*Report on Episcopal Relief.*

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The Holy Communion was administered by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. J. M. Clarke, D. D., and the Rev. C. T. Olmsted.

The services being ended, the Rt. Rev. the President called the Convention to order.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

On calling the names of members not present yesterday six clergymen and thirty-six lay delegates appeared and took their seats. (*See pp. 16, 17.*)

The Rev. W. D. Maxon, from the Committee on that part of the Bishop's Address which relates to Episcopal relief, presented the following

#### REPORT:

The Committee appointed to consider and report upon such portion of the Bishop's Address as refers to the request for relief in his Episcopal duties, and also to consider the letter received from the Diocese of Western New York touching measures of division, beg leave to say, that in view of the explicit notice in his official circular and of the plain request made in his impressive address, this Convention should act definitely upon some wise, adequate and practicable measures of affording relief. But first of all the Committee would recommend that no action be taken with reference to any measures or methods looking to the surrender of any portion of the present territory of the Diocese of Central New York. Particularly with due respect to the courteous request of the Diocese of Western New York, as embodied in the letter read at last evening's session, it is the judgment of your Committee that inasmuch as the population of the Western Diocese is rapidly increasing, while that of Central New York remains comparatively stationary, it is inexpedient at this time for this Diocese to consider the practicability of conferring with said Western Diocese concerning the suggested division of the two Dioceses into a third. As touching the precise measure for affording relief to the Bishop, your Committee, feeling that the time is very short for the full and ample consideration of so important matter, are not ready absolutely to recommend any one of the proposed methods. They are of the opinion, however, that the Convention should be prepared either to authorize the Bishop during the next year out of the moneys now appropriated to the Bishop's relief to provide for such extra Episcopal service as he may require; or, on the other hand, if the Convention shall deem it right and necessary to provide for the election of an Assistant Bishop, first respectfully to request the Bishop, in accordance with the provision of Title I, Canon 19, Section 5, of the Digest, to consent in writing to such election and formally to assign and declare the duties of such Assistant Bishop, if elected; and then judiciously to consider, with due regard to the highest and broadest interests and financial honor of the Diocese, the necessary provision for the adequate support of such a man as the Convention, after earnest prayer to Almighty God and the sincere exercise of its fairest judgment, shall decide is worthy to be elected an Assistant Bishop who, in the ordinary course of the Divine ruling, shall duly succeed our eminent and deeply revered Diocesan.

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*Episcopal Relief—Resolutions—Committee of Twelve—Bishop's Consent.*

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In accordance with the foregoing, your Committee offer the following resolutions:

1. *Resolved*, That the appropriation, heretofore made for the relief of the Bishop, being \$1,500 per annum, be continued for the coming year and that the Bishop be requested to use the whole or such part thereof as may be necessary to secure such Episcopal assistance as may relieve him from burdensome travel and wearisome visitations.

2. *Resolved*, That a Committee of six clergymen and six laymen be appointed to devise ways and means for the support of an Assistant Bishop.

3. *Resolved*, That the Bishop be requested to indicate to this Convention, in accordance with the provisions of Title I, Canon 19, Section 5, of the Digest the duties which he assigns to the Assistant Bishop.

4. *Resolved*, That the above preliminaries should be clearly settled to the satisfaction of the Convention, before the Convention is justified in taking order for the election of an Assistant Bishop.

Respectfully submitted

JOHN BRAINARD, Chairman,  
W. T. GIBSON,  
JOHN H. EGAR,  
W. D. MAXON, Secretary,  
A. H. SAWYER,  
J. R. VANWAGENEN,  
ROBERT J. HUBBARD,  
WM. M. WHITE.

The question being on the resolutions offered by the Committee, they were adopted.

The Bishop appointed as the Committee called for in the second resolution, the Rev. W. H. Bown, the Rev. J. B. Avirett, the Rev. R. G. Quennell, the Rev. P. N. Mead, the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., the Rev. S. H. Synnott, Messrs. J. M. Tilden, W. M. White, Joseph E. Juliand, Hamilton S. White, W. V. Van Rensselaer, W. C. Wey, M. D.

In response to the third resolution, the Bishop presented the following paper:

I hereby give my canonical consent to the election of an Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Central New York. The duties which I should expect to assign to an Assistant Bishop would be, visitation of such parishes and missions as should from time to time be designated by me, with the administration of the rite of confirmation therein; the consecration of certain sacred buildings; ordinations in certain special cases where it would be expedient; other occasional ceremonies generally belonging to the Episcopal office; and a considerable share of correspondence incidental to my official position and relations.

F. D. HUNTINGTON,  
*Bishop of Central New York.*

Utica, June 14, 1893.

Mr. William M. White presented the following

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*Testimonial to the Secretary—Amendments to Canon X.*

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## REPORT:

Page 33 of the Journal of the last Convention.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. McKnight, it was

*Resolved*, That a certain sum of money be presented to the Rev. Dr. Goodrich in recognition of his services as Secretary of the Diocese during the twenty-four years of its existence, and that the said sum of money be provided by the voluntary contributions of the Laity, who, it is well known, are desirous of having such recognition made.

On motion, Mr. Wm. M. White was appointed a committee to carry out the purpose of the resolution.

In response the Laity of the Diocese have given with gladness the following amounts, which have been transferred to the Rev. Dr. Goodrich as they were received, with the letters accompanying them, which were filled with such kind and loving words that it has been a real pleasure to act as your Treasurer in this thank-offering for work done for the Church in this Diocese.

Auburn, \$55; Binghamton, \$25; Cazenovia, \$165; Clinton, \$10; Elmira, \$75; New Berlin, \$100; Oxford, \$30; Oswego, \$110; Pierrepont Manor, \$50; Syracuse, \$101; Utica, 900; Watertown, \$205.89; Waterville, \$50. Total \$1,876.89.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM M. WHITE,

*Acting Treasurer.*

Mr. William M. White read the report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society. (*See Appendix I. L.*)

The Rev. T. L. Banister offered the following amendments to Canon X:

*Resolved*, That Canon X be amended as follows: In paragraph 3, section IV, strike out the closing words, "and what part of it shall be given to the same for apportionment among its Stipendiary Clergy." In paragraph 4, section IV, strike out the words in the last sentence, "It shall also contain the amount of Stipendiary Funds given to each District," adding the remainder of the sentence to the preceding sentence. In paragraph 3, section V, by substituting the words, "and all moneys raised or collected for Diocesan Missions shall be promptly paid to the Treasurer of the District, and by him paid to the Missionaries on the order of the Secretary of the District," for the words as they now stand; and that the following closing sentence be added: "Any surplus remaining in any District assessment after its regular charges are met shall be reported by the Treasurer of the Board of Missions, subject to the order of the Bishop for general missionary work."

On motion the amendmnts were referred to the Committee on the Constitution and Canons.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following

### STANDING COMMITTEES.

*On Christian Education*—The Rev. F. P. Harrington, the Rev. T. L. Banister, the Rev. A. C. Clarke; Messrs. H. C. Northam and Matthew Irving Hunt.



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*Standing Committees—Report on Amendments to Canon X.*

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*On the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., the Rev. G. H. McKnight, D. D., the Rev. J. H. Eggar, D. D.; Messrs. George B. Sloan and John D. Barrow.

*On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Messrs. F. G. Clarke, John Anderson and Charles E. Smith.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund*—Messrs. H. O. Moss, T. R. Proctor and E. S. Hamblin.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Messrs. W. M. White, John T. White and W. M. Gibson, M. D.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Messrs. A. N. Hollister, John Lyman and DeLancey Bartlett.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund*—The Rev. S. D. Day; Messrs. W. F. Jenks and G. H. Pumpelly.

The Convention proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as tellers to receive the votes of the Clergy, the Rev. C. D. Atwell, and Mr. Frederick Schraub, and to receive the votes of the Laity, the Rev. F. P. Tompkins and Mr. E. D. Brandegee.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson, from the Standing Committee on the Constitution and Canons, presented the following

### REPORT:

The Standing Committee on the Constitution and Canons, having had under consideration the amendments to Canon X, proposed by the Convocation of the Fourth District and referred to them, beg leave to report the same for adoption, with some modifications, as follows:

That section II be amended so as to read:

For Missionary purposes the Diocese shall be divided into six districts as follows:

*First District*—Jefferson and Lewis Counties.

*Second District*—Oneida County and Madison County, except the townships including the parishes of Cazenovia, Canastota, Chittenango and Perryville.

*Third District*—Broome and Chenango Counties.

*Fourth District*—Onondaga, Oswego and Cortland Counties, and the townships of Madison County not included in the Second District.

*Fifth District*—Cayuga and Seneca Counties.

*Sixth District*—Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins Counties.

That section IV. 1, be amended by inserting after the words, "one of each from each Missionary District," the words, "to be elected severally by the Convocations of the Districts entitled to this representation," and omitting what follows in the same sentence.

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*Canon X Amended—Extra Copies of the Bishop's Address.*

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That section IV. 3, be amended by adding the words, "and this determination shall be published in the Journal of the Convention."

That section V. 1, be amended by adding the words at the end, "Under the advice or direction of the Bishop."

Respectfully submitted,  
W. D. WILSON,  
J. H. EGAR,  
JOHN D. BARROW.

June 14, 1893.

On motion, the amendments were adopted, two-thirds of each order concurring therein.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Wilson, it was

*Resolved*, That 2,000 copies of that part of the Bishop's Address which relates to the position and work of the Church, with any other parts of the Address which the Bishop may indicate, be published separately as a tract for general distribution.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Gibson, the Secretary was instructed to make the Canons of the Diocese conform to the changes in the Canons of the General Convention.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson for the Committee on the Constitution and Canons reported back, without recommendation, the amendments to Canon X offered by the Rev. Mr. Banister.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Banister, the amendments were recommitted to the Committee to be reported on at the next Convention.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Gibson, it was ordered that the resolution appended to Canon XII, with reference to setting aside ten per cent of the Communion Alms for the Christmas Fund be omitted from the Journal.

The Convention then, on motion, took a recess until three o'clock this afternoon.

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, three o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the Chair.

The Tellers presented their report, from which it appeared that the following named persons had received a majority of all the votes given and they were therefore declared duly elected.

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*Standing Committee—Election of Officers*


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## STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Rev. John Brainard, D. D.,	Mr. Daniel O. Salmon,
The Rev. William T. Gibson, D. D., LL. D.,	Mr. Thomas D. Green,
The Rev. Henry R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,	Mr. Azariah H. Sawyer,
The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D.,	Mr. John R. Van Wagenen.

Mr. Andrew H. Green presented the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund. (*See Appendix I. J.*)

Mr. A. N. Hollister, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, presented the following

## REPORT:

The Committee who were appointed to examine the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund would respectfully report that they have examined the same and find it correct.

May 31, 1893.

A. N. HOLLISTER,  
J. V. NEEDHAM.

A vote by ballot being taken, the Secretaries acting as tellers, Mr. W. D. Dunning and Howard G. White, were declared duly elected Trustees of the Parochial Fund for three years from September 1, 1893, and Mr. Andrew H. Green a Trustee of the said fund to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. George F. Comstock.

A ballot being taken, the Secretaries acting as tellers, the Rev. George H. McKnight D. D., was declared duly elected a Trustee of the General Theological Seminary on the part of this Diocese.

Mr. J. R. Van Wagenen read his report as Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund. (*See Appendix I. K.*)

The Bishop appointed the Rev. W. H. Bown, Dean of the First Missionary District to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the Rev. Dr. Olin, and the Rev. R. M. Duff, S. T. D., Dean of the Fifth District in place of the Rev. H. M. Denslow removed from the Diocese.

Mr. George M. Weaver read the report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund. (*See Appendix I. H.*)

The Rev. W. B. Clarke presented the report of the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions. (*See Appendix I. B.*)

*Appropriation for Diocesan Missions—Prayer Book Society Resolution.*

On motion, the sum of \$12,000 was appropriated for the missionary work of the Diocese for the financial year beginning July 1st, in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Managers requesting such appropriation.

The Secretary presented the Report of the Woman's Auxiliary. (*See Appendix I. C.*)

On motion of the Rev. C. T. Olmsted, it was

*Resolved.* That, in accordance with the suggestion of the Bishop in his Address, a committee of three persons be appointed by him to consider whether and how best the Bible and Prayer Book Society of this Diocese can be made a part of the general society in the church at large.

The Bishop appointed as the Committee called for in the resolution, the Rev. C. T. Olmsted, the Rev. B. Schulte, and Mr. P. C. J. DeAngelis.

Mr. John T. White, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The undersigned have examined the report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, and find the same correct. We have also examined the investments of the Permanent Fund, amounting to \$12,200, and find the full amount accounted for, and the securities ample for the amount loaned.

GEO. E. CONGDON,  
JOHN T. WHITE.

Syracuse, June, 1893.

*Committee.*

Mr. John Anderson, from the Standing Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese respectfully report: That they have examined the Account of the Treasurer and find the same correct, with a balance on hand May 1st, 1893, of \$3,174.18.

They recommend that this Convention pass a vote of thanks to Mr. Gardner, for his long and faithful work as Treasurer of this Diocese.

W. S. MORRIS,  
W. G. CLARKE,  
JOHN ANDERSON,

*Committee.*

Mr. H. O. Moss, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund make report as follows: Its members have, in connection with the Treasurer, examined in detail the statement of the Trustees, giving items of the receipts of principal and income of the fund and disbursements of the same by the

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Treasurer, and have found the same correct. They have also examined the securities, consisting mainly of bonds and mortgages, in which the fund is invested, and on which no indorsements of principal or interest are usually made, and have found that the amount of the same corresponds with the statement of the Trustees in their report.

They have also examined the securities of the DeLancey Fund and found them to be as stated in the Report of the Trustees.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Utica, June 2, 1893.

H. O. MOSS,  
E. S. HAMBLIN,  
T. R. PROCTOR.

The Rev. G. H. Kirkland, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Standing Committee, for examination of accounts of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Fund, respectfully report: That they have examined these accounts, with the vouchers, and find them to agree in all particulars with the Trustee's statement made to Convention, and also that the Trustee has at this time in his possession the bonds and mortgages therein mentioned, which amount to \$19,650. He also has cash in hand \$2,381.74, making the sum total \$22,031.74. The Committee have given some consideration to the real estate of the Fund, mentioned in the Trustee's report of last year, and think that in view of the possible advance in the price of farm lands in the near future, the farm had best be held a while longer.

Oxford, N. Y., May 31, 1893.

GEORGE H. KIRKLAND,  
F. G. CLARKE.

The Rev. John Arthur from the Committee on Unfinished Business, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee appointed for the purpose, have examined the Journal of the last Convention and find no unfinished business.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN ARTHUR,  
JOHN McLAUGHLIN,  
C. V. J. DOOLITTLE, M. D.

The Rev. C. H. Tindell read the report on Christian Education. (*See Appendix I. E.*)

The Rev. W. D. Maxon, from the Committee on the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee on the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society respectfully report that they have looked over the report, with its item of investment, receipts and disbursement, and find the same to be correct.

W. D. MAXON,  
W. H. WATSON,

*Missionary Report—Report of the Committee of Twelve.*

The Rev. W. E. Allen, from the Committee on the Report of the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee to whom was referred the Report of the Missionary Board of the Diocese of Central New York, submit the following: The report of the Missionary Board has been read with care and affords much cause for congratulation on account of the steady advance in the good work being done through all parts of the Diocese. This is a greater source of thankfulness since the changes made in the missionary canon by the last Convention would naturally lead us to expect some confusion at least, if not positive trouble, because of the brief time in which the new machinery has been in motion. But the wisdom of those who framed the new Canon number ten has been manifested by the fact that it has brought peace and prosperity in its train. One of those who were strongly in favor of the changes has been called away to the rest of Paradise. He is not here to utter a word in its defense, but like a righteous man of whom we read, "he being dead yet speaketh." In his stead we make an emphatic protest against the amending or changing any of its provisions until it has had a fair trial of another year. In the tabulated forms and statements of the Secretary of the Diocesan Board of Missions we find that several of the more able parishes have fallen far behind in paying their assessments, while those of humbler pretensions have far exceeded theirs. There seems to be a radical wrong in this which we believe needs but to be alluded to in order to be corrected; for this work of the Missionary Board is really the heart of the great advance which this Diocese has made. To neglect it in any way is spiritual death.

W. E. ALLEN,  
W. F. BACON,  
J. V. H. SCOVILL.

On motion of the Rev. R. G. Quennell, it was unanimously

*Resolved*, That this Convention has experienced the heartiest satisfaction in seeing to-day in this body, after years of absence owing to physical disability, Mr. James W. Glover, Warden of St. Paul's Church, Oxford, who for many years was a prominent member of this Convention and of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. We heartily sympathize with him in his infirmities, assure him of our warm affection and earnestly hope and pray that, if God's will be so, he may be fully restored to health.

The Rev. W. H. Bown, from the Committee appointed to devise ways and means for the support of an Assistant Bishop, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee appointed to devise ways and means for the support of an Assistant Bishop reports as follows: That this Committee respectfully ask the Convention to continue the same until the next Convention, and respectfully submit that the business is too important for hasty consideration.

Respectfully submitted in behalf of the Committee.

W. H. BOWN, *Chairman*.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Egar the Committee was continued until the next Convention.

Attention having been called to the change in the Constitution of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Church,

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by which it is made incumbent upon each Diocesan Convention to choose one Presbyter and one Layman as members of the Missionary Council, on motion, the Rev. C. T. Olmsted and Robert J. Hubbard were chosen members of the said Council for the part of this Diocese.

The Secretary of the Convention presented the following

**REPORT:**

The undersigned respectfully reports that since the last Convention the following contributions to the Diocesan Archives have been received:

From the Bishop of the Diocese about 50 Convention Journals and pamphlets.

From the Rev. W. T. Gibson, D.D. 79 Convention Journals and pamphlets.

From Mrs. A. M. Beardsley, of Utica. 200 numbers of the Living

From W. W. DeAngelis, Esq., of Holland Patent, volume XV of the Living Church 1892-93.

From Amos O. Osborn, Esq., of Waterville, N. Y., 18 Church Almanacs, 79 numbers of the Spirit of Missions; Gospel Messengers 1838, '57, '60; Convention Journals; Pastoral Letter of the House of Bishops 1862; Woman's Monthly Magazine 1855-58; Bishop White on Regeneration; Bishop on the True Nature of the Kingdom of God; 100 numbers of the Church and 15 other pamphlets.

From the Rev. H. M. Denslow, Journal of General Convention 1844, '45, '49, '54, '56, '58, '60, '61, '65.

Respectfully submitted,

Utica, May, 12, 1893.

A. B. GOODRICH

On motion of the Rev. A. J. Brockway, it was

*Resolved.* That the thanks of this Convention be extended to the Wardens, Vestrymen, Parishioners, Woman's Auxiliary, Junior Auxiliary, Utica, and to the organist, singers and sexton of Grace Church, for their kind and hospitality to the members during the present session.

On motion, it was

*Resolved,* That 1,300 copies of the Journal of this Convention, with the Constitution and Canons, and various forms and legislative incorporation, be printed under the direction of the Secretary and distributed as directed by Canon V.

The Convention then, on motion, resolved to adjourn and to have a reading of the minutes and the usual devotions.

The minutes of this day's session were read and approved.

The Bishop offered prayers and pronounced the Benediction and the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON,  
*President of the Convention*

ALFRED B. GOODRICH, *Secretary.*

JAMES K. PARKER, *Assistant Secretary.*

# THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS

To the Twenty-Fifth Annual Convention.

DEAR BRETHREN:

We have not come together in Convention before this time under sorrows, shared by us all, so heavy as to put a palpable trial upon the cheerfulness of our faith and so fresh as to be inseparable from the particular duties we have to discharge.

The unexpected deaths, within a very few days of each other, of two strong leaders of thought and action, the beloved and trusted Rectors of large and influential parishes, both vitally and vigorously concerned in the missionary measures of the Church, both seized with mortal disease in the stress and hope of their life's work, and the final departure of a third Presbyter worn out by age and infirmity, form an occasion of mourning without precedent in our Diocesan history.

The Rev. John Leech, a well-instructed clergyman, and known to have been a remarkably effective teacher of youth, withdrew from professional service and into strictly private habits so long ago that very few here could have known him face to face. He died in Aurora two weeks since and was buried there.

The Rev. William Henry Platt came into the Diocese from Pennsylvania at the call of Trinity Church, Binghamton, in July, 1890, following there the young and promising Herbert Cook, whose decease had saddened and dismayed the congregation. Throwing himself with full mental and apparently full physical power into a task that he understood and loved, there was for some months no relaxing of his hold upon it and no abatement of activity till symptoms of a serious disorder began to warn him to desist, and to alarm his people. With great reluctance he more than once sought restoration in rest away from home, but was drawn back for new endurance and struggle, till a sudden failure prostrated him. He fell asleep under the care of his family and friends, and was carried to his rest with the prayers of his brethren and by a weeping flock on Trinity Sunday from the sanctuary in which he was present the Sunday before.

Our brother Dr. Olin was received from the Diocese of Albany to be Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown, in February, 1881, having come to this Diocese in 1867 to take charge of St. James's, Clinton, whence he was transferred to the headmastership of St. John's School not then under military regime. He went to Watertown equipped with experience and every scholarly qualification for the office of a parish guide and organizer,



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taking a parish which Bishop Brewer left so well ordered and so well content that any other workman was expected to do no more than to preserve what had been gained. Dr. Olin, with personal resources and a will of his own, soon made himself felt at every point of the parochial service and with quick discernment, a fertile ingenuity in methods and an irresistible determination, easily mastered the difficult situation and for twelve years has enlarged his influence, developed the life of his people in all directions. taken the lead in humane reforms, compacted the largest Sunday School in the Diocese, and shared so prominently in our legislation and missionary enterprise as to earn an election as deputy to the late General Convention. He so won the esteem and affection of citizens of all classes and religious names that the city itself was a mourner at his grave. Doubtless his temperament made it harder to meet obstacles with patience than to contend with them; but he dealt as honestly with himself as with other men, and grew in grace to the end. Of late he had made extraordinary efforts, at my request, to collect the means to erect the "Church of St. Laurence" at Alexandria Bay, where the great number of summer guests has furnished ground for church action which I have long wished to occupy, and where I secured a favorite site, with a small fund for building, early in Dr. Olin's ministry. He succeeded in this endeavor as he did in most things that he undertook. A commodious and sightly edifice was built on a rock by the river and opened. Last autumn I confirmed in it. Arrangements had been made for the consecration to take place on the first day of this month. Dr. Olin was then suffering with mortal sickness. He died with submission, and in peace, blessing his family with "The Grace of our Lord," on the 27th of May. What the purpose of the Chief Shepherd in this mystery may be we must wait with resignation and grateful trust to learn.

As you all know, the sister parish in Watertown, "Grace," was, last October, overwhelmed with a like calamity in the loss, by a tragical accident, of its devoted rector, the Rev. Charles Mortimer Carr, who had served most acceptably a loyal and loving people only little more than a year. I have seldom seen a more complete adaptation of pastor and flock. Zeal was admirably united in him with discretion; wisdom with enthusiasm; executive ability with spiritual sincerity. A bereavement so sore was naturally slow to heal, and it is only within a few weeks that the parish has been able to offer a cordial and unanimous invitation to a successor.

Three stricken families in three desolate parsonages I affectionately commend to the tender intercessions of our Diocesan household.

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Unusual interest will be taken at this time in the report of the Board of Managers of the Diocesan Board of Missions, which is now the Convention, and of the Diocesan Treasurer touching this department of his financial exhibit, as presenting the comparative results of the system introduced by the alteration of the Tenth Canon in 1892, and that which had previously held place in the Diocese since its organization. It may be fairly claimed, no doubt, that such a comparison can hardly be conclusive on a single twelvemonth's experiment; in fact the term of its operation has practically been considerably less than that. Naturally the new plan has worked most successfully where it was most warmly advocated, though I think all the District or Deanery officers have been faithful to it. You will probably agree with me in the remark that harm rather than good, and ultimate loss rather than gain, would be likely to come of anything like jealous or unamiable competition between the District organizations, especially if that should appear in acrid mutual criticism. A disturbance or division of unity in the one family was, you will remember, a possible evil apprehended by cautious minds when the change was made. So serious an injury would not be compensated by any degree of intensity or energy in half-a-dozen different unities set up in a broken or irritated body. I also put the Board in mind that thus far, in the immaturity of the present method, three necessary appropriations have not been duly made for missions requiring support as much as any, on the ground, I believe, that they are the general and equal charge of the whole Diocese and not properly dependent on any one District. These are St. Joseph's, at Rome, the Deaf-Mute Evangelist Mission of the Rev. Mr. Dantzer, and the Onondaga Indian Mission at the Reservation. I might add the Associate Mission under my immediate direction, centred at Syracuse. For all of these I have felt obliged hitherto to supply, in one way or another, what was deficient, to protect the missionaries and their families from suffering or the damage of debt. Just as far as the income of the McGraw-Fiske Fund, the Relief Fund, or any other resource within my control, enables me to do this, it will be done. But, as you must see, the limit is soon reached, the more especially as your offerings do not meet the expenses of St. Andrew's Divinity School, from which services are furnished, every Sunday in the year, in from eight to twelve places not too far away, where otherwise they would be impossible, and which has furnished to the church some forty parish ministers, of whose plain, fruitful pastoral work, within the Diocese, neither the Dean nor the Bishop is ashamed. But for the quiet and unsolicited remittances regularly sent me from one hospitable home in Chenango County either these benefits

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must have ceased or more begging would have had to be done than any of you would desire. If at Eastertide our hundred and fifty congregations sent only an average of eight dollars each for the Training of Christ's Ministry neither the School nor the Associate Mission would lack a living. The Onondaga missionary, reasonable and patient, is bidden to look for his daily bread to the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, and though sometimes hope is a little deferred he survives hitherto. An understanding has been entered into by the Bishop of Western New York and me that each of the two Dioceses is to furnish \$400 annually to enable the Rev. Mr. Dantzer to go on in them teaching, baptizing, preparing deaf-mute candidates for confirmation, with other public and private ministrations. I have never seen "St. Joseph's," Rome, in better health than it is now, in its harmony, improved building, pastoral care, music, or its religious sincerity so far as that may be judged by outward signs. Could I get time and help I should try this year to obtain somewhere the means to pay off what remains of the old debt on the property, amounting only to about \$3,000, and that would ease the Board. In January I learned from the Rector of Zion Church that the Vestry thereof had voted to present the organ previously belonging to that parish to the congregation of St. Joseph's; "to be and remain part and parcel of the church property." This generous offer was accepted and carried into effect, the Rector kindly promoting it, and the people of St. Joseph's gratefully appreciating it. You are all aware, I trust, to what an extent the parish clergy and the Deans are habitually doing the labor of evangelists and missionaries in extra-parochial regions and edifices. It is only when these beginnings ripen into an organic shape that a record of them is found in our secretary's tabulation. An extension of this sort of enterprise has been secured in the southern section of Oneida County and in Brookfield through the energy of the Rector of Grace Church, Waterville, with the assistance of a second Deacon. The Rev. Mr. Quennell has been quite regular in toilsome visits to Chenango Forks, not without a moral reward. Most of you are acquainted with the gains of the Rev. Mr. MacNish in this judicious aggression. But no priestly or prophetic record in those parts will appear in brighter splendor, when all is known, than the wondrous yearly, daily, nightly pilgrimages and instructions and ingatherings and comfortings of a woman in Seneca County of whom it is not enough to say that "she hath done what she could;" she has given an original example of what, with no material advantage, simply in the name and love and power of Christ, it is possible for a believing woman to do.

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Two meetings of the Board of Managers have been held since last June, which I have attended.

Clergymen have taken letters dimissory as follows: Rev. Mead Burgess to Michigan; Rev. George F. Clover to New York; Rev. Edward M. Duff to Michigan; Rev. A. W. Ebersole to Pittsburgh; Rev. Charles Ferguson to Massachusetts; Rev. Hubert P. Le F. Grabau to Ohio; Rev. Arnold H. Redding to New York; Rev. J. E. Walton to Florida; Rev. Thomas Duck to Western New York; Rev. J. B. Pittman to New York; Rev. J. B. Trevett, M. D., to Ohio; Rev. Emile Ulysses Brun to Milwaukee.

I have ordained to the Priesthood William M. Gilbert, Walter E. Bentley, Frank P. Tompkins, Arnold H. Redding, Orrin A. Sands.

I have ordained to the Diaconate: September 23, 1892, Earl H. Kenyon, George N. Smith, Wm. Herbert Hawken, George H. Ottaway; December 20, 1892, Emile Ulysses Brun, Charles T. Raynor, Frank M. Baum, Arthur L. Byron-Curtiss, and John Smiley; March 9, 1893, Joseph H. Brown, Edward B. Doolittle; June 11, 1893, David L. Ferris.

We have twenty-one candidates for Orders as follows: John Ernest Bates, Henry Aaron Dexter, Matthew Irving Hunt, Frederick F. Llewellyn, George Wharton Mullen, George Fletcher Potter, Charles E. S. Rasay, Charles Alexander Smith, Dwight A. Parce, James Winslow Clarke, Albert Edward Bentley, Gilbert William Laidlaw, Christopher I. Lambert, George Maxwell, Herbert Henry Fox, Parker Fenno, David Benton Matthews, Charles H. McKnight, DeLancey Burdette Hamblin, Wm. Harman VanAllen, Charles Winfred Douglass.

We have seven Postulants, viz: Robert Wesley Bowman, Ernest F. George, John C. Kirtland, Jr., William Earle Stilwell, Lucian Adelbert Davison, Francis William Maccaud, Frederick Brymer Keable.

Clergy have been received as follows: Rev. J. B. Trevett, M. D., Rev. F. P. Harrington, Rev. Wm. T. Tierkel, Rev. Wm. H. Bown, Rev. C. N. Clement Brown, Rev. Wm. Price James.

On the twentieth of last September I consecrated St. Thomas's Church in VanEtten, the occasion marking a signal individual benefaction. A native of that village, afterward resident in New York, Mr. Thomas E. Smith, having become deeply persuaded of the divine constitution of the Church, seeing its wondrous gifts to all conditions of men, impressed with the religious needs of the community with which he was familiar, desiring to raise a sacred memorial of his wife deceased, and encouraged by a devout daughter, acquainted me with his intention to build a sanctuary to the Lord, furnishing it liberally with

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n, bell, chancel-ornaments, and whatever should be thought necessary or tributary to its reverent use. This purpose he faithfully accomplished. The property was duly conveyed trust to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund. At the consecration I was assisted by the neighboring clergy and by the Rev. L. M. Brown, of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, New York, who preached the sermon. Services have been regularly continued in connection with a mission at Spencer.

May 10th, at the request of the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese of Massachusetts, acting after the lamented death of Bishop Brooks, I consecrated St. John's Church in Northampton. This structure too, worshipful and beautiful, costly and nobly planned, with a corresponding Parish House, was presented, with all its rich belongings, by a native of the town. Some personal relations to the scene and its history greatly heightened the satisfactions of the day. Witnessing the beauty of bounties like these, and the kind of joy they bring to giver and beneficiaries alike one marvels that a thousand holders of unused and profitless wealth in every Christian generation are blind to the contents of which she had consulted me, Mrs. Mary Lawrence Wheeler, of Rhode Island, bequeathed to this Diocese, by the Parochial Fund, a piece of ornamented ground adjoining a cemetery in Mannville, Jefferson Co., on which stands a small mortuary Chapel of stone erected in memory of her husband, Dr. Wheeler. The legacy included a cottage on the lot and nine thousand dollars designed for the right keeping of the property with its floral decorations, and for services of worship with music twelve Sundays in each year. Last February Mrs. Wheeler was struck by a carriage in one of the streets of Boston, and died a few days after from the effect of the accident. Later we laid her body by the side of her husband under the Chapel. The executors of her estate assure me that nothing is likely to prevent the payment of the bequest in full.

Church buildings are in progress in Slaterville and Lacona. The latter having been opened last week by the Dean of the Fourth District. The Rev. Mr. Wright, Rector of Grace Church, Elmira, has provided a suitable inexpensive Chapel in part of that city where it was needed. Our sympathies have been called out towards the Rector people of St. James's, Clinton, on account of serious damage done to the structure by a recent violent storm, unfitting use, and necessitating expensive repairs. On the first of last November I was duly apprised by the Rev. Babcock, Rector and Chairman of the Board of

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tees of St. Paul's Church, Ithaca, that he had resigned his official relation as Rector, and that his resignation was accepted, and on the same date. that the Corporation of St. Paul's, created under the Statute for Free Churches, was dissolved by the resignation of all the members of the Board of Trustees, the communicants in good standing being given Letters of Transfer to St. John's Church, in the same city.

By a letter dated November 7, 1892, at Susquehanna, Pennsylvania, Mr. George T. Frazier gave me notice that, as custodian of the estate of Sarah Barnes, of Windsor, Broome County, he was instructed to hand over a certain sum residuary to the Treasury of the Board of Missions of Central New York, which sum, \$116.04, was enclosed, and was acknowledged.

One of the Trustees of the general Society for the distribution of the Book of Common Prayer, appointed under Canon 9, Title III, Digest, passed at the last General Convention, has transmitted to me a copy of its constitution, urging the creation of an auxiliary in my Diocese, and setting forth cogent reasons. In accordance with one of the sections of the Canon our Prayer Book and Bible Society might apparently be made such an auxiliary, and promote an excellent object.

Since the last Convention it has fallen to me to admit to the Church in Holy Baptism eight infants and six persons of riper years, to render the office of Holy Matrimony four times, to conduct the burial service twice, and to assist in these ordinances in various places.

The number of persons confirmed is one thousand and eighty-eight including three confirmed by Bishop Leonard in Trinity Church, Binghamton, and in addition to one presented to me in New York and fifteen in Massachusetts. In the annual visitations which take up so large a share of my time from September to June I have been struck this season with an unprecedented proportion of young men in the classes. This accession of the masculine element is a sign of solid growth, and a promise of greater church strength which we have been longing and praying for. I cannot help attributing it in no small measure to the increase in number and activity of Chapters of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. More than ten thousand earnest young men at work for their Lord in this State form the grandest division of His Army that you and I have ever seen moving into the field. The Boston Convention quickened the remotest districts. Something of the same kind I find to be true of the quiet influence of the Girls' Friendly Society in cities like this.

Parish houses are direct practical helps to the purpose for which the church exists. They cannot be a product of ostentation or caprice or any superficial sentiment, though they are



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almost certain to produce an honorable sense of loyalty to the parish and to the sacred interests it represents. In almost every case they cost the people some wholesome sacrifice, and like other sacrifices seem to unite them in the feeling of a common life. To the Rector or Pastor they are in many ways more than a convenience. Among many unavoidable changes in parochial life they have a character of comparative permanence, carrying over the influence of what is gained from one ministry or period to another. Their mere material aspect, with their various arrangements, is a constant teacher that, wherever the Kingdom of Christ is, its life must be manifested as well in social co-operation as in individual obedience, and as well in charities as in the ordinances of worship. Within the year I have shared with devoted priests and thankful flocks in opening such buildings or apartments, with benedictions, at the Church of the Evangelists in Oswego, the Church of the Good Shepherd in Binghamton, and Trinity Church, Utica. Like measures have been taken in Trinity Church, Syracuse; Calvary, Utica; and St. Peter's, Bainbridge.

In the Woman's Auxiliary the watchful and untiring zeal of the Diocesan Superintendent and the several District Presidents, the quickened spirit of the Junior Department, and a well-diffused activity in the parish branches, have more than kept up the efficiency of former years.

It would be strange if such inspiring effects of the ministry of song in worship as we feel in our Choir-Festivals did not reach out indirectly, as they certainly do, to elevate and refine gradually the general character and style of church music. Consecrated men and women who give their time and toil to this trying culture must find, in the restless, intractable material put into their hands, difficulties of discipline and personal order well-nigh insuperable: they need rare heavenly grace; but among them are instances of self-denial wearing the glory of the Saints, and they are privileged to make not only singers but disciples and sometimes stewards, at altars and in pulpits, in the future service of the Master.

St. John's Military School at Manlius now registers more than a hundred pupils: the number is still increasing, and both State Military officers and the official Federal Inspection pronounce upon its education, discipline and drill a commendation so unqualified and emphatic that the school hardly needs to do more than maintain the standard it has set.

Another thoroughly trained annual class of nurses taking diplomas in November at the Hospital and Training School of the House of the Good Shepherd in Syracuse, the testimonies coming in as to the skill and courage of the graduates, and

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applications for admission to the institution much beyond the accommodations, call for an early enlargement of room and apparatus commensurate with its reputation.

Anxious as I am to contribute everything I can to what I regard as most momentous and yet most exposed interests of the Kingdom of Christ on the earth; namely, the devotional development of personal character, and the reconciliation of society in its industries, privileges, and class-competitions with Church-fellowship, I have chosen to keep my extra-official engagements principally on these two lines. I have accepted invitations to conduct "Quiet Day" exercises by devotions and addresses with Clergy in New York City in Advent, and with Clergy and church-people in Lent, in Syracuse and Utica. I have spoken on the impending social antagonisms in this country before the Church Missionary Society at the annual meeting in Baltimore, and gatherings of young men and working women elsewhere, and have addressed both the "Christian Social Union" and "Church Association to promote the Interests of Labor" semi-officially as presiding in both.

To the several Episcopal elections I have been able to give unhesitating assent, as I was to attend the meeting of the House in New York for the same purpose on the first of March. Bishops and deputies of the five Dioceses of this State, meeting on the 28th of December, attacked once more, with perhaps a little less than the usual futility, the problem presented by the dull State legislation on the relations between civil and ecclesiastical powers. The assembly considerably allowed my scruples in refusing to join in any action avowing that there is any such institution or entity existing as a Federate Council. Whatever was done towards getting an intelligent and fair legislative recognition of an Episcopally organized body was in the way of tentative proceedings by committee.

The large increase in our Missionary Episcopate during and since the General Convention was one of the most substantial fruits that the Convention brought forth. Of its other transactions, now in the past, and well-known, I do not see why I should detain you with my impressions. That on which the Church has most lavishly spent its time and speech and money, the altered Prayer Book, has at least proved how hesitatingly the mind of the Church disturbs even the *minutiae* of its standards, and how little there was that needed to be disturbed. Let us now turn our attention from patching the book to minding it, and from finical adjustments of the letter to healthy and saving draughts of its spirit.

Three years since, 1890, in my Convention address, foreseeing the necessity of some future action by the Diocese looking



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towards a more satisfactory Episcopal service than is possible under the present supply, I pointed out three ways by which it seemed that the exigency might be met: One was a setting off of a part of the Diocese territorially to be joined by legislative consent with a part of one of the two adjacent Dioceses of this State, for the formation of a new Diocese intermediate. Another was the election and consecration of an Assistant Bishop of Central New York. Another was a division of this Diocese and Jurisdiction into two. My purpose was that by a free consideration the subject should be made familiar to all concerned and the way prepared for some definite measure before the end of the first quarter-century in the diocesan history and my own entrance on my seventy-sixth year, in 1894, if I should live so long. What I said was very kindly received. It was thought expedient then not to go farther than to provide me with competent temporary clerical assistance. More recently, without any communication official or personal from me, the Convention of Western New York, with the approval of the Bishop, appointed a large committee, of the highest character, to enter into conference or correspondence with this Convention touching a plan by which some of the western counties of this Diocese would be united with some of the eastern counties of Western New York for the erection of a Diocese between the two. The particulars of that plan I have not seen, nor have I heard them extensively commented on or described. In two letters of the utmost cordiality, and with a gracious deference, Bishop Coxé has informed me of what was done and inquired of me whether I should deem it most proper that the committee should visit this Convention and present the proposal, or submit it in writing. I replied, of course, that a delegation or committee would be heartily welcomed by us here in session at any time, or that, if it would be any more convenient or agreeable to the members, any letter, memorial or written suggestion would be received with equal respect and fraternal attention. Such a letter dated June 8, has been forwarded and will be read to the Convention by the Secretary.

In the uncertainties of the future, where none of us can see very far, I can only say here that if much of the strain and dissatisfaction of my public service could be lifted off, my official work would be not only tolerable but in large part delightful. The overtasked mind and body are apt to tire before they break. I confess that, constituted as I am, I have never been able to bring my sense of what the preaching of God's Word ought to be and my own performances, with other incessant demands upon me, near enough together to make them otherwise than occasions of acute suffering. I know that

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there is an easy tolerance of unstudied, spontaneous discourse, even in Church-pulpits. But, in the existing state of information and culture and thought, I am able to feel only a moderate respect for exercises which are extemporaneous in the sense of not taxing the best intellectual faculty to be had. Setting this incidental point aside I only repeat that there are infirmities and disappointments and fatigues which must be soon disadvantageous to those whom I serve as well as to myself. I shall try to face them cheerfully as long as it is demanded. Nobody, I suppose, would require this to be done quite up to the stage of physical or mental incapacity. I should be thankful for some relief.

In his comprehensive survey of the development of Theology, since the time of Immanuel Kant, Dr. Pfleiderer quotes that critical philosopher as saying: "We live in an age of Free Thought, but not an age of Free Thinking. As things are at present men are very far from possessing or even from being able to acquire the power of making a sure and right use of their own understandings in religious matters without the guidance of others." He does not say the guidance of "the Church." But what other "guidance" is to be expected? To those of us who venerate authority, who see no safety for society without Almighty restraints and prohibitions, who are satisfied that the benignant will of God includes for all mankind personal restrictions which can be averted only by Christ's redemption, who distrust interpretations of Holy Scripture which owe their plausibility to a secret impatience at exacting doctrines or a stern morality, and who believe the Church, Ministry, Creed and Sacraments, to be not cleverly constructed but divinely ordained,—to us, I say, it is impossible to regard the popular drift, and especially the ordinary tone of the public press, as otherwise than sympathetic with irreligion. Take any of the points just mentioned, and can it be reasonably disputed that, with rare exceptions, secular newspapers and magazines are on the side not of affirmation but of doubt; of a religion that is of man and not of God; of hostility to the standards, institutions, oracles, laws, of the Christian Faith as they have been hitherto held from the first? They either betray this instinctive hostility by coloring facts reported and sneering at uncompromising consciences or they compliment indifference by calling it "liberality." How many explicit, outspoken refutations of this statement can any of us name? What is the fair inference? Granted that our impressions as to the comparative degrees of social and spiritual life are modified by temporary or local or personal causes, we have this, however, for our thanksgiving, that we have our heritage in a House far less

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open to shifting winds, and less easily moved, than any of the light-built camps about us, an Ehrenbreitstein of doctrinal stability. And hence, whatever the current or tide may be, in religion or manners, our duties are the same, whether as Stewards or day-laborers, Watchmen or water-carriers, in the slowly-coming Kingdom. We can respect, we can almost covet, the eyes that see or think they see no wide decline of reverence, of commercial honor, of industrial justice, of chastity in the fashions of men and women, of a scrupulous integrity in the habits of our people. On the other hand there are some signs visible that reinforce better hopes. Of late, I think, rhetorical and oratorical infidelity loses ground. Rationalism and logical infidelity never had any ground to lose. While a nervous irritation at the Commandments frets and laughs hysterically in the cheaper literature, not a finger there points to a better path, not a voice calls to a firm foundation or to an open door. Among the steadfast protections which God has set about His Truth is a law that Truth has not only a unity in itself but a unifying power over the minds that meekly wait upon it. Negations lack the organizing faculty. The rebels waylay and scatter with their cross-fire and rout one another. A commanding and permanent cause must have in it an element of sacrifice. Conceit, literary or ecclesiastical, carries no cross. The sweet fountain of sacrificial energy is love. Not a pulse of love beats in any faithless theory of the universe or any godless speculations on the riddles and failures of human lives—horrid hybrids of the peacock and the panther. I shall be thankful, for one, if the apostolical Church, which went down to Samaria to baptize and confirm, which fought its way through the martyrdoms, the prisons and faggots and spikes and lions' teeth and cauldrons of boiling oil of ten persecutions, which broke bread in wildernesses, and asked not to be admired but to be believed, shall in 1893 refuse to go to Chicago to put its ancient glory into competition with heathenism, or to try claims with neology, or to parade to the world the trophies of its obedience to the Nazarene. "Unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's:" unto art the things that are art's; unto the brain of man the things of the brain; "unto God the things that are God's." Can anything be more evident, in all the anti-Christian pretensions, than the complete absence from them of either a principle or a personality central and powerful enough to bring and bind their centrifugal forces together? Most carefully too ought we to consider that what great multitudes of honest doubters are perplexed about is not the Christianity of the New Testament, which is the Christianity of the Church, but the perverted Christianity that they have seen, the confused and contradictory Christianity of dissent, the pseudo-Christianity of

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self-confidence and a craft of cruelty and greed,—not at all the Gospel which He preached who came out of a workingman's cottage and stood up in the synagogue “for to read,” and who “closed the book” but opened its everlasting meaning. This stumbling-block it is our urgent business to take away from before the doubters' feet. We are witnesses; and it does not become witnesses to be discomposed by the adversary's attorney. The Catholic testimony has been under cross-examination since the trial of two Apostles by policy before worldly power at Jerusalem. It seems to me that, for both substance and statement of doctrine, the church, never in actual danger, is less seriously threatened now than it was only a few years back,—say when this Diocese was set off. We may take an humble satisfaction, and lift a lowly anthem, that, after nearly nineteen hundred years of Christly leading, and having the one confession of Faith of fifty generations on our tongues, we are not employed in finding out what we shall tell our worshippers a Christian ought to believe to his soul's health, or debating when the Body we belong to began to be. We have other labors. When we separate from this place, if we listen, there will be two voices. Some of us may hear the Lord saying, “Go home to thy friends and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee;” to others the Angel of the Lord may say, “Go, speak to the people in the temple all the words of this Life.”

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Adams .....	6	New Hartford .....	17
Auburn, St. Peter's .....	83	New York Mills.....	14
"    St. John's .....	17	Norwich.....	16
Aurora .....	2	Oneida .....	10
Bainbridge .....	3	Onondaga Reservation.....	6
Baldwinsville .....	6	Oriskany .....	5
Big Flats .....	2	Oriskany Falls.....	8
Binghamton, Christ Church.....	9	Oswego, Christ Church .....	17
"    Trinity .....	19	"    Evangelists .....	11
Camden .....	11	Owego .....	5
Candor.....	2	Oxford .....	2
Carthage .....	16	Paris Hill .....	5
Canastota .....	16	Pierrepont Manor .....	4
Cape Vincent .....	25	Pulaski .....	4
Chenango Forks .....	5	Redwood .....	2
Chadwicks.....	8	Rome, St. Joseph's .....	9
Clayton .....	18	Sacketts Harbor .....	8
Cleveland .....	14	Sherburne .....	11
Clarks Mills .....	1	Skaneateles.....	17
Constableville.....	11	Slaterville .....	5
Copenhagen .....	4	Smithboro.....	1
Cortland .....	3	Syracuse, Calvary.....	4
Dey's Landing .....	5	"    Grace .....	22
Earlville .....	8	"    St. John's .....	12
East Syracuse.....	5	"    St. Luke's.....	12
Elmira, Trinity .....	24	"    St. Paul's, .....	85
"    Grace .....	20	"    Trinity .....	66
"    Emmanuel .....	17	Theresa .....	1
Fulton .....	4	Union Springs .....	2
Geddes .....	4	Utica, Calvary .....	34
Greene .....	16	"    Grace .....	25
Guilford.....	9	"    Holy Cross .....	18
Hamilton.....	10	"    St. George's .....	8
Hayts Corners .....	9	"    St. Luke's .....	40
Homer .....	2	"    Trinity .....	12
Ithaca.....	14	Van Etten. ....	24
Jerusalem .....	2	Watertown, Trinity .....	22
Jordan .....	7	"    Grace .....	1
LaFargeville.....	16	Waverly .....	11
Lowville.....	23	Wellsburgh .....	12
Manlius, Christ Church.....	7	Waterloo .....	30
"    St. John's School .....	4	Whitesboro.....	12
Marcellus .....	8	Whitney's Point .....	3
McLean .....	2	Windsor.....	4
Millport .....	14	Willowdale ...	10
Moravia .....	6		
New Berlin .....	13		
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## APPENDIX I.

# REPORTS OF OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES,

With Accompanying Papers.

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## A. Report of the Standing Committee,

FOR THE CONVENTIONAL YEAR 1892-93.

The Standing Committee respectfully report that during the Conventional Year 1892-3 they have held six meetings, the first in Christ Church, Oswego, the second in Grace Church, Utica, and the other four in St. Paul's Cathedral, New York.

At the first meeting, held June 15th 1892, all the clerical members and Mr. Van Wagenen of the laity being present, the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., was elected President, and the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Secretary, for the ensuing year. The Treasurer submitted his estimate of the expenses of the Diocese for the year as follows: For printing Journal of the Convention and other printing, \$400; taxes and insurance on the Episcopal residence, \$100; appropriation by the Convention for the Bishop's traveling expenses, \$100; rent of the Episcopal residence, \$600; assessment for expenses of the General Convention, \$350; expenses of Clerical Deputies to the General Convention, \$250; Secretary of the Convention and the Assistant Secretary, \$100, making a total of \$2,450. It was ordered that this sum be charged to the parishes, and that they be severally notified of the amount of their contribution for the same. The President and Secretary were made a committee to prepare and report a table to be sent to the Treasurer, showing the amount to be raised in each of the Missionary Districts for the support of the Bishop's Chaplain.

At the second meeting, held September 20th 1892, the Rev. Drs. Brainard, Van Wagenen and Babcock, and all the lay members were present. Consent was given to the election of an Assistant Bishop of Oregon, and to the consecration of the Rev. George H. Kinsolving as Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Texas, and a proper testimonial was signed. Certificates were also signed recommending to the Bishop the Rev. Edward Macomb Duff, the Rev. William Morris, the Rev. Walter Edmund Bentley, and the Rev. Frank P. Tompkins, who were advanced to the Order of Priests; Messrs. William Herbert Hawken, George N. Smith, George Henry Ottaway and Earle Henry Kenyon, to be admitted to the Diaconate; and Dwight Arthur Parce to be admitted a candidate for Holy Orders. On motion, the requisite consent of three-fourths of the committee was given to the ordination of Mr. George H. Ottaway to the Diaconate within the three years limit as prescribed by Canon, at the request of the Bishop.

At the third meeting, held December 13th, 1892, all the clerical members Messrs. Salmon, Green and Van Wagenen were in attendance. A communication was received from the Secretary of the new Diocese of Southern Indiana, announcing the completion of the organization of that Diocese, extending greeting to the sister Dioceses. Satisfactory testimonials having been presented, Messrs. Gilbert William Laidlaw, George Maxwell, Herbert Cox, and Albert L. Mowry were recommended to the Bishop to be received as candidates for Holy Orders, and Messrs. Charles T. Raynor, A. L. Byron

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Curtiss, John Smiley, and Emile Ulysses Brun were recommended to be ordered Deacons. The Bishop laid before the committee some recent correspondence between himself and the Bishop of New York in regard to a meeting of representatives of the five Dioceses of this State, stating that, subject to their consent, he had appointed the members of the Standing Committee to represent this Diocese at such meeting. It was, therefore, on motion, resolved, that this committee accept their appointment by the Bishop as members of a commission to attend with him a council to be called by the Bishop of New York for the consideration of certain proposed legislation at Albany affecting the interests of the Dioceses of the State of New York.

At the fourth meeting, held February 21st 1893, all the clerical members and of the laity, Messrs. Salmon, Green and Van Wagenen, were present. It was ordered to be placed upon the records that pursuant to the resolution adopted at the last meeting, four members, two clergymen and two laymen, attended the conference of representatives of the five Dioceses held in New York, December 28th, 1892. It was unanimously resolved that whereas a majority of the committee after the adjournment of the last meeting, for urgent reasons, and on presentation of proper testimonials received too late for the meeting, signed a recommendation to the Bishop that the Rev. Arnold H. Redding be advanced to the Order of Priests, such action be approved and is now ratified and confirmed. Certificates were signed recommending that the Rev. Joseph Marchant Hayman be advanced to the Priesthood; Messrs. Edward Burdick Doolittle and Joseph Hipkin Brown be admitted to the Order of Deacons, and Messrs. Christopher John Lambert and Charles H. McKnight be made Candidates for the Holy Ministry. A resolution was adopted advising and consenting to the granting, by the Bishop, of permission to the Vestry of the Church of the Evangelists, Oswego, to sell the property, building and grounds, owned by that parish and known as St. John's Chapel, Oswego.

At the fifth meeting, held May 9th 1893, there were present of the Clergy, the Rev. Drs. Brainard, Babcock and Lockwood, and of the laity, Mr. Salmon and Mr. Green. Official notification was received that the Rev. Frederic R. Graves had been elected by the House of Bishops to be Missionary Bishop of Shanghai, China, and the Rev. John McKim to be Missionary Bishop of Yedo, Japan, and the Secretary was instructed to notify the Presiding Bishop of the consent of this committee to their consecration. Certificates, based upon canonical testimonials received, were signed recommending to the Bishop that the Rev. Orin A. Sands, Deacon, be advanced to the Order of Priests, Mr. David L. Ferris be ordained a Deacon, and Messrs. Parker Fennell, James Winslow Clarke, Albert Edward Bentley, DeLancey Burdett Hamblin, William Harmon Van Allen and David B. Matthews be admitted Candidates for Holy Orders.

At the sixth meeting, held June 13th 1893, all the members were present. Unanimous consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Thomas Francis Gailor, S. T. D., as Coadjutor Bishop of Tennessee; the Rev. William Lawrence D. D., as Bishop of Massachusetts; and the Rev. Ellison Capers, D. D., Assistant Bishop of South Carolina, and certificates were signed to that effect. The Secretary's annual report was read and approved and ordered to be presented to the Convention.

All which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

H. R. LOCKWOOD,  
Secretary.



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## B. Missions of the Diocese.

### (1) Report of the Board of Managers.

The Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions of the Diocese of Central New York respectfully reports:

Four meetings have been held during the year. On June 15, 1892, immediately after the adjournment of Convention, the Board assembled in the chapel of Christ Church, Oswego, when the following assessments and apportionments were ordered:

First District. Assessed, . . . . .	\$1,300	Apportioned . . . . .	\$1,600
Second District, " . . . . .	2,500	" . . . . .	1,675
Third District, " . . . . .	2,150	" . . . . .	1,200
Fourth District, " . . . . .	2,400	" . . . . .	1,450
Fifth District, " . . . . .	1,200	" . . . . .	1,800
Sixth District, " . . . . .	1,150	" . . . . .	2,150
Total . . . . .	\$10,700		\$9,875

It should be noted here that the assessments exceed the apportionments by the sum of \$825. This fact is doubly significant when taken in connection with the fact that the income from the Permanent Missionary Fund was not (and purposely) taken into consideration. On the one hand, if the assessments are generally met throughout the Diocese, at the close of the Board's financial year there will be a considerable surplus left in the general treasury; while on the other hand, all obligations can be easily provided for, even though there should be a considerable shrinkage in every District from the amounts assessed.

On September 22, 1892, the Board met on call of the Bishop at the Church Rooms, Syracuse, when provision was made to pay all stipends due October 1st, the Treasurer of the Diocese having reported a deficiency of \$1,740 in the Diocesan Missions Fund.

On January 31, 1893, the Board met on call of the Bishop in the chapel of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse. The Treasurer reported a deficiency of between \$1,200 and \$1,300, a decrease, he it observed, of at least \$440 since his report in September. Provision was made to meet all obligations during the Conventional year, and a resolution adopted "that the financial year, for the apportionments and assessments made last June by the Board of Managers, begin July 1st, 1892." In other words every parish or mission has until July 1st, of this year in which to make up the full amount of its assessment. This fact needs emphasizing, not only as a reminder that there is yet time for each parish or mission to fulfil its obligation to the Diocesan Missionary Fund, but also to call attention to the fact that it is unfair to judge of the effect of the new Canon until the financial year has closed. In many instances, we are informed, parishes that up to May 1st were considerably in arrears, expect to pay their assessments in full before July 1st.

The fourth meeting of the Board was held in Grace Church, Utica, on June 13, 1892. The Treasurer made his report, which is herewith submitted, and the following reports from the different Districts were ordered to be presented to the Convention:

#### FIRST DISTRICT.

The sad bereavements with which this District has been afflicted during the past year, make the hearts of the surviving officers heavy and sorrowful. Then, too, the many vacancies in various parishes and missions have greatly impaired the effective work of the District. In spite, however, of these apparent hindrances, there has been a steady and healthy increase of offerings



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for Diocesan Missions throughout the District. The following tabulated report is respectfully submitted:

	Five-sixths of yearly assessment.	Paid July, 1892, to May, 1893.	Stipends granted.
{ Antwerp .....	\$31 12	\$34 18	
{ Evans Mills .....	7 86	4 72	\$200 00
Adams....	44 95	42 15	200 00
{ Brownville ..	20 75	20 00	
{ Wood's Falls.....	3 45	4 50	200 00
{ North Watertown .....	12 38	12 37	
Great Bend .....	1 76	3 84	
{ Cape Vincent .....	36 35	68 65	150 00
{ Millens Bay.....		1 38	
Carthage....	70 70	55 56	
{ Clayton .....	60 51	41 00	200 00
{ LaFargeville ...	17 65	16 21	
Sackett's Harbor.....	39 99	27 50	150 00
{ Copenhagen .....	17 62	16 64	200 00
{ Champion.....	3 45	7 22	
Dexter—no services .....	2 75		
{ Ellisburgh .....	3 19	4 70	200 00
{ Frederick's Corners .....	2 76	2 60	
Pierrepont Manor ...	17 56	15 32	
{ Redwood .....	16 53	18 21	200 00
{ Theresa .....	13 83	18 94	
Watertown, Trinity....	353 23	611 35	
“ Grace .....	193 66	74 84	
Lowville .....	69 18	14 19	
{ Constableville .....	35 00	60 64	
{ Port Leyden.....	11 62	15 15	250 00
{ Greig.....		1 03	
Totals .....	\$1,087 82	\$1,193 39	\$1,950 00

The greater number of parishes shown to be in arrears are those which have been vacant for some time during the year., These deficiencies will undoubtedly be considerably reduced during the months of May and June. The stipends reported are at rates paid since January 1st, and if continued throughout the year would exceed the appropriation granted the District for that purpose by \$350. The late Dean thought it best, and the Executive Board concurred, to draw stipends for vacant parishes, and give to those which were filled; also to apply surplus of our own offerings to increase stipends, as provided by Canon X.

W. GORDON BENTLEY,  
Secretary.

SECOND DISTRICT.

The Convocation submits the following report:

The sum assessed on this District by the Board of Managers was \$2,500. For the first five months of the Convocational year, May to September inclusive, the provisions of the old Canon were in force, and remittances were made direct to Mr. Gardner, Diocesan Treasurer. When the Convocation came to apply the provisions of the new Canon and to make out the parochial assessments, the Convocation did not think itself bound as a body to make up deficiencies incurred under the old Canon. Parishes, however, were advised to use all dilligence to make up their deficiencies and to remit payment of the same as formerly to Mr. Gardner. A table of yearly assessments, however, was made out, which was understood to apply proportionally to the seven remaining months of the year, October to April inclusive. During the

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period May to September inclusive, the parishes remitted to the Treasurer as follows:

Augusta, \$4.87; Boonville, \$3.72; Camden, \$13.94; Clark's Mills, \$1.00; Clinton, \$30.00; Durhamville, \$2.00; Holland Patent, \$8.53; Oriskany, \$9.24; Oriskany Falls, \$12.06; Paris Hill, \$3.50; Zion, Rome, \$83.94; Utica, Calvary, \$11.00, Grace, \$318.01, Trinity, \$56.01, St. Luke's, \$2.10, Holy Cross, \$41.83; Anonymous, \$5.00; Waterville, \$9.50; Westmoreland, \$17.50; Whitesboro, \$2.08; total, \$635.83.

The following table, taken from the report of the Treasurer of the District, Mr. Chas. S. Symonds, under date of April 25th, will show how far the parishes of the Convocation have been able to meet their assessments during the seven months, October to April inclusive, in which the financial obligations of the new Canon have been in force:

	Yearly assessment.	Pro. assessment, seven months.	Paid.
Augusta .....	\$10 00	\$7 00	\$5 00
Boonville .....	20 00	11 67	
Bridgewater.....	12 00	7 00	4 10
Camden.....	35 00	20 42	19 04
Clark's Mills .....	5 00	2 92	2 50
Clayville. ....	12 00	7 00	3 75
Clinton .....	105 00	61 25	61 25
Durhamville .....	5 00	2 92	1 00
Forestport .....	15 00	8 75	2 13
Holland Patent. ....	36 00	21 00	10 15
New Hartford and Chadwicks	60 00	35 00	30 25
New York Mills ....	10 00	5 83	5 73
Oriskany.....	30 00	17 50	9 24
Oriskany Falls .....	20 00	11 67	4 95
Paris Hill ....	25 00	14 58	21 50
Rome, Zion.....	250 00	145 80	153 34
" St. Joseph's, .....	10 00	5 83	
Utica, Grace.....	750 00	437 50	479 68
" Calvary .....	225 00	131 25	122 50
" Trinity .....	230 00	134 17	146 84
" St. Luke's .....	125 00	72 90	21 22
" St. George's .....	80 00	46 67	25 00 Dr.G.
" Holy Cross .....	80 00	46 67	55 55
" St. Andrew's .....	10 00	5 83	10 00
Waterville .....	113 00	65 92	52 08
Westmoreland .....	35 00	20 42	24 00
Whitesboro .....	50 00	29 16	18 86
Total.....	\$2,160 00	\$1,376 63	\$1,289 64

This amount, though short about eighty-six dollars of the sum due from the District for this period, is likely to be raised to the full amount when all the parishes have reported.

Payment for both periods may be summarized as follows:

For five months, May to September inclusive, ..... \$635 83

For seven months, October to April inclusive, ..... 1,289 64

Total .....\$1,925 47

This sum is about \$65 more than was raised last year. Since the 25th of April, when the Treasurer of the District closed his account, and up to the middle of May, about \$51 additional have been received, including \$20 from Grace Church, Utica, for the neediest mission in the District. If the special offerings of some other parishes for mission work within their own cures be counted, the amount would be still further increased. Grace Church, Utica,

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for the support of St. Andrew's Mission, \$130, and for the support of St. Philip's Mission, \$147.81; Grace Church, Waterville, gave for the support of Brookfield Mission, about \$125; total from parishes for support of their own missions, \$402.81.

Since October 1st the following stipends have been paid to date, May 1: To Rev. W. Price James, Holland Patent, since March 1, \$41.66; to Rev. A. L. Byron-Curtis, Forestport, since December 15, \$75; to Rev. B. E. Whipple, Paris Hill, since October 1, \$145.83; to Rev. C. T. Raynor, Oriskany Falls and Augusta, since December 1, \$62.50; to Rev. E. C. Alcorn, Westmoreland and Clark's Mills, since October 1, \$175; to Rev. J. K. Parker, Whitesboro, Oriskany and New York Mills, since October 1, \$175; to Rev. J. M. Hayman, St. Joseph's, Rome, since October 1, \$191.66; to Rev. Joel Davis, Camden, since October 1, \$72.91; to Rev. E. B. Doolittle, Clayville and Bridgewater, since March 1, \$25; total, \$964.56.

The District has, therefore, under the new Canon contributed for Diocesan Missions, exclusive of the special offerings for the support of other missions cared for by parish churches, \$1,289.64, while its stipendiary appropriations were \$964.56; thus contributing to Diocesan Missions without the District, in the last seven months of the convocational year, the sum of \$325.08.

This Convocation has had to give for the past year, as in other years, its attention to the support of old, weak, or decayed parishes, rather than to missions. Our Convocation is largely a Board of Parish Sustentation, which may be seen from the following grouping of our missionary enterprises.

- (a.) Missionary Parishes.
- (b.) Mission Stations.
- (c.) Missions of individual parishes.

Under the first, the following parishes receive mission aid, and reports of their work will be found in their several parochial reports—Augusta, Boonville, Bridgewater, Camden, Clark's Mills, Clayville, Forestport, Holland Patent, Oriskany, Paris Hill, Westmoreland, and Whitesboro.—12. Boonville, vacant throughout the year, received nothing.

Under the second, the following missions receive aid with the exception of Durhamville: Durhamville, New York Mills, Oriskany Falls, and St. Joseph's, Rome,—4. Durhamville is cared for by the Rev. John Arthur, Rector of St. John's Church, Oneida.

Under the third, the following missions are cared for by their respective parishes, and receive no aid from the Convocation. They will be found reported in the parochial reports of the same. The mission at Hatheway School-house under the care of the Missionary at Oriskany Falls; St. George's, Chadwicks, under the care of the Rector of St. Stephen's, New Hartford; St. Timothy's, Brookfield, under the supervision of the Rector of Grace Church, Waterville, assisted by the Rev. E. B. Doolittle; St. Paul's, Deerfield, cared for by Trinity Church, Utica; and St. Andrew's and St. Philip's Missions, cared for by Grace Church, Utica,—6.

There are in all twenty-two missionary parishes or missions, sixteen of which are cared for by the Convocation, and six by their respective parishes. Of the sixteen chargeable to the Convocation, twelve are organized parishes. It may be thus seen that under this condition of affairs it is almost impossible for the Convocation to undertake the starting of any new missionary enterprises.

Several of the parishes and mission stations are behind in their offerings for Diocesan Missions. Some of these have been vacant through sickness of the rector or missionary, or otherwise, for many months, as St. Stephen's, New Hartford, Holland Patent, Clayville and Bridgewater, Oriskany Falls and Augusta, and Forestport. A few other delinquent parishes have presented no explanation to the Convocation. The Rev. E. C. Alcorn has resigned the charge of Westmoreland and Clark's Mills. The Dean of the Convocation is now caring for these parishes in connection with his own charge at Clinton.

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For the actual statistics of the work done in the District, the parochial reports of the year must be consulted.

OLIVER OWEN, *Dean.*  
JAMES J. BURD, *Secretary.*

THIRD DISTRICT.

The officers of the Third District Missionary Convocation, consisting of the counties of Broome, Chenango, and Madison, are the Rev. R. G. Quennell, Dean; the Rev. Antoine G. Singsen, Secretary; and Mr. Joseph E. Juliand, of Greene, Treasurer. The Rev. R. G. Quennell and Mr. Horace O. Moss, of New Berlin, are members of the Board of Managers. The Mission Parishes and Stations in the District are as follows: In Broome County, Chenango Forks, Harpersville, Whitney's Point, and Windsor; in Chenango County, Afton, Bainbridge, Guilford, Mount Upton and McDonough; in Madison County, Canastota, Chittenango, Earlville, Perryville, and Brookfield. Eleven of these fourteen missionary points have been assisted from the funds placed at the disposal of the District by the Board of Managers at its meeting in June 1892. Up to date it is estimated that \$787.50 of the \$1,200 allotted to the District have been disbursed, and on the first of July a further sum of \$352.50 will be required to pay the last quarter's stipends, and an additional appropriation made at Windsor together with a new appropriation for St. Timothy's Mission at Brookfield. These sums added together foot up \$1,140, or sixty dollars less than the amount allotted for use in the District during the year.

The offerings of the District for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1893, have reached the sum of \$2,200.62 as follows: May and June 1892—offerings of the old third District of Broome and Chenango Counties, \$337.96; July 1892 to April 1893—offerings of third District, \$1,826.01; April 1893—offerings from Sunday Schools at Greene and Guilford, \$36.65; total, \$2,200.62.

The sum assessed upon the District by the Board of Managers in June 1892 was \$2,150. In addition to its regular monthly offerings, the District has made a special offering of \$50.50 for a new Mission at Swartwood in the sixth District.

At St. John's Church Chenango Forks, the Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton has been in charge during the entire year. He has held twenty Sunday afternoon and thirty week-day services, celebrated the Holy Communion twice, baptized one adult and one infant, presented five persons for confirmation, and there has been one burial at which the Rev. Mr. Robinson, of Cortland, officiated. The attendance at the services has not been large, nor the prospects specially encouraging; still there is promise of better things in the future, and it is hoped whenever opportunity offers for the ministrations of a clergyman on the spot the work will revive; but first there must be a disposition manifested on the part of the people to do their share towards the maintenance of Divine service.

At St. Luke's Church, Harpersville, the year's work began with lay reading. A student of St. Stephen's College, Annandale, gave very acceptable service here during the summer months, and after his return to his college duties the Rev. Mr. Singsen, of Bainbridge, gave a monthly service on Sundays until Advent when the Rev. Charles A. Howells, Deacon, in charge at Sidney in the Diocese of Albany, took the work, giving an afternoon service there every Sunday, supplemented by Rev. Mr. Singsen who has given the parish a celebration of the Holy Communion every month. This old parish has been weakened by removals, but it still manifests its appreciation of its privileges by doing what it can to maintain services, the people are regular in their attendance on the worship of the Church whenever opportunity is offered, but they feel that with a minister living in another Diocese and service only possible on a Sunday afternoon at an hour which is inconvenient, there is

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little chance for activity or growth. The desire of the people, expressed to the Dean, is for a resident minister, for whom more than they are doing now could be done, and they have asked for an increased appropriation for the coming year so that their desire might appear possible to be fulfilled.

At Grace Church, Whitney's Point, the Rev. James A. Robinson has continued his useful labors throughout the year, interrupted only by a severe illness which confined him to the house for several weeks, and by high water which once or twice during the winter flooded the Church and made it impossible to hold service. Aside from these interruptions, regular services have been held and things have gone on about as usual. A short time since three persons were confirmed at this point.

At Windsor the Rev. O. A. Sands has been busily occupied throughout the year. His report says that there is nothing of special importance to record in regard to the work, but everything has been kept up in good shape. The missionary offerings have been maintained, the Woman's Auxiliary has done a noble work, and the people generally are faithful and earnest in all good things. A request has been made for an increase in the missionary stipend for the coming year, and where so much zeal has been manifested an effort ought to be made to comply. Now that Mr. Sands has been advanced to the Priesthood, this notable mission parish is thoroughly equipped for active and efficient work.

The Rev. A. G. Singsen has continued his work at Afton and Bainbridge during the year without interruption. Regular services have been held on Sundays, twice at Bainbridge and once at Afton each week. During Lent there were daily services at Bainbridge and twice a week at Afton. The attendance has been very encouraging at both places. Since the last report, a parish building has been erected at Bainbridge through the munificence of a late parishioner, who left a legacy for that purpose, which has been of great advantage to the work of the parish. Parish rooms, a study for the Rector, and a pleasant chapel are comprised in the building. At present the church is undergoing extensive repairs, the interior is being ceiled with wood, and new carpets laid, at an expense of over \$700. The village of Bainbridge is showing many signs of growth and prosperity, and the Church for so long holding its own, is giving evidence of new life and vigor. It seems as if the time had almost come for St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge, to be self-sustaining.

Christ Church, Guilford, was vacant from about the first of May until the end of September, when the Rev. George G. Perrine removed there from the first District and took up the work which has so greatly prospered in his hands. Regular services have been held by him every two weeks at Grace Church, Mt. Upton, and the Holy Communion has been celebrated several times. The congregations have not been large, but the offerings have been liberal. At Guilford there is a fund, which is being increased at this time by subscriptions, for the purpose of either repairing the old church or building a new one. That something will be done in a little while, cannot be doubted; this missionary parish being noted for its earnestness. As an illustration of this it may be mentioned that while the parish was without a Rector from May to October, services were regularly maintained by the Lay Reader of the parish, the congregation manifesting the usual interest and being as large as when there was a clergyman in residence. The missionary offerings were regularly taken and sent every month to the Treasurer, and the contributions for parish expenses were given as usual. The Sunday School was also kept going, and everything went along as if there were no vacancy. This state of things in rural parishes under like circumstances is so rare as to be noteworthy, and it is mentioned here as an evidence of what can be done by people to whom the Church is more than a patent to respectability, or a part of the weekly routine.

From McDonough, the Rev. Wm. Higgs in charge during the year reports that there is little to say in connection with the work at this place. The services have been regularly maintained, the church property and furnishings

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are kept in a neat condition, the building is well insured, and some improvements have been made and adornments added by some of the faithful. The general outlook is neither especially encouraging, nor the reverse. The Mission has suffered all through its career by removals to larger places of its most able and active members, and this spring sustained a severe loss in the death of the senior trustee, Mr. V. C. Emerson. This mission has been partly supported up to this time by a grant of \$300 per annum from the Van Wagenen Fund. The trustee of this Fund has, however, asked that he might be relieved of making any further appropriations after the close of the present year to McDonough, since the income of the trust is intended to be used for an itinerant missionary in Chenango County, and should be so used exclusively. This request of the trustee has seemed eminently proper, and has been complied with; therefore, if his work is to be continued, Convocation will be obliged to appropriate \$300 towards the missionary's support, and will need a larger sum than it received for its work last year.

Brookfield, Madison County. St. Timothy's Mission at this place is a new work. Its beginning is due to the missionary zeal and active energies of the Rector of Waterville in the Second District. Since July last until very recently regular services were held by Mr. Edward R. D. Mayne, who has officiated as Lay Reader. The Mission is at present in charge of Rev. E. B. Doolittle who came to it about the middle of March. He resides at Bridgewater in the Second District and officiates there and at Clayville in Oneida County, as well as at Brookfield. The report is that the work is going on well. The Mission is possessed of a lot with a building on it which it is proposed to convert into a churchly edifice during the early summer. The services are growing in favor with the community, and, although the number of communicants is small, the mission is gaining strength and overcoming the prejudice and opposition exhibited at the outset. Some money will be needed to carry out the proposed work of building, and help is asked in the way of funds or furnishings.

From Canastota and Chittenango no reports have been received, but it is known that the work which was relinquished by Mr. W. H. Hawken soon after he was ordained Deacon and which under his lay-readership was very successfully undertaken, has been taken up by the Rev. George H. Ottaway, Deacon, the principal of the schools at Canastota, and is going on favorably. It is hoped that during the coming year proper reports of the work done and the prospects of success and growth may be forthcoming, and the missionary offerings regularly made.

Earlville. Grace Church in this place was in charge of Mr. John Smiley until December last when he was ordained Deacon and took work in the First District. Since then Mr. Albert E. Bentley, Lay Reader, has been in charge there. He reports regular Sunday services with two celebrations of the Holy Communion, and that on April 9th eight adults were baptized and confirmed. The condition of the parish is very promising, and the Sunday School especially is in a flourishing state.

Perryville. The old parish of St. Stephen's in this place, organized in 1811, has been without regular services for some time. There are nine members of the old vestry residing there now, and the number of communicants is nineteen, living in the village and neighborhood. The senior warden, Mr. W. C. Hill, is of the opinion that if services could be recommenced by a clergyman in connection with some other place or places, what life there is left in the people might be aroused, so that with a small stipend in addition they could support him, and he wishes that an attempt might be made in the summer.

In order to carry on the work of the District during the coming year, more money will be required than has heretofore been allotted; and at the May meeting of the Convocation the Dean was requested to ask the Board of Managers to continue the stipends at Chenango Fork's, \$100; Whitney's Point, \$200; Afton and Bainbridge, \$200; Guilford and Mt. Upton, \$200; Canastota and Chittenango, \$150; and Earlville, \$150; to add \$50 each to the stipends



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at Harpursville and Windsor, making them \$150 instead of \$100 each, and to appropriate \$300 for work at McDonough and \$100 for work at Brookfield. If the Board of Managers complies with this request, and there is no reason why it should not, since even with the increase the District will still be giving more than it receives, the amount to be allotted to the District will be \$1,700 instead of \$1,200 which was the sum given it for use last year.

## FOURTH DISTRICT.

Dean, the Rev. P. N. Meade; Secretary, Rev. W. DeL. Wilson; Treasurer, Mr. George J. Gardner; Members of the Board of Managers, Rev. Wm. Beauchamp, S. T. D., and Mr. D. O. Salmon.

The Mission Stations are: In Onondaga County, the Associate Mission, Syracuse, the Indian Reservation, Manlius with Jamesville, and Marcellus; in Oswego County, Cleveland with Constantia, Fulton, Lacona with Frederick's Corners, Mexico, Pulaski, and Redfield with Albion.

The Rev. Mr. Johnson reports encouragement in all his mission stations, Calvary and St. Luke's, Syracuse, Emmanuel, East Syracuse, and the County House. The latter he visits semi-monthly, administering the Holy Communion monthly. Twelve were confirmed at St. Luke's, which has one of the largest and most interesting schools in the city. He fears some loss in the near future through the rivalry of a new sectarian mission in the vicinity. At Emmanuel, East Syracuse, he has the efficient assistance of Mr. D. B. Matthews, student in the St. Andrew's School. At this place, as at Calvary, Chapters of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew have increased the attendance of men at the services. There is no appropriation of stipend for this charge, as other provision is made by the Bishop. The assessments are: Calvary, \$25; Emmanuel, \$20. The offerings for Missions: Calvary, \$17.50; Emmanuel, \$5.

The Rev. John Scott and his able assistant, Albert Cusick, a native Deacon, report slow but steady improvement in the condition of the Mission at the Indian Reservation. The most marked improvement is a gradual decrease of drunkenness among the Indians. The Mission is supported by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese. There are no contributions to Diocesan Missions.

The Rev. Dr. Babcock, of Christ Church, Manlius, reports regular Sunday, holy-day, and other week-day services. An active chapter of the Junior Auxiliary has done much work for missions. At Jamesville he is assisted by Mr. Davidson, Lay Reader, administering the Holy Communion monthly. Services were interrupted for a short period this winter. The stipend is \$200; the assessments: Manlius, \$50; Jamesville, \$20; the offerings: Manlius, \$30; Jamesville, \$19.

Prof. M. I. Hunt, Lay Reader, reports regular Sunday, and Lenten week-day services at St. John's, Marcellus, with monthly Communion by the Rev. Dr. Clarke. While steadily losing in adult membership by death and removals, the parish is greatly encouraged by the large increase in the Sunday School, a class of nine children having recently been baptized. There is no stipend paid the parish; the assessment is \$15; the offerings for missions have been \$25.

The Rev. Robert Paul, of St. James', Pulaski, reports, in addition to the regular services at the Parish Church, occasional priestly ministrations at Sand Bank, Lacona, and Kasoag. Interesting services have also been held at Park Ontario. St. James has received a valuable gift of altar desk and vestments from a communicant. The stipend is \$200; the assessments, \$30; the offerings, \$2.20.

The Rev. Mr. Neide reports that his congregations are larger than ever before in his six years rectorate, though the population of the village of Cleveland is decreasing. A considerable percentage of the communicants were formerly members of the Roman Communion. The stipend is \$300; the assessment is \$25, and has been paid in full.

Zion, Fulton, under the promise of \$200 stipend, conditional upon the pay-

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ment of \$500 and the Rectory by the Parish, has secured this amount, and hopes soon to have a Priest at work in this promising field. No stipend has been paid the past year. The assessment is \$55, of which \$37.80 has been paid. Since this report was made the Rev. Herbert Clarke has accepted a call to the parish.

Mexico, having lost the services of the Rev. A. H. Ormsbee, is served at present by Mr. Webb, a Lay Reader. The stipend is \$300; the assessment is \$30; the offerings, \$24.98.

At Lacona, the Rev. Mr. Daly rejoices with his people at the completion of their commodious and attractive church building. Months of earnest work and generous giving have been crowned with success, and it is now expected that the Mission will soon become almost self-supporting. The missionary gladdens many settlements and households in the neighborhood by his visits and faithful ministrations. The stipend is \$250; the assessment, \$10; the offering for missions, \$6.50.

Mr. George Maxwell, student in St. Andrew's, renders regular and acceptable services at Albion and Redfield, and has held several interesting services at Kasoag. The station has entered into an agreement with the District to pay \$100 and provide for certain expenses on condition of a stipend of \$160. Last year it contributed nothing to the support of its missionary.

Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and others of Trinity Church, Syracuse, have, under their Rector, maintained an interesting and self-supporting Sunday School in the south-west corner of the city, for some time. There is a large and increasing attendance and promise of Church services in the future.

The following are the assessments and offerings of the Parishes not enumerated above:

Grace, Baldwinsville, Assessment....	\$100	Offerings,....	\$102 55
Trinity, Fayetteville, " ....	60	" ....	85 73
Christ Church, Jordan, " ....	25	" .. .	24 56
St. James', Skaneateles, " ....	225	" ....	223 22
Syracuse, Grace, " ....	70	" ....	33 41
" St. James', " ....	100	" ....	5 82
" St. John's, " ....	70	" ....	39 98
" St. Mark's, " ....	65	" ....	80 00
" St. Paul's, " ....	650	" ....	512 98
" Trinity, " ....	100	" ....	49 37
Oswego, Christ Church, " ....	365	" ....	221 95
" Evangelists, " ....	50	" ....	49 00

Assessment by Diocese, \$2,400; Assessment by District, \$2,145; Appropriation, \$1,400; Offerings for Missions, \$1,587.56.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Dean, the Rev. H. M. Denslow; Secretary, the Rev. C. W. MacNish; Treasurer, Mr. A. N. Hollister, Auburn; Members of the Board of Managers, the Rev. R. M. Duff, D. D., and Mr. A. N. Hollister. The Mission Stations are thirteen in number, and are as follows, viz.:

Cayuga County—Aurora, Union Springs, Cayuga, Moravia, Weedsport, Port Byron, and St. John's Church, Auburn. Seneca County—Willowdale, Jerusalem, Dey's Landing, Romulus, Willard and Hayt's Corners.

At Moravia the Rev. Mr. Burgess resigned in November last, which left a vacancy until the latter part of the winter, when the Rev. J. B. Murray, D. D., took charge of the parish. A fund is being raised and an effort will be made to build a new church some time, it is hoped, in the near future. Dr. Murray expects to begin Mission Services at Croton soon.

At Weedsport and Port Byron, Sunday Services have been regularly maintained through the efficient ministrations of Mr. Herbert H. Fox, of St.



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Andrew's Divinity School. Occasionally the Holy Communion has been administered through the kindness of the Rev. Mr. Southwell, of Jordan, and also the Bishop's Chaplain.

At St. John's Church, Auburn, the vacancy in the rectorship that has existed for the past few months is about to come to an end, the Rev. M. Brown, late assistant minister in Trinity Church, Geneva, taking charge.

At Aurora, Union Springs and Cayuga, the faithful ministrations of the Rev. W. H. Casey have gone on with telling effect in the work of the Master.

In Seneca County, the Missionary work has gone on with its accustomed interest and vigor.

At Willard and Hayt's Corners, the Rev. C. W. MacNish rejoices to see among the people committed to his charge a steady increase in the fruits of good works. During the six months last past the Missionary has, at the request of the Bishop, given one Sunday in the month to the care of the Missions at Slaterville Springs and Speedsville, in the Sixth District, his place being supplied in his absence by lay reading.

At St. Stephen's Church, Romulus, Mr. D. A. Parce, a student in Hobart College, and a candidate for Holy Orders, has rendered efficient and acceptable ministrations. Through his efforts a goodly number have been brought to Holy Baptism, and a class of eight persons was presented to the Bishop for confirmation at his last visitation.

At Dey's Landing and Willowdale the services of the church have been maintained with their accustomed regularity through the loving care and faithfulness of a communicant at the latter place. Too much cannot be said in commendation of the unfailing interest in the mission work at these two points, and also the mission started within the past year in what is known as the Jerusalem Meeting-house, that has been manifested on the part of the Geneva clergy and lay readers from the same place. The inmates of the County House have received many ministrations from the same source.

The offerings in this District for Diocesan Missions have amounted to \$1,176.11, which is an increase over the year before of nearly \$100. Amount appropriated and assessed in Fifth District:

	Stipend.	Assessment.	Paid May 1, 1891 to May 1, 1892
Auburn, St. John's, . . . .	\$100 00	\$30 00	\$31 81
"    St. Peter's . . . . .		310 00	300 00
Moravia . . . . .	300 00	90 00	27 90
{ Union Springs . . . . .		36 00	36 00
{ Cayuga . . . . .	450 00	24 00	24 00
{ Aurora . . . . .		54 00	49 50
Weedsport . . . . .			4 08
Port Byron . . . . .			1 76
{ Willard . . . . .	500 09	80 00	81 68
{ Hayt's Corners . . . . .		20 00	21 00
Convocation . . . . .			8 05
Romulus . . . . .	200 00	30 00	35 55
Dey's Landing . . . . .		12 00	12 96
Willowdale . . . . .		30 00	30 10
Jerusalem . . . . .			5 49
Waterloo . . . . .		200 00	196 10
Waterloo Convocation . . . .			3 40
Seneca Falls . . . . .		255 00	300 00
Kidder's Ferry . . . . .			6 64
Dean, to be used at his discretion . . . . .	50 00		
	<u>\$1,600 00</u>	<u>\$1,201 00</u>	<u>\$1,176 11</u>

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SIXTH DISTRICT.

Dean, the Rev. G. H. McNight, D. D.; Secretary, the Rev. Charles Donohue; Treasurer, Mr. H. V. Bostwick, of Ithaca; Members of the Diocesan Board of Managers, the Rev. W. B. Clarke, and W. C. Wey, M. D.

The Mission Stations are: In Chemung County, Big Flats, Emmanuel, Elmira, Horseheads, Millport, and Wellsburg; in Cortland County, Homer; in Tioga County, Candor, Smithboro, Spencer, Van Etten, and Waverly; in Tompkins County, McLean, Slaterville, Speedsville, and Trumansburg.

Big Flats and Horseheads have been vacant throughout the year. Occasional services have been held by the neighboring clergy.

The Rev. C. D. Atwell is still at Emmanuel Church, Elmira, and Christ Church, Wellsburg. Regular services have been held throughout the year at each place. At Emmanuel Church, Elmira, a large class has been confirmed. Payments on the mortgage have been regularly met, and the mission is steadily gaining strength in every way. At Wellsburg a large class has been confirmed. The church building has been renovated, and the interest in the church is very much better.

The Rev. W. H. Hawken took charge of Millport January 1, 1893. For many months previous the mission had been vacant, the neighboring clergy holding occasional services. Recently ten have been baptized and thirteen confirmed. The finances are kept up, and the mission prospers again. The church has been cushioned, and the people are now working for an organ.

The Rector of Grace Church, Elmira, the Rev. W. E. Wright, reports semi-monthly services and seven baptisms at the Ogden Arnot Hospital. Grace Church, Elmira, has recently erected a chapel in the seventh ward of that city under the name of St. Agnes.

The Rev. G. F. Clover has resigned Calvary Church, Homer, and services are now conducted by Mr. Parker Fenno, a student of St. Andrew's Divinity School. He goes to Zion Church, McLean, also.

The Rev. G. E. Purucker resigned his work at Candor at Easter, and the parish is now vacant.

The Rev. J. F. Esch remains at Smithboro. He reports: "Expensive improvements have been made, indicating that the mission is still alive."

The Rev. G. N. Smith is in charge of Spencer and Van Etten. At Van Etten, Mr. Thomas Smith has given and completely furnished a church building, and it was consecrated in the fall. The congregation and the Sunday School are large. Regular services have been held at Spencer. Interest in the church increases, and the people contemplate the erection of a chapel during the summer.

The Rev. Charles Donohue is still in Waverly. The congregations are larger than a year ago, and the parish has been able to meet all of its regular financial obligations and to pay one hundred dollars on its debt.

The Rev. M. C. Tyler, LL. D., has conducted services at Slaterville during the year, and Messrs. Cross and Gibbons at Speedsville.

The Rev. C. H. Tindell resigned his work at Trumansburg in the winter, and the parish is now vacant.

Services have been held in the Mission Chapel of St. John's Church, Ithaca, by the Seabury Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. The corporation of St. Paul's Church, Ithaca, has been dissolved.

The sum assessed to this District is \$1,150, and its appropriation is \$2,150.

	Stipend.	Paid October 1, 1892, to May 1, 1893.
Emmanuel, Elmira,.....	\$500 00	\$250 00
Smithboro .....	150 00	50 00
Candor .....	300 00	162 50
Waverly .....	300 00	150 00
McLean .....	100 00	
Wellsburgh ... ..	100 00	50 00

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	Stipend.	Paid October 1, 1882 to May 1, 1883.	
Trumansburgh .....	300 00	125 00	
Millport .....	150 00	39 40	
Homer.. .....	200 00	30 76	
Horseheads.....	200 00		
Big Flats .....	200 00		
Van Etten .... ..		50 00	
Millport and Smithboro are each entitled to \$12.50 more to April 1st, or \$16.66 to May 1st.			
	Assessed July 1, 1882, to July 1, 1883.	Paid May 1, 1883 to May 1, 1883.	
Big Flats, .....	\$15 00		
Elmira, Emmanuel .....	25 00	\$1 70	
“ Grace .....	200 00		
“ Trinity.....	300 00	306 50	
Horseheads, .....	25 00		
Millport, .....	20 00	13 16	
Wellsburgh, .....	10 00		
Cortland, .....	75 00	55 54	
Homer,.....	30 00	12 49	
Candor,....	30 00	27 60	
Owego. ....	100 00	65 65	
Smithboro, .....	10 00	9 95	
Spencer .....	10 00	5 61	
Van Etten,.....	20 00	3 70	
Waverly, .....	35 00	32 28	
Ithaca, St. John's ...	300 00	271 74	
“ St. Paul's. ...	130 00	Parish dissolve	
McLean,.....	20 00	11 33	
Slaterville.....	10 00	8 13	
Speedsville, .....	5 00	6 97	
Trumansburg,.....	75 00	76 13	
Convocation, Waverly and Ithaca.		10 72	

Total ..... \$919 15

CHARLES DONOHUE, Secretary

The following Resolutions were adopted by the Board of Managers:  
*Resolved,* That the thanks of this Board be returned to President Pott, who, together with others connected with Hobart College, has officiated frequently and rendered pecuniary and other services in behalf of missionary work in the Fifth Missionary District.  
*Resolved,* That the Convention be asked to appropriate the sum of \$12,000 for the Missionary work of the Diocese for the financial year beginning July 1st.  
In submitting this report, the Board of Managers desires to express conviction that the new Canon is on the whole working satisfactorily. Little by little all new things it has its defects, but they are defects that can be easily remedied. New machinery never works well at first. It requires a vast deal of oiling, and oftentimes even structural changes. A fair test always requires time. It is the deliberate judgment of the Board that a fair trial of the new Canon will result in larger offerings, and increase the efficiency of our Missionary work to an extent hitherto unattained.  
It will require, however, faith and faithfulness on the part of all, a full sense of responsibility, a deeper devotion to Him without whom nothing strong or can succeed. Heart-consecration is what is needed most of all, for hands will follow hearts until the Lord's treasury overflows.

Respectfully submitted in behalf of the Board.  
WM. BOURS CLARKE, Secretary.

Missionary Report : Assessments—Offerings—Stipends.

Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers.

DISTRICT No. 1.			
	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
.....	\$53 95	\$45 85	\$200 00
p .....	37 35	38 45	
Mills .....	9 46	4 72	200 00
ville .....	24 90	18 00	
Falls.....	4 15	4 00	200 00
Watertown.....	14 86	10 91	
incent.....	43 99	115 28	
s Bay .....		6 97	150 00
re .....	84 83	55 56	
.....	3 32		
.....	72 62	47 60	
geville .....	21 16	20 71	200 00
agen .....	21 15	16 64	
ion.....	4 15	7 22	200 00
rgh .....	3 82	5 70	
ck's Corners .....	3 33	3 72	200 00
lend.....	2 08	3 84	
ont Manor.....	21 08	17 50	
od.....	19 84	31 99	
.....	16 60	28 92	2 0 00
s Harbor.....	47 97	24 51	150 00
own, Trinity ..	423 88	789 76	
Grace.....	232 40	93 18	
le ... ..	83 00	7 13	
bleville .....	42 00	73 03	
eyden .....	13 95	18 98	250 00
.....		1 03	
	\$1,305 83	\$1,491 20	\$1,950 00

DISTRICT No. 2.			
	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
a .....	\$12 00	\$9 87	\$150 00
y Falls.....	20 00	17 66	
water.....	12 00	3 10	150 00
le .....	12 00	3 75	
.....	35 00	32 98	125 00
nville.....	5 00	3 00	
oreland.....	35 00	41 50	
Mills .....	5 00	3 50	300 00
.....	105 00	61 25	
ort .....	15 00		200 00
d Patent... ..	36 00	18 68	
lle .....	20 00	5 25	250 00
artford .....	60 00	13 50	
y .....	30 00	11 56	
boro.....	50 00	32 67	300 00
ork Mills.....	10 00	5 73	
lill .....	25 00	25 00	250 00
Zion .....	250 00	230 88	
St. Joseph's ..	10 00		100 00
Calvary .....	225 00	133 50	
Grace .....	750 00	797 69	
Holy Cross .....	80 00	97 38	
St. Andrew's.....	10 00	5 00	
St. George's .....	80 00	25 00	
St. Luke's .....	125 00	23 32	
Trinity .....	230 00	202 85	
ille .....	113 00	51 66	
	\$2,360 00	\$1,856 28	\$1,825 00

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## DISTRICT No. III

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Binghamton, Christ Ch. . .	\$400 00	\$371 05	
" Trinity . . . . .	250 00	<del>200 00</del>	
" Good Shep'd . . . . .	60 00	45 74	
Harpursville . . . . .	30 00	26 07	\$100 00
Windsor . . . . .	35 00	38 05	100 00
Afton . . . . .	35 00	18 94	
Bainbridge . . . . .	50 00	41 96	200 00
Chenango Forks . . . . .	25 00	4 44	<del>100 00</del>
Greene . . . . .	<del>225 00</del>	239 98	
Guilford . . . . .	60 00	<del>57 88</del>	200 00
Mt. Upton . . . . .	5 00		
New Berlin . . . . .	180 00	198 34	
Norwich . . . . .	55 00	90 56	
Oxford . . . . .	250 00	356 18	
Sherburne . . . . .	75 00	70 17	
Whitney's Point . . . . .	20 00	21 54	200 00
McDonough . . . . .	20 00	18 21	
Earlville . . . . .	15 00	12 50	150 00
Canastota . . . . .	25 00	8 45	
Chittenango . . . . .	25 00	6 26	150 00
Cazenovia . . . . .	225 00	168 68	
Hamilton . . . . .	<del>50 00</del>	45 00	
Oneida . . . . .	85 00	98 91	
Convocation . . . . .		12 20	
	<u>\$2,280 00</u>	<u>\$2,309 81</u>	<u>\$1,200 00</u>

## DISTRICT No. 4.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Cleveland . . . . .	\$25 00	\$25 00	<del>\$100 00</del>
Constantia . . . . .			
Fulton . . . . .	55 00	37 80	200 00
Mexico . . . . .	30 00	24 98	<del>200 00</del>
Oswego, Christ Ch. . . . .	365 00	117 60	
" Evangelists . . . . .	50 00	49 00	
Pulaski . . . . .	80 00	28 20	200 00
Baldwinsville . . . . .	90 00	102 55	
Fayetteville . . . . .	60 00	35 73	
Jamesville . . . . .	20 00	19 00	200 00
Jordan . . . . .	25 00	24 56	
Manlius . . . . .	50 00	30 00	
Marcellus . . . . .	15 00	24 00	
Skaneateles . . . . .	225 00	223 22	
Syracuse, St. James' . . . . .	100 00	5 82	
" St. Paul's . . . . .	650 00	512 08	
" Trinity . . . . .	100 00	41 93	
" Grace . . . . .	70 00	33 41	
" Calvary . . . . .	25 00	17 50	
" St. Mark's . . . . .	70 00	80 00	
" St. John's . . . . .		39 98	
East Syracuse . . . . .	20 00	5 00	
Redfield and Sandbank . . . . .	100 00	27	156 00
Lacona . . . . .	10 00	6 51	<del>250 00</del>
Convocation . . . . .		5 80	
	<u>\$2,185 00</u>	<u>\$1,490 84</u>	<u>\$1,006 00</u>

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DISTRICT No. 5.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Auburn, St. Peter's.....	\$310 00	\$812 00	
" St. John's.....	30 00	31 81	\$100 00
{ Aurora.....	54 00	49 50	
{ Cayuga.....	24 00	24 00	450 00
{ Union Springs.....	54 00	36 00	
Moravia.....	90 00	27 90	300 00
Weedsport.....		4 08	
Port Byron.....		1 76	
Seneca Falls.....	255 00	110 00	
Waterloo.....	200 00	192 44	
Dey's Landing.....	12 00	12 96	
Willowdale.....	80 00	80 10	
Kidder's Ferry.....	80 00	6 64	
{ Willard.....	80 00	81 68	
{ Ray's Corners.....	20 00	21 09	500 00
Romulus.....	30 00	35 55	200 00
Jerusalem.....		5 49	
Convocation.....		14 80	
To be used by Dean in his discretion.....			50 00
	<u>\$1,219 00</u>	<u>\$1,207 30</u>	<u>\$1,600 00</u>

DISTRICT No. 6.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Big Flats.....	\$15 00		\$200 00
Elmira, Trinity.....	300 00	\$306 50	
" Grace.....	200 00		
Horseheads.....	30 00		200 00
Candor.....	30 00	27 60	350 00
Owego.....	100 00	65 66	
Waverly.....	85 00	82 23	300 00
Ithaca, St. John's.....	300 00	271 74	
" St. Paul's.....	180 00		
McLean.....	20 00	13 33	100 00
Speedsville.....	5 00	6 97	
Trumansburgh.....	75 00	74 63	200 00
Smithboro.....	10 00	11 65	150 00
Wellsburgh.....	10 00		100 00
Spencer.....	10 00	5 61	
Van Etten.....	20 00	2 92	300 00
Slaterville.....	10 00	8 91	
Millport.....		13 16	150 00
Cortland.....	75 00	65 54	200 00
Homer.....	30 00	13 49	
Convocation.....		10 72	
	<u>\$1,405 00</u>	<u>\$919 85</u>	<u>\$2,150 00</u>

Total amount of Assessments . . . . . \$10,704 83  
 " " Offerings . . . . . 9,174 79  
 " " Stipends . . . . . 10,331 00

*Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.***C. Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.***To the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese and the Diocesan Board of Missions***(1.) Report of the Diocesan President.**

Through delay in receiving some of the District reports the Diocesan report has necessarily been made out hurriedly and may contain some errors which will be corrected in the printed report of the Auxiliary.

As may be seen by comparing it with the report of work done last year, there has been an increase in gifts of more than \$1,000, but more encouraging still is the marked increase in interest in the work and the larger number engaged in it.

New branches are being formed each year, even in the smallest mission parishes and stations, and through the efforts of the Auxiliary a great number of church women are beginning to realize the great object for which the church was established, and to gladly assume their share of the responsibility for its accomplishment.

The most satisfactory advance that has been made this year is the permanent organization of the Junior department. Miss Martha L. Wilson, of Syracuse, has consented to assist in this work, and through her earnest consecrated services it is rapidly gaining in strength and efficiency.

The Church Periodical Club of the Diocese has now twenty-four Librarians and is sending regularly 123 Periodicals.

I have attended District meetings in every District, and have always found increased interest as the result of these meetings. Two Diocesan meetings have been held, one of great interest in October, at Trinity Church, Elmira, at which Bishops Leonard and Talbot were present, and a very helpful business meeting in May at Christ Church, Binghamton. The first general meeting of the Junior Auxiliary was held in connection with the May meeting in Binghamton, addressed by Miss Emery and Miss Jarvis, Secretaries of the Junior work of Connecticut. Gathering new inspiration from the encouraging results of the work of the past year, and looking for wisdom and strength to Him who is more ready to give them than we are to ask, we hope to make even greater progress in the year that lies before us.

EMMA L. KNICKERBOCKER,  
*Diocesan President.*

**(2.) Report of the Secretary.**

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Central New York report work for the year ending May 1st, 1893, as follows:

*First District.*—Amount of money contributed, \$425.58; amount of boxes, \$838.73; total money and boxes, \$1,264.31.

*Second District.*—In money, \$2,890.57; in boxes, \$2,752.04; total, \$5,642.61.

*Third District.*—In money, \$417.38; in boxes, \$894.87; total, \$1,312.25.

*Fourth District.*—In money, \$356.98; in boxes, \$717.25; total, \$1,074.23.

*Fifth District.*—In money, \$254.74; in boxes, \$532.50; total, \$787.24.

*Sixth District.*—In money, \$155.90; in boxes, \$592.82; total, \$748.72.

Grand total, Senior work: money, \$4,501.15; boxes, \$6,828.21; boxes and money, \$10,829.36.

The Junior Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of Central New York report work for year ending May 1st, 1893, as follows:

*Report of the Girls Friendly Society.*

*First District.*—Amount of money contributed, \$77.68; amount in boxes, \$116.20; total in money and boxes, \$193.88.

*Second District.*—In money, \$244.77; in boxes, \$363.05; total, \$607.82.

*Third District.*—In money, \$41.79; in boxes, \$247.50; total, \$289.29.

*Fourth District.*—In money, \$172.70; in boxes, \$111.70; total, \$284.40

*Fifth District.*—In boxes, \$84.80.

*Sixth District.*—In money, \$12.40; in boxes, \$218.66; total, 231.06.

Grand total Junior work: money, \$549.34; boxes, \$1,141.91; money and boxes, \$1,691.25.

Respectfully submitted.

EMMA V. CHITTENDEN.

*Diocesan Secretary.*

**D. Report of the Girls Friendly Society.**

Secretary's Report for the year ending June 1st. 1893.

For unavoidable reasons no report of the Girls Friendly Society was sent to the Convention last year. One was written, however, and I doubt not has been received by all the Clergy and others interested throughout the Diocese. The work this last year has been well done by those who worked. Societies do not live or grow without constant, untiring care, and in the instances where no care has been given, death has been the natural result.

In two branches work has been suspended, I trust soon to be renewed; in one or two others the interest is not as great as it should be. Unless the Secretary and her assistants feel that the work is necessary, or if they are easily discouraged after undertaking it, they must not be surprised, nor blame the members if interest wanes, and the attendance lessens.

Our statistics at present are as follows:

	March 1893,	1892.
Honorary Associates.....	92	108
Working Associates.....	61	76
Members.....	350	332
Candidates.....	257	269

The decrease is owing to the Branches before mentioned, who suspended their work. Each living Branch has increased its membership.

We have met with a great loss in the death of Miss Townsend, our General Secretary, the second death in three years of the same office. Mrs. Johnson was so identified with the Society, having been associated with it from its beginning, in America, that it seemed for a long time as though we could not do our work without her. Miss Townsend's term of office was a short one, only eighteen months, but it was long enough to have made an impression that will not soon be effaced. She was eminently fitted for the position to which she had been chosen; her conscientious attention to details teaches a lesson it would be well for all to follow in these days of hurry, in which anything that will pass is "good enough." Nothing appeared to her too trifling to be of importance, and in all her church work, for she was associated with many societies, her exactness, promptness and faithfulness were manifest to all who were associated with her. The world contains but few such women, and we shall sorely miss her. Our regrets are for ourselves, for her, surely "the end is peace."

I must again plead for the Girls Friendly Society, for we have so few Branches. In all parishes there are societies for girls, but none that take the place of the Girls Friendly Society. The longer I do its work the more impressed I become with the necessity for it. The world has run riot in its effort to make all things equal, a question that cannot be discussed here, but we can think of our work as an opportunity for ourselves, as well as for our girl friends, to learn that spirit of true Christian forbearance, each one yield-



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ing for the sake of the other, which is the only principle on which peace and harmony can rest. As soon as we begin to demand something as our right, just so soon dissension comes. It is only when we learn to give that our abilities increase, and our hearts grow larger. We can do more because we love more.

There is much talk about the barriers that separate rich and poor, employers and employed, and it seems to me that the Girls Friendly Society is a point of union between them, where from knowledge gained on one side, wrongs may be righted, and from the other, difficult problems come to be better understood, and mutual confidence is restored.

If more were better informed on this subject I am sure that we should never again report so few Branches as now. One way to spread the interest is to find a lady in each parish who is willing to become an unattached working associate. She would not be expected to start a Branch, but she would promise to use the Girls Friendly prayer daily, pay one dollar a year, and should a girl from another place be commended to her care, the associate would visit her and give a friendly greeting. This is not much to ask, and no parish is so poor in church workers as to be unable to find one woman willing to do this small amount of work.

Members from other countries come to us occasionally and we would esteem it a great favor if the clergy when they receive the name and address of such members, would kindly visit them, and ask some lady parishioner to do the same. We send our promises of friendliness to the old country, but do not always fulfil the obligation thus assumed.

One great difficulty in either starting or maintaining this work is a feeling that so many people have that it is no more their duty than some one's else, blaming the lax, but setting no better example of faithfulness themselves. It is hard for one to work alone, but a work will never die under one person's care, if that one is interested and reliable.

One Branch in this Diocese gives a fair example of what can be done under trying circumstances. With seventy members, eighty candidates, and only three out of seven associates able to do any work during the winter, they did their best, taking such chance assistance as they could find to hold the meetings and teach the classes. They succeeded of course, such faithfulness always bears fruit, but the associates were severely handicapped, and but for the feeling that it was their duty to do what they could, the work would have died out long ago.

This reluctance to do a little is one form of a selfishness that at another time shows an unwillingness to help others from its own experience. It gives as excuse, "You should not let your right hand know what your left hand does," and again, "Our Branch is so young, you know things so much better than we do," etc. One is not impressed with either the piety, or the humility of such remarks, but can see only the selfishness that is not willing to do one thing outside its own circle to help others. We all struggle on, succeeding sometimes, failing often, and the interchange of ideas by associates must prove helpful, as it brings them in closer sympathy of interest in a common work, teaching through varied experience how best to avoid mistakes, and giving fresh courage and inspiration for new efforts. It is impossible to see a large and growing Branch without being able to learn something from its methods of work. A little less for ourselves, and more for the sake of others would greatly advance the cause of the Girls Friendly Society, and also help to answer some of the numerous criticisms that reach our ears.

There are those who would have more faith in the reality of our work if we allowed less amusement at the meetings. It is not considered sufficient for our girls to have worked ten or twelve hours in shop or factory, but in the evening also, hard work must supersede pleasure. I firmly believe in useful things. A woman can have no higher vocation than to live the life planned for her by her Maker, and no matter where she is placed socially, she should be taught, and well taught, all the useful arts, whether she expects to put her knowledge to practical use or not. Ignorance in these matters is inexcusable

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se who occupy what are called the higher walks of life. It may be only when, as in the case of some of our girls, they are sent directly factory from school.

Girls Friendly Society with almost no exception, provides for instruction in sewing, cooking and all branches of household wisdom, aiming at the same time to make the lessons attractive, and to impress upon the minds of the girls, that all necessary work is ennobled by being done for the glory of God and in the best manner possible. All work is honorable if it is well done and nothing is really degrading but sin.

While our physical nature demands much care and attention, we have no right to spend all our time upon it, letting our intellectual nature take care of itself.

Brain power is not given exclusively to the rich, and while for many the workers themselves are not responsible for the lack of intellectual culture, those who have more time and opportunity, certainly are. It is our duty and should be our pleasure, to see that the natural gifts of our girls are given opportunity to develop, and if there are no special gifts, a certain amount of instruction in history, literature and other branches of knowledge should be provided. Right knowledge is a great power for good; wrong ignorance a dangerous power for evil. We have no more right to let these girls be satisfied with their amount of knowledge than we have to be satisfied with our own amount of ignorance.

Their need is recognized and provided for by the Girls Friendly Society, and we are criticized in having classes for apparently useless things, we need not be troubled, for we know better than others how far the instruction is true and useful. The opinion of those outside the work is worth considering only so far as it makes us look within ourselves or the Society to discover if there be truth in what they say; if there be let us mend the error, if not, pass it by. Life is too short to waste any of it upon trifles.

We also realize the need of healthy amusements. Is there any reason for the idleness which makes life "all work and no play" for one-half the community, and "all play and no work" for the other? If it is right for the son of the more fortunate to dance and play, why is it wrong for the daughter to do the same? Human nature is one great common fact, and its needs are common too. Temptations are common, sins are common; there are no special classes. Extravagance is not confined to the rich; the sins of the body are not confined to the poor. Remembering this, our sympathies grow broader and by providing for the healthful recreation of the girls, we often find an opportunity to help them in the trials and perplexities of their lives. Friendliness, however, is not solely of the kind that gives. We must be ready to receive. The girls have much in their experience of life to give and we should strive as humbly to learn our lessons as we earnestly and fully desire them to learn theirs. The help is mutual; each for the other, all for God.

The whole subject is so near my heart that to keep silence would be impossible, and yet I fear to weary you with repetitions. Think the work over, ask for information where you need it; try to realize the importance of it even if you cannot do much. believe that a little faithful, earnest work in any part may be perhaps the seed sown which shall yield an abundant harvest. As has been said, "I expect to pass through this life but once. If there is any kindness, or any good thing I can do for my fellow beings, let me do it now; I shall pass this way but once."

JULIA L. SCHULTE,  
*Diocesan Secretary G. F. S. in C. N. Y.*

*Report on Christian Education.***E. Report on Christian Education.***Bishop and Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:*

The brethren of the clergy and laity here assembled in Convention, recognizing the importance of Christian knowledge, have received reports from a committee appointed each year to represent the Church's interest in and provision for religious education. Not any subject of discussion has received more attention from the clergy in our Conventions or has been attended with more serious regard by the laity. As in every age of the Church's history this subject has been viewed by thoughtful men so at this time education claims as much attention as any other subject lying close to the heart of the civilized and Christian man. And in no previous year has education enlisted more the anxious thought of men.

It has been noticeable to the Christian observer, especially to him who denominates himself the churchman, that in the recent discussions, as in the latter legislation, on education, there has been little or no change in the import of the word from the arguments of previous centuries. Indeed in all of the discussions, excepting when it is definitely confined to the Church idea, education seems to exclude religion altogether, calculated to signify instruction, culture, science, and esthetic and philosophical accomplishment, and distinct entirely from religious and moral education; and when the subject of religion is introduced in connection with education it is accepted by educators in general with their limitations, ignoring the spiritual process by which divine truth is communicated to the mind and engrafted upon the soul, and with the reservation that education does not necessarily imply religious belief, or special moral guidance, or faith in God, and that an educated person may be interested in every form of art, all departments of science, in each and all races and histories, in commerce, and economics, and mechanics, and yet be positively lacking of any clear understanding of the Sacred Scriptures, of the great souls through whom the divine message came, and of any mystical union with Him who is the central Person of history as He is forever the Saviour of mankind. To the technically educated man, religion is relegated to a superstition, faith to an outworn creed, and revealed truth to the childhood of the race. And yet, at the same time, when did those who are in the care of souls, who serve at the altar, and who direct the Church, when did God's ministers ever hear from secular thinkers more earnest and impassioned descriptions of the importance and benefit of education? And when did the clergy hear such dogmatic utterances that upon the school and university depend the virtue, happiness, security, safety and destiny of mankind? It is apparent that a great movement underlies the realm of human opinion to pervert not only the active mass of men but those who have charge of the educational work of the world, a movement that would fain sweep into the region of unfaith the whole system of education, and out of the jurisdiction of the Church the educational institutions of Christendom.

But there should be a return, and there shall be, to a wiser education that takes pride in the old and living faith of the Church Catechism and the Bible, that rejoices in the spirit of life underlying both religion and science, and when the university and the school are to be "sanctified by the word of God and prayer." It should be, and it shall be, because it must be.

Already there are signs of wisdom among those who are called educators, who see with alarm that an education without religion must necessarily be "without God and without hope in the world," without an ethical and personal Guide and an Almighty Protector, and therefore without moral strength or restraint, and that education without religion tends to vice in the soul and crime in society. And they see also that religious education means the redemption and sanctification of the human reason by God's Revelation of Truth, so that the intellect, apprehending divine law and judging of and appropriating its spiritual content, obeys God's commandments, and becomes a participant

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l's purposes, and advocates moral truth and the religious life and moral  
ter and immortal goodness, and that education upreared upon a sub-  
are negligent of revealed truth and the Christian spirit and life becomes  
per and a menace to every good work of men, to every institution, human  
vine, and is a positive agency of wrong and a satanic alliance fearful in  
in and destructive and hellish in its intent. All civil crimes coming  
the jurisdiction of court and justice may be governed by a resident  
in the statutes of each State, sustained by the self-preserving instinct  
iety, when society itself has become iniquitous; but there may come a  
when even a nation loses its faculty of moral discrimination, and subsides  
moral death, when with the sense of equity departed there can be no  
ance of law or right, of holiness or the one Holy Being.

cation as designed by the constitution of the Christian Church contem-  
a system of instruction educating from human nature the moral and  
tal being. By such an education alone can men be taught to know the  
that shall make man free, to judge between the rule of right and the  
of wrong, to "search the Scriptures that in and through them they may  
eternal life," and "to prove all things and to hold fast of" the

By the religious education of the Christian Church, which brings into  
the inner and moral man and immortal being, there is revealed the law  
erty, and the rule of righteousness and the force of love that fulfils all  
f truth and good, and the spirit of the Father in Heaven. By the light  
alightens all men coming into the world there is seen the one and solitary  
rd of good, the will of the Holy God. The only course of study by  
men upon the earth can know the law of heaven and the moral and  
tal man can learn of the all-wise and Holy God is that of the Sacred  
ures of the Old and New Testaments. By the study of the Bible in the  
n we get a rule of judgment, a standard of conduct, fixed as the Truth  
l, immutable as His will, whose line of rectitude is without variation or  
inspiring the mind with the awful vision of Him who sits within the  
id is clothed with Eternal Light.

Church contemplates good in its deepest, highest and purest form, as it  
vil in its worst spirit, by the law of heaven and the holiness of God.  
vert wrongs of which all governments take cognizance would not be  
crimes, and would not be counteracted by the statutes of every human  
, if it were not for earlier revelations of the moral law, and the special  
lence of the Almighty Lawgiver, embodied in their traditions, literature,  
actments, and held in common law and respected by the universal judg-  
and common sense of society. But the profounder evils considered by  
gh moralist, the Christian, and the saint, lie potentially in the human  
to come into exercise and execution by education, culture and refinement.  
st these evils there is no statutory law, and would be no antagonism, if  
ion were only natural, or secular, and never Christian and not religious,  
the moral man recognized no law of heaven and the immortal man  
ot new-born of the spirit of the living and holy God.

re should be no confusion of ideas upon this important question of  
us education. The Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the  
itative instruction because they are the Word of God. They embody  
essage to the Church and to all mankind. And the Bible contains the  
God. All of the subordinate questions of the genuineness and authen-  
of the several books of the Bible are not necessary to the salvation of  
ul. For the mental satisfaction of the student or teacher the Church  
ines these lesser matters. But the Bible contains truths distinct from  
truths, that have a different effect from other forms of knowledge,  
truths, "hidden from the prudent" and worldly-wise, and "revealed"  
ften to the childlike mind, which are "the power of God unto salvation  
y one that believeth." While other truths have never eradicated or  
ombated a vice, and other education has contributed to the crimes of  
s, and fostered every newer and deeper form of sin, the truth of the

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Bible has sown the seed of heavenly grace in every age, has planted more virtues in every Christian society, and nurtured all gradations of Christian life, from the lowest and newly-born into the Kingdom of God to the highest and purest saints and martyrs, the apostles and angels, of the Churches of the first and last year, who furnish the triumphant and heroic ideals and give direction to the militant life of Christ's Church throughout the world.

It is necessary that education should have a moral influence, and it is absurd to suppose that knowledge, not religious, can exert any other effect than that contained within its forms. To train the young in virtue, to discipline the passions and inspire benevolent sentiments in the youth, to develop traits of manhood and womanly graces, to direct the conscience to the absolute and holy law, centralizing all intelligences, and to compel obedience to and reverence for the Creator, Preserver, and Father of all mankind, shall we confine all school instruction to physical and natural subjects, to the recognized curriculum of the secular schools? Or shall we be more exact in our science and truer in our art, moral and religious, and expect such results only from forms of thought and methods of discipline containing the holiest causes? God must be in all our thoughts and in all our ways, in idea and in discipline, if we would build up a Christian society. While religious education is a necessity it does not come necessarily, but voluntarily by the submissive minds and obedient wills of those who live close to the mind of God, who think after Him His thoughts, and express His revealed will and communicate His message.

Moreover, it is not only necessary in religious education to promulgate divine truth in order to produce divine results, to describe moral goodness in order to accomplish moral effects in character, but to educate mankind in Christian truth it is essential that men who teach shall instruct not "as man's wisdom teacheth," but "as the Holy Ghost teacheth," comparing the "spiritual things of God" as causes with the spiritual effects that are expected. It is believed that the Christian Church "has received not the spirit of the world but the spirit which is of God." It is also believed that the natural man has received not the things of the Spirit of God. It is moreover believed that men cannot know the things of God, and cannot receive the things of God, cannot be taught in Divine truth, unless both those who teach and hear are moved immediately by the Holy Spirit of God.

There have been times probably in the memory of those who hear this report when it would have seemed an utterance of commonplace truisms to have given expression to these statements, when every educated person was supposed to know that upon the truth of God's word in the Sacred Scriptures depended all other truth; and that to be a teacher in or out of the Church the essential requirement was that in order to influence for a good, a moral or a religious life he should realize the whole system of Divine truth and have it embodied in his experience, he should have a living knowledge of God that he might know of the works of God. But, since we have come upon other days, and find ourselves among another class of minds who instruct "as man's wisdom teacheth" and "who knoweth nothing of the things of God or of God, it is essential that these first principles be stated, and not only stated but argued and emphasized. The reason is that educators have become indifferent to the natural conditions of the mind and heart of men and do not know that men as they come into this world are spiritually ignorant and morally dormant, and in that condition are not only indifferent to moral truth but hostile to it, and that to be educated merely in physics, or natural science, or literature, is to pervert the sources of humanity and reverence and to make them worse, to endanger society and subvert the Church, to overthrow every civilized State, and to make nugatory every sacred tie of love and destroy not only the Christian but the natural home. Strengthened every mental power by education the natural man hates the light more and more, and will not only not come to it that his own deeds may be reprove but he would compel every Christian teacher to leave the University, to vacate the college chair, and remove from public and private schools if he can eve



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Christian instructor of the children, and secularize upon materialistic bases the whole scheme of instruction. Nor would he end here, but would organize upon his own negative and destructive plan and motive the higher education in science, in art, in literature, in morals, refashioning the knowledge, the philosophy, the thoughts and logic of Christian men, and reestablishing society upon the negative of every Divine truth would reorganize the reasoning of men upon the denial that there is "Spirit in man," and that "the inspiration of the Almighty" alone "giveth him understanding."

We return to the old foundations, and express the conviction that the Christian Church as an institution has for its object the education of mankind "in the things of God." The being of God, His Providence, and His relation to every soul, His special revelation of moral and redemptive truth, the Sacred Scriptures that bear the record of what holy men spoke who were moved by the Holy Ghost—this all intends to present a redeeming and sanctifying purpose. All history is subordinate to this truth, as is all human conduct, all knowledge, all creation, and all destinies and all souls.

We have in our Lord Jesus Christ a personal example of the Divine law and the holiness of God. God communicates sanctification to man only by and through our Lord Jesus Christ. Had it not been for these old foundations where would have been the schools of any Christian land?

Those who view education rightly, as the process by which immortality is brought to light in the soul and moral power is produced in the reason and the will, can never look upon the Christian truth as any other than supreme and absolute, and will not allow the Sacred Scriptures, with its highest and holiest message ever given to man, to be placed in any comparative category of records, books or traditions of the ethnic religions: its Central Person as one of many saviours of the race: its Church as one of the religious institutions rising spontaneously out of the generations of mankind. They will see that a religious education, truly conceived, is quite distinct from that directed through popular impulse towards the union of sects or religious bodies of men and women, through intellectual interest in the history of religions, through scientific desire to trace the unity of faith in the diverse forms of natural worship, through philosophical research in the transcendental truths and ideals of human good possessing the souls of men in all ages, all of which by some are now made a substitute for true culture in religion, in clubs, societies and associations, conventions, national congresses and international parliaments. They will observe this all as an interesting phenomenon, however mighty in its sweep, majestic in its grandeur, and prodigious in power, natural to this period of thought and action and faithful to the broadening instincts of a combined religious and world culture. But those who are true to the Church of Christ, to the teachings of the Apostles, and are in the unity of the Faith once for all committed to the Saints in Christ Jesus, will remain firm in their integrity to the supernatural spirit of the Gospel, and be unmoved by any outflowing or inflowing tide natural, secular or worldly, by any rise of thought or fall of faith.

This work of religious education will never be done by the world, by men of the world, by the politician, by the school-committee man, by the normal school man or woman—it will never be done by the parent, by the Sunday School teacher, by the minister produced by the secular school, or the modern University or professional school, unless the parent, or teacher, or minister, or man or woman is made alive in Christ Jesus, "born not of the will of the world," or the mind of the world, or "of the will of man," but by the will of God.

It is commended that the Church make no alliance with any secular method of education: that the priest of God endeavor to be to every child under his care the Godly parent that he may reprove the world of sin, that he may cultivate in righteousness, that he may "sanctify to God a peculiar people zealous in good works." While the law of God is not taught in the homes and prayer is not uttered by the fathers, the priest of God must be to every family and to

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families in his cure, the father-in-God, training up the children "in the love and admonition of the Lord:" that he see that the truths of God are realized in personal experience, and the children are moved from within the heart, and born by a moral renewal of holiness, so that in maturity they may set the tone of their generation, and purify by Godly living the domestic life and the social morals of their time.

Let the priesthood realize the fact that they are the true educators, and let the parish should be the school district and the Church the school, and if possible to control the education of every child in the parish. If this were done in every Church and in every parish then our Diocesan Schools would be strong in numbers and large in all equipment and influence, mighty in the work of God. Then there would be no need of a Sunday School when every day and all days were consecrated to the duty of teaching diligently to the children the precepts, commandments, laws and truths and ways of God. If this work of the Church were done by Christians, as it was by the Jews, on this our day, there would be no necessity for any University extension scheme, for the simple truths of God, uttered by the devout lips, and through the reverent reason of Godly men, would prevail over all schemes of thought, all man-made methods and ambitious and wordly designs, rendering life more simple and pure and sweet, and so sanctifying the tastes and desires that men and women would want to hear less "what man's wisdom teacheth," and more and more to know what the Holy Ghost doth say. This would be the extension of the Church, which is the truest University, being "the body of Him who filleth all in all," to its normal place, and right, and privilege and duty.

From the nature of this treatment of education, in accordance with the transcendental and purely Christian standard, it may be thought impracticable, and in no wise desirable and popular with either the educator or the man or woman of the world, and calculated to make the youth unfit for success in any department of life. Yet this is the course our thought must take, for "this is the will of God even your sanctification." Far off we now are from this great consummation. Nevertheless the end, "the coming of the Lord, draweth nigh," not in our way by concessions to practical utilities or sentimentalities, but by loyalty to the high import of our calling of God in Christ Jesus. With God "one day is as a thousand years and a thousand years as one day," and we are not to count the days or the years, but "to stand and having done all to stand," believing that it is the best to be true to the Faith, and better to be found faithful than to yield the pure gold of Truth to any worldly alloy, to bring God's Eternal Truth down into the commerce and upon the market of any day of trade.

CHARLES H. TINDELL,  
W. B. COLEMAN, JR.,  
O. H. BOGARDUS.

H. Treasurer of the Diocese.

SYRACUSE, C. N. Y., June, 1893.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

The Treasurer of the Diocese herewith submits this his Twenty-fifth Annual Report.

Appended is a detailed statement showing amount and sources of receipts and amount and object of disbursements.

The largest sum received and expended for any one object is that for Missions within the Diocese. Explicit details as to receipts and expenditures under this head for the past Conventional year, are given by the Treasurer of the Diocese as Treasurer of the Board of Managers, under six different

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Divisions as required by Canon X, as revised and adopted at the last Convention.

The Treasurer reports, as he has heretofore reported, that many parishes are delinquent in the payment of their assessments for the General Fund. A table showing the amounts assessed, the amounts paid and the amount of arrearages has been prepared and is subject to the order of the Convention.

There are also arrearages due from assessments on account of Bishop's Chaplain Fund. The last monthly payment due and paid on this account had to be borrowed from other funds in the hands of the Treasurer. The assessments for this object are levied upon the parishes by the Deans of the respective Districts after being notified by the Standing Committee of the amount apportioned to them to raise in their respective jurisdictions. The monthly reports published in the *Gospel Messenger* show the payments made thereon, so that each such officer can ascertain as to the amounts paid and by what parish, and thus keep informed as to the condition of their apportionments monthly.

The accounts of the Treasurer have been examined by the Committee appointed by the Convention, who will submit their report thereon during the session.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Treasurer.*

GEORGE J. GARDNER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE DIOCESE OF CENTRAL NEW YORK.

RECEIPTS.

	Dr.
To balance from former report April 30, 1892, . . . . .	\$ 2,563 31
To amount received from May 1, 1892, to April 30, 1893, as follows, viz.:	
FOR OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:	
<i>Diocesan Missions:</i>	
Received from Parishes, Mission Stations, Sunday Schools and District Convocations to October 1, 1893, . . . . .	\$ 3,340 27
Received from District Convocations from October 1, 1892, to April 30, 1893, viz.:	
First District . . . . .	855 97
Second District . . . . .	1,264 76
Third District . . . . .	1,271 36
Fourth District . . . . .	1,099 01
Fifth District . . . . .	756 99
Sixth District . . . . .	586 42
Income Permanent Missionary Fund . . . . .	914 57
Van Wageningen Fund . . . . .	325 00
Branch Woman's Auxiliary, 1st District, \$15.50; 2d District, \$29.66; 4th District, \$111.35; 5th District, \$3.40 . . . . .	159 91
Amount received through Bishop's Chaplain . . . . .	55 00
Amount refunded by Missionary . . . . .	33 33
Royalty on Church Identified, W. D. W. . . . .	12 75
"Anonymous," \$5; N. F. W., \$5, . . . . .	10 00
E. T. G. and S. A. G. . . . .	2 50
	<hr/> \$10,687 84



*Treasurer of the Diocese : Receipts.**General Fund :*

From Assessments on Parishes as per Canon ..... \$ 1,688 86

*Bishop's Chaplain Fund :*

From Assessments on Parishes..... \$ 1,285 26

*St. Andrew's Divinity School :*

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Moss.....	\$ 125 00	
William Marvin.....	100 00	
Income DeLancey Fund .....	184 84	
Income Daboll Fund.....	111 66	
Amount through Bishop .....	116 04	
E. T. G. and S. A. G., \$2; "Anonymous," \$1,.....	3 00	
From Parishes .....	489 88	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,079 92

*Episcopate Fund :*

Income of Permanent Fund from Trustees.....	\$ 4,368 52	
From Parishes.....	248 66	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,617 18

*Church Society Deaf Mutes :*

Amount received at Convention .....	\$ 25 00	
L. I. C., \$5; Parishes, \$142.86.....	147 86	
	<hr/>	\$ 172 86

*Central New York Bible and Prayer Book Society :*

E. T. G. and S. A. G., \$2; Rev. A. G., \$1; Parishes, \$65.75 .....	\$ 68 75
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*Onondaga Indian Mission :*

Branch Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$ 382 56	
From Parishes.....	54 05	
	<hr/>	\$ 386 61

*Miscellaneous :*

Bishop's Relief Fund, from Parishes.....	\$ 18 52	
Mission at Swartwood, H. O. M., \$10; Parishes, \$46.50.	56 50	
Church Building Fund, E. T. G. and S. A. G., \$3; Parishes, \$79.39.....	85 39	
House Good Shepherd, Syracuse, E. T. G. and S. A. G., \$2; Parishes, \$3.83,.....	5 83	
Auburn City Hospital, St. Peter's, Auburn.....	\$ 60 00	
Shelter for Homeless Girls, Grace, Syracuse, .....	2 83	
	<hr/>	\$ 220

**FOR OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:***Domestic Missions :*

Parishes, Mission Stations and Sunday Schools .....	\$ 1,743 88	
Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Moss .....	175 00	
Branch Woman's Auxiliary.....	20 00	
Rev. A. G.....	5 00	
E. T. G. and S. A. G.....	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,945 88

*Treasurer of the Diocese : Disbursements.*

*Foreign Missions :*

ishes, Mission Stations and Sunday Schools .....	\$	759	88
nch Woman's Auxiliary .....		20	20
. A. G., \$2; E. T. G. and S. A. G., \$2, .....		4	00
	—	\$	784 08

*Miscellaneous :*

erican Church Building Fund, Parishes .....	\$	128	22
version of Jews, Parishes .....		103	10
ety Increase of Ministry .....		104	00
dry Bishop's B. W. A. and Parishes ...		80	00
Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society, Individuals and Parishes .....		55	82
gy Relief Fund, Parishes .....		49	83
. Buford's work, Oxford .....		10	00
urch Temperance Society, Holy Cross, Utica, .....		3	00
shotah, Oxford .....		5	00
Saints' Church, Saginaw, Oxford .....		5	00
	—	\$	543 97

Total Amount of Receipts ..... \$26,003 34

DISBURSEMENTS.

OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:

*Diocesan Missions :*

d drafts of Financial Secretary for, Quarterly Stipends to October 1, 1892, and Bishop's Orders ..	\$	4,964	59
d drafts of District Treasurers from October 1, 1892, to April 30, 1893, viz. :			
District No. 1 .....	\$	640	97
District No. 2 .....		964	56
District No. 3 .....		537	50
District No. 4 .....		747	49
District No. 5 .....		683	33
District No. 6 .....		907	66
	—	\$4,481	51
d on account of Van Wageningen Fund .....		325	00
velopes for Parishes .....		82	38
nting on account of Canon X .....		19	25
stage for the year .....		6	00
erest on temporary loans .....		45	00
	—	\$	9,873 73

*General Fund :*

d Rent of Episcopal Residence .....	\$	600	00
d Printing Journal of Convention .....		331	29
d appropriation to Clerical Delegates to General Convention .....		250	00
d Bishop's expenses as per resolution of Convention,		300	00
d per capita tax General Convention .....		327	00
d Assistant Secretary as per resolution of Convention		50	00
d L. C. Childs & Son, Utica, printing .....		16	25
d expenses of Standing Committee ..		9	50
d Masters & Stone, printing .....		4	25
d postage, collection and stationery for year .....		14	25
	—	\$	1,902 54

*Christmas Fund : Report of the Trustees.**Miscellaneous :*

Paid Bishop on account of Episcopate Fund .....	\$ 4,500 00	
Paid Bishop's Orders, St. Andrew's Divinity School....	1,183 37	
Paid Rev. J. M. Clarke, D.D., Bishop's Chaplain .....	1,333 36	
Paid Rev. John Scott, Onondaga Indian Mission .....	386 61	
Paid Rev. Mr. Dantzer on account of Deaf Mutes.....	212 02	
Paid Auburn City Hospital.....	60 00	
Paid Mission at Swartwood .....	52 50	
Paid Bishop's Relief Fund .....	18 52	
Paid House of Good Shepherd.....	16 83	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,763 21

## FOR OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:

Paid Treasurer Domestic and Foreign Missions .....	\$ 2,767 01	
Paid Treasurer Society Conversion of Jews ..	236 29	
Paid Society Increase of Ministry .....	102 00	
Paid Bishops Tuttle and Brewer .....	75 00	
Paid Treasurer N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society ..	30 00	
Paid Treasurer American Church Building Society ....	26 00	
Paid Nashotah Seminary ..	20 00	
Paid for Russian Relief Fund ..	10 00	
Paid for Mrs. Buford's work ..	10 00	
Paid Clergy Relief Fund .....	8 58	
Paid Trinity Church, Geneva, \$2; Church Temperance Society, \$3 .....	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,289 <del>28</del>
Balance to new account .....		3,174 <del>18</del>
		<hr/>
		\$26,003 <del>54</del>

GEORGE J. GARDNER,

*Treasurer of Diocese.*

Central New York, May 1, 1893.

**G. Christmas Fund.****(1.) Report of the Trustees.**

SYRACUSE., C. N. Y., May 1, 1893.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York, herewith submit their Annual Report:

The statement of receipts and expenditures as embraced in the Treasurer's account is hereto appended.

The names of nine widows and two disabled clergymen still stand upon the list of stipendiaries and one additional clergyman has received temporary relief on the order of the Bishop.

The detailed account of receipts and expenditures has been examined by the committee appointed by the Convention for that purpose and found correct and the securities of the Permanent Fund good and ample for the loans made therein, all of which will be submitted to you during the session of the Convention.

During the past year one of the trustees, Mr. Robert F. H. Ledyard has died.

*Episcopate Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

It is therefore necessary that you nominate a person to fill the vacancy for the unexpired portion of the term, also to nominate a trustee to hold office for five years in the place of William S. Andrews, whose term expires at the close of this Annual Convention.

Respectfully submitted in behalf of the Board.

J. DEAN HAWLEY, *President.*

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

(2.) Report of the Treasurer.

GEORGE J. GARDNER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CHRISTMAS FUND.  
1892. Dr.

May 1893.	1, To balance from former report.....	\$2,132 49
April 30,	To Interest on Permanent Fund and Deposits..	\$ 590 57
	To 10% Communion Alms .....	17 26
	To Amount of Christmas Offerings from Parishes and Mission Stations.....	1,162 66
		<u>\$1,770 49</u>
		\$3,902 98

1892,	Cr.	
July	1, By paid Stipends two clergy.....	\$ 200 00
Oct. 1893.	1, By paid Stipends nine widows.....	575 00
Jany.	1, By paid Stipends three clergy.....	225 00
Apr.	1, By paid Stipends nine widows .....	575 00
	30, By balance to new account.....	2,327 98
		<u>\$3,902 98</u>

Amount of Permanent Fund, \$12,200.

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Treasurer.*

SYRACUSE, MAY 1, 1893,

B. Episcopate Fund.

To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:

The Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate respectfully submit their annual report to May 1st, 1893, as follows:

Cash Receipts to the Principal:

1892.		
May	1, Balance on deposit in bank.....	\$ 54 32
	Deposit in Savings Bank of Utica.....	250 00
June	1, James Doyle, Jr. payment Richards mortgage .....	3,500 00
Oct.	18, James A. Barker, account Oppenheim farm.....	50 00
Nov.	2, J. T. Montross, account mortgage .....	500 00
Dec.	9, Mrs. Peter Hoffman, account mortgage.....	100 00
	16, Thos. S. Geary, account Hopkins mortgage.....	1,000 00
1893.		
April 26,	James A. Barker, account farm contract .....	50 00
		<u>\$5,504 32</u>

*Episcopate Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

## Disbursements:

1892.

July 13, Purchase Thos. Cogley mortgage.....\$ 800 00  
 Oct. 19, Invested in Thos. Srama mortgage..... 1,200 00

1893.

March 1, Invested in E. S. Francis mortgage..... 3,450 00  
 May 1, Deposit in Savings Bank of Utica..... 54 32  
 \$5,504 32

The Principal of the Fund is now invested as follows:

Bonds and Mortgages at 6 per cent interest.....\$51,100 00  
 " " 5½ " " ..... 6,000 00  
 " " 5 " " ..... 18,000 00  
 Contract for sale of Oppenheim farm ..... 65 00  
 Six shares preferred stock St. Paul and Duluth R. R. .... 60 00  
 Deposit Jefferson County Savings Bank, 4 per cent ..... 10 00  
 " Savings Bank of Utica, 3½ per cent ..... 54 32  
 \$76,504 32

## Receipts to Income Account:

1893.

April 30, Interest collected on securities.....\$ 4,382 84

## Disbursements:

1892.

July 13, Accrued interest on Cogley mortgage.....\$ 9 07  
 Oneida County Clerk, recording assignment mortgage .. 75  
 Oct. 19, " " " Srama mortgage..... 00  
 July 30, G. J. Gardner, Treasurer, for Bishop's Salary..... 1,356 68  
 Oct. 31, do. do. .... 92 00  
 1893.  
 Feb. 2, do. do. .... 1,07 00  
 April 30, do. do. .... 1,01 84  
 L. C. Childs and Co. receipt book. .... 50  
 \$4,382 84

No changes have been made in the investments of the DeLancey Fund.  
 remains invested as follows:

W. D. Sperry bond and mortgage .....\$ 600 00  
 B. A. Clark, " " in part ..... 1,000 00  
 A. M. Barnes, " " ..... 1,000 00  
 \$2,600 00

The interest thereon, \$156.80, has been duly collected and paid to Bishop.

Respectfully submitted,

ALEXANDER T. GOODWIN,  
 E. CHAMBERLAIN,  
 GEORGE M. WEAVER,  
 B. R. ROBSON.

May 1st, 1893.

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

**I. Parochial Fund.**

*The Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund report as follows for the year ending  
y 1, 1893:

The amount of the Permanent Missionary Fund, \$20,453.93, is invested as  
ows:

First mortgages on improved real estate in the city of  
Syracuse, of

E. Foreman.....	\$ 2,000 00	
G. Hall .....	686 05	
J. Duplessis .....	2,000 00	
American Dairy Salt Company.....	4,000 00	
A. Van Deusen.....	700 00	
Francis La Frenier..	850 00	
George G. Gibson ..	1,000 00	
Amiel Day.....	100 00	
T. Snavlin .....	575 00	
Richardson .....	500 00	
Charles T. Snavlin .....	8,300 00	
Ben M. Keeler .....	1,100 00	
Mary C. Jones.....	600 00	
Michael J. Cuddy .....	650 00	
J. Vehala, Cayuga County .....	150 00	
		\$17,711 05
and contract of C. Hayes .....		1,350 00.
American Express stock .....		200 00
Eight shares Utica City Bank.....		400 00
Don to St. Joseph's Church, Rome, N. Y.....		642 84
On May 1, 1893, in Savings Bank.....		150 04
		<u>\$20,453 93.</u>

The cash transactions for the year, relating to this fund, have been as  
ows:

**Receipts:**

Income interest on mortgages.....	\$ 945 56	
Income interest on water bonds .....	14 00	
Income dividends Utica City Bank .....	24 00	
Income dividends Express stock.....	12 00	
Income dividends Syracuse Savings Bank .....	22 91	
Income interest on C. Hayes contract .....	82 21	
Error from interest Clarke Scholarship Fund .....	19 95	
		<u>\$ 1,120 63</u>
Principal of mortgages.....		100 00.
Principal of water bonds.....		200 00.
On in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1892.....		1,150 04
Total .....		<u>\$ 2,570 67</u>

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

## Payments:

For rent of Safe Deposit box.....	\$	5	00
For fees of Clerk Chemung County .....		1	25
Insurance on Church at Speedsville. N. Y .....		12	00
For insurance on St. Joseph's Church, Rome, N. Y.....		70	00
For insurance on furniture of same.....		10	00
On Treasurer's salary.....		10	00
Postage .....			81
Paid Treasurer of Diocese .....		91	57
Invested in mortgages .....		1.30	00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1893.....		15	04
	\$	2,570	67

*Grace Church, Union Springs, Fund*

Is invested as follows:

## In mortgages:

Grace Church, Union Springs.....	\$	208	90
Sidney Shaver .....		500	00
Abigail and J. W. Tallman.....		2,250	00
W. A. Bowman .....		1,100	00
Charity A. Brown.....		600	00
Lafayette Hoff.....		600	00
C. T. Snavlin .....		425	00
Ellen Weaver.....		225	00
Charles T. Snavlin .....		600	00
	\$	6,500	90
New York Central Insurance stock, invoiced at .....		46	20
Curry note .....		20	00
Illinois land, cost .....		67	00
Rectory, cost. ....		2,50	09
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1893.....		23	24
	\$	10,865	04

## Cash transactions for the year:

## Receipts:

From interest on mortgages .....	\$	31	63
From interest on deposit in bank .....		1	83
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1893 .....		79	24
Payment on principal of L. Hoff's mortgage .....		50	00
	\$	1,180	69

## Payments:

To Grace Church .....	\$	81	45
Towards salary of Treasurer .....		20	00
Invested in mortgage C. T. Snavlin .....		600	00
Invested in mortgage Ellen Weaver .....		225	00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank .....		23	24
	\$	1,180	69

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

*Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor, Fund.*

The amount of this fund at date of last report was .....\$17,505 66

Receipts during the year:

From interest on mortgages.....	\$	560	22
From interest on deposit First National Bank ..		85	99
From interest on deposit Syracuse Savings Bank .....		2	46
Total .....	\$	18,154	33

Payments during year:

For salary of Minister of Zion Church.....	\$	600	00
For insurance on Church.....		65	00
Towards Treasurer's salary..		50	00
	\$	715	00

Present amount of Fund \$17,439.33. It is invested as follows:

In mortgages on real property in Syracuse, of

U. T. Snavlin.....	\$	9,725	00
James Cathers.....		3,500	00
Vance Turtelot ....		2,950	00
Martin Yann .....		1,000	00
C. T. Snavlin.....		250	00
Deposited in Syracuse Savings Bank.....		14	33
Total ...	\$	17,439	33

The interest on the following Funds has been collected, and the net amount thereof paid over according to the terms of each trust, as follows:

Jennie McGraw Fisk Fund, \$15,000. Interest \$900, to the credit of Bishop Huntington.

Mary Fitzinger Fund \$1,000. Interest \$60, to the Treasurer of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo, N. Y.

Esther M. Booth Fund, \$1,000. Interest \$60, to the Rector of St. Mark's Church, Candor, N. Y.

Nancy Powell Fund, \$100, interest \$4, and Holland Patent Fund, the gift of Mrs. Mary Wetmore, \$3,000, interest \$150, to the Minister in charge of Church at Holland Patent.

Fenno Tudor Fund, Grace Church. Mt. Upton, N. Y., \$2,500. Interest \$180.04, to said Church, or its Minister. Balance on deposit .08. Principal in mortgages as at last report.

Big Flats Fund, \$908.33. Interest \$46.02, deposited in Savings Bank.

Stacey Fund. \$800. Interest on same and additions from past interest \$46.54. Total of deposited and invested fund \$945.86, being in mortgage \$800, and in Savings Bank \$145.86.

Clarke Scholarship Fund, \$2,000. Interest \$84.83 of which \$39 paid to Oxford Academy, remainder on deposit in Savings Bank.

Daboll Fund, \$2,000. Interest collected and deposited \$30.92, remaining interest on mortgage received from donor of the fund, not yet paid, but secure.



*Van Wageningen Fund : Report of the Trustee.*

The "Wilcox Memorial Fund," \$400, the gift of Mrs. Mary A. Wilcox of Marcy, Oneida County, to be kept invested, and the interest paid toward the support of the Rector of St. Peter's Church at Oriskany, N. Y., was received in July last, and since invested in bond and mortgage of C. T. Snavlin, Syracuse. Interest to January 1, \$6.67 paid, and on deposit in Savings Bank.

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund have received notice from the executors of the will of the late Mrs. Esther Gracie Wheeler, widow of William Lamont Wheeler, formerly of Newport, R. I., of a devise by her of lands in the town of Mannsville, Jefferson County N. Y., upon which are a chapel, chapel-house, and stable, and also of a bequest of \$9,000, both to be held for the uses and purposes of the Church in this Diocese, on condition that the said \$9,000 shall be securely invested, and the income therefrom, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, to be applied as follows: "for the purpose of providing a clergyman, organist and singers to hold service in the above mentioned chapel in Mannsville for at least twelve Sabbaths in the year, to wit, from the first or middle of June to the first or middle of September, for the maintaining and caring for the grounds and flowers," "and also for keeping the chapel and buildings in good order and repair. And it is also a condition of the above bequests that no one shall be buried in the said chapel or grounds" except Mrs. Wheeler. The executors have been notified by the Secretary of the acceptance, by the Trustees, of said devise and bequest.

Successors require to be chosen in the place of Honorable George F. Comstock, who died September 27, 1892, and of William D. Dunning and Hamilton S. White. Esqs., whose term of office will expire September 1st, next, Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

SEYMOUR H. STONE,  
WM. D. DUNNING,  
M. C. COMSTOCK,  
*Trustees.*

ANDREW H. GREEN, *Treasurer.*

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## R. Van Wageningen Fund.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

My annual statement submitted herewith, shows receipts of \$2,300 on account of principal, and \$1,171 39 from interest sources, none of the securities being in default in that respect.

I have not had as good success in keeping funds fully invested as usual, owing to the larger amounts of principal of old loans paid in, just about identical with the balance reported as on hand. Good loans have been very hard to find. The two made during the year, one on farm security of \$800, and the other of \$1,000 on village property, are of that sort, I think, and were considered and approved by the Standing Committee who examined my report.

I bargained verbally for the purchase of a \$1,500 mortgage on an Oxford residence property some weeks ago, sending the assignment thereof to the owner in Montana. I have never been able to hear from either since. Fortunately I retained the cash.

Referring to that part of my report last year which treated of the farm property owned by the Trustee the elements conspired to prevent carrying out the proposed plan of sale. About the time I was ready to proceed, lightning struck the windmill, shattering it and my hopes at the same time.

The invested securities, twenty in number, amount to \$19,650, of which \$6,350 bears 5 per cent. interest, and the remainder 6 per cent.

Oxford, May 15, 1893.

J. R. VAN WAGENEN,  
*Trustee.*

*VanWagenen Fund : Report of the Trustee.*

*The Van Wagenen Missionary Fund of the County of Chenango, in account with JOHN R. VAN WAGENEN, Trustee.*

1892.		Dr.		
July 9,	To lent Walter P. and Evelyn Boname on their bond of date, July 9th, 1892, due in 10 years with 6 per cent interest payable semi-annually, with privilege of paying \$100 and upwards on any interest day, on giving sixty days written notice, with insurance clause.	\$ 1,000 00		
Oct. 6,	To lent J. Burr and Wm. P. Buckley on their bond of this date payable in five years, with 6 per cent. interest payable semi-annually..	800 00		
1893.				
April 26,	To paid to Treasurer of Diocese on his receipt to reimburse him for payments made to the Missionary of McDonough and parts adjacent during a period of thirteen months...	325 00		
May 15,	To Balance of cash on hand at this date.....	2,381 74		
				\$ 4,506 74
1892.		CR		
May 15,	By cash on hand at date of last report .....	\$ 1,035 35		
	By interest payments on loans, viz:			
June 18,	" Martin 6 months.....	\$ 18 00		
July 6,	" Lattin 6 " .....	39 90		
6,	" Cooley 6 " .....	45 00		
9,	" Race 6 " .....	28 50		
11,	" Skillman to date....	16 83		
11,	" " (principal in full) ..		500 00	
11,	" Potter to date....	5 05		
11,	" " (principal in full) ..		150 00	
11,	" " to date....	10 09		
11,	" " (principal in full) ..		300 00	
Aug. 2,	" Fritz 12 months.....	27 50		
2,	" " (principal in part)..		50 00	
Oct. 1,	" Keating 6 months.....	42 50		
3,	" Spence .....	21 00		
17,	" Derrick 6 " .....	19 50		
22,	" Merithew 12 " .....	60 00		
24,	" Barrows 6 " .....	18 00		
31,	" Ireland 12 " .....	40 00		
Dec. 1,	" " (principal in part)..		200 00	
17,	" Race 6 months....	28 50		
17,	" " (principal in part)..		400 00	
20,	" Mastin 6 months.....	18 00		
1893.				
Jan. 7,	" Lattin 6 " .....	39 90		
9,	" Boname 6 " .....	30 00		
20,	" Kelly & Odell 6 " .....	36 00		
24,	" Cooley 6 " .....	45 00		
Feb. 18,	" Lobdell July 1, '92 6 " .....	31 26		
18,	" " Dec. 12, '93 6 " .....	30 36		
Mar. 4,	" Norris 12 " .....	48 00		
30,	" Keating 6 " .....	42 50		
Apr. 4,	" Barrows 6 " .....	18 00		
4,	" Spence 6 " .....	21 00		
4,	" " (principal in full) ..		700 00	
5,	" Brown Dec. 1893 12 months.....	61 00		
6,	" Odell & Kelly 6 " .....	36 00		
12,	" Benedict 12 " .....	100 00		

Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.

Apr. 18,	"	Livermore	12	"	.....	12 00	
27,	"	Derrick	6	"	.....	19 50	
May 1,	"	Buckley	6	"	.....	24 00	
	"	Winsor	Aug. 27, '92	12	"	.....	78 16
	"	Sherwood	Apr. 1, '93	12	"	.....	60 35
							<hr/> \$ 1,171 39
							<hr/> \$ 4,506 74

List of Securities, May 15, 1893.

	to Fund.....	AMOUNT	INTEREST PAID TO.
Charles A. Winsor,	.....	\$ 1,500 00	Aug. 27, 1892
James S. Merithew,	.....	1,000 00	Oct. 22, "
James N. Livermore,	.....	200 00	Nov. 12, "
James B. Brown,	.....	1,000 00	Dec. 1, "
William H. Ireland, (assigned)	.....	600 00	Dec. 1, "
Helen M. Lobdell (assigned)	.....	1,000 00	Dec. 5, "
William D. Cooley,	.....	1,500 00	Dec. 17, "
Richard E. Race,	.....	550 00	Dec. 17, "
Lydia E. Mastin,	.....	600 00	Dec. 19, "
Alonzo Lattin,	.....	1,400 00	Jan. 1, 1893
W. P. and E. Boname,	.....	1,000 00	Jan. 9, "
Kelly & Odell, (assigned)	.....	1,200 00	Jan. 10, "
William Norris,	.....	800 00	Mar. 1, "
Andrew F. Keating, (contract)	.....	1,700 00	Apr. 1, "
H. M. Sherwood,	.....	1,000 00	Apr. 1, "
B. S. Benedict,	.....	2,000 00	Apr. 6, "
J. B. and Wm. P. Buckley,	.....	800 00	Apr. 6, "
Elosia D. Barrows,	.....	600 00	Apr. 18, "
Herman H. Derrick,	.....	650 00	May 1, "
C. and F. W. Fritz, (contract)	.....	550 00	July 29, "
Cash on hand,	.....	2,381 74	
		<hr/> \$22,031 74	

B. Bible and Prayer Book Society.

The Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York begs leave to report as follows:

That the principal fund of the society, amounting to \$3,000, is at present invested as follows:

\$1,000 on bond of John Brown and Louisa Brown, dated February 12, 1876 secured by mortgage of same date upon real estate in the city of Utica, given by said John Brown and Louisa Brown and recorded in the Oneida County, Clerk's office, in book of mortgages No. 217 at page 396, February 14, 1876. That this bond, with the accompanying mortgage, was given originally to secure the payment of \$2,000; that the remaining \$1,000 unpaid bears interest at the rate of six per centum per annum payable semi-annually, and that the interest is paid up to February 14, 1893.

\$1,000 on bond given by Helen F. Baker, bearing date of April 4, 1893, secured by a mortgage upon real estate in the city of Utica, executed by said Helen F. Baker, bearing same date as said bond, and recorded in the Oneida County Clerk's office, April 5, 1893, in book No. 331 of mortgages at page 83. That the interest on this security runs at the rate of six per centum per annum, and is payable semi-annually.

\$1,000 deposited in the Savings Bank of Utica, book No. 73,473, on which the interest accrued and due, amounts to \$41.17.

*Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.*

*Cash Items and Balance.*

1892.  
May  
Sept.  
1893.  
Apr.

RECEIPTS.

1,	Cash on hand, date of last report.....	\$1,150 67
8,	Cash, interest on Brown mortgage .....	30 00
3,	Cash, interest on Brown mortgage .....	30 00
		<hr/> \$ 1,210 67

1892.  
May  
May  
Sept.  
Sept.  
Nov.  
1893.  
Jan.  
Jan.  
Apr.

DISBURSEMENTS.

14,	Cash paid W. T. Smith & Co., Prayer Books	\$36 00
14,	" " W. S. Taylor & Son, Bibles.....	7 80
9,	" " W. T. Smith, Prayer Books. ...	23 30
9,	" " W. S. Taylor & Son, Bibles.....	4 00
17,	" " W. T. Smith & Co., Prayer Books	22 50
25,	" " W. S. Taylor & Son, Bibles.....	26 50
24,	" " W. T. Smith & Co., Prayer Books	25 00
4,	" " Helen F. Baker for bond and mortgage.....	1,000 00
	Balance to new account....	65 57

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\$ 1,210 67

That the outstanding liabilities of the Society, all for Prayer Books and Bibles, amount to \$56.25.

That since our last report, Mr. Thomas W. Seward, for many years a trustee of this society, has died. That in the death of Mr. Seward, the city of Utica lost a good citizen, the Church a loyal son and staunch supporter, and this Society its most useful member.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

P. C. J. DEANGELIS,  
*of the Executive Committee.*

## APPENDIX II.

# PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

## Broome County.

### Binghamton, Christ Church.

THE REV. ROBERT G. QUENNELL, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Tracy R. Morgan, George W. Lester.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 7.....	8	Burials.....	
Confirmed . . . . .	9	Services—Sund. 162, weekd. 14	
Communicants—ad. 9, rec. 2, died		Holy Communion—pub. 85, priv	
5, rem. 3, pres. no . . . . .	382	S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 185	
Marriages.....	13		

#### OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	112 67	Missions—Domestic K. M. bx \$	
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,988 51	Foreign .....	
Sunday School.....	107 21	“ W. A....	
Gifts to Rector... . . . .	125 00	Colored People..	
Parish Aid Society.....	292 03	Indian .....	
Society of Mercy.....	105 27	General Missions, S. S.....	
Choir Guild.....	405 84	Deaf Mutes .....	
Daughters Silver Cross.....	60 00	Increase of the Ministry....	
Diocesan Missions .....	371 05	Bishop Talbot.....	
Diocesan Work, W. A.....	10 00	Bishop Leonard....	
General Fund.....	27 54	Bishop Walker.....	
Christmas Fund.....	32 14	Clerical assistance .....	
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	15 44	Thank Offering, Gen. Conv.	
Testimonial to Dr. Goodrich	25 00	W. A .....	
Bishop's Chaplain.....	87 75	Bishops Talbot and Leonard	
H. G. S. Binghamton.....	515 35	W. A .....	
Onondaga Mission, W. A..	25 00	Junior Auxiliary, W. A....	
Missions—Domestic .....	14 59	Orphanage Shanghai, K. M.	
“ W. A....	11 00	Jun. Aux. Trinity offering.	
“ W. A. bxs	201 05		

Parochial, \$5,196.53; Diocesan, \$1,059.27; General, \$539.62.....\$6,

Church Property—Church, \$75,000; Rectory, \$10,000; Parish House, \$92,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,500. Insurance, \$16,500.

### Binghamton, Trinity Church.

THE REV. W. HENRY PLATT, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—John Anderson, J. K. Welden.

Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 23.....	29	Services—Sund. 105, weekd. 11	
Confirmed .....	16	Holy Communion—pub. 20, pr	
Communicants.....	294	10 .....	
Marriages .....	6	S. S. Teachers and Officers	
Burials .....	19	Scholars 180.....	

Broome County : Binghamton.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 120 96	Gospel Messenger.....	\$ 19 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	6,725 09	N. Y. Mills and Chenango	
Sunday School....	200 90	Forks.....	18 53
Gift to Rector.....	145 00	H. G. S. Binghamton... ..	158 16
King's Daughters.....	91 55	Missions—Domestic.....	58 42
Charity's Aid.....	234 68	“ W. A. bx.	176 78
Sewing School.....	61 00	Foreign.....	59 18
Christmas Tree.....	77 22	Jews ... ..	10 63
Entertainment committee ..	66 77	Deaf Mutes.....	20 00
Other Parochial objects ....	62 00	Theological Education.....	17 08
Diocesan Missions.....	268 90	Bishop Leonard, Utah .. .	87 83
General Fund.....	80 00	Bishop Brewer.....	81 00
Christmas Fund.....	34 28	Bishop Talbot .....	13 00
Bishop's Chaplain.....	25 00	Fresh Air Fund.....	20 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	45 94	Church Building Fund ....	20 00

Parochial, \$7,785.17; Diocesan, \$599.81; General, \$563.92.....\$8,948 90

Church Property—Church, \$15,000; Rectory, \$8,000: \$23,000.

Indebtedness, \$3,800. Insurance, \$9,750.

Binghamton, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. SAMUEL D. DAY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles Franklin Moore, Daniel Lyons.

Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 14....	17	Burials.....	13
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 140, weekd. 160.	300
160, all others 49, rec. 2, rein. 9,		Holy Communion—pub. 101, priv.	
present. no.....	211	16.....	117
Marriages .....	9	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 90....	98

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 14 61	Missions—Domestic.....	\$ 27 60
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,154 17	“ W. A. bxs	70 00
Sunday School .....	57 22	Colored ....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements.	1,200 00	Indian .....	10 00
Vestments. altar.etc.,S. A. G.	230 00	Jews.....	4 00
Diocesan Missions.....	45 00	Increase of the Ministry,	10 00
General Fund.....	6 00	Aid to Student .....	100 00
Christmas Fund .....	7 99		

Parochial, \$2,656.00; Diocesan, \$58.99; General, \$231.60.....\$2,946.59

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$3,500: \$7,500.

The above report is not full. It seems impossible now to gather full statistics concerning the erection of the new sanctuary for the Church and parish rooms, and state to what extent and how funds were raised for the purpose. Friends of the parish have assisted and the Parish Guild has done nobly in the matter, the Parish Aid chapter, St. Agnes and the Iron Cross chapters, all doing to the full extent of their ability.

Broome County : Whitney's Point—Windsor.

Whitney's Point, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES A. ROBINSON, RECTOR.

Wardens—M. Frank Perry, Charles A. Winchester.

Families.....	15	Marriage .....	
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1.....	2	Burials.....	
Confirmed.....	3	Services—Sund. 90, weekd. 12...	11
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public....	1
28, all others 4, ad. 3. rem. 2,		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 25....	2
present. no.....	33		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	132 54	Christmas Fund.....\$	3 80
Sunday School .....	10 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	3 49
Repairs and Improvements.	6 57	Bishop's Chaplain....	1 50
Diocesan Missions.....	23 04	Missions—Domestic ...	4 98
General Fund.....	1 50	Foreign.....	5 68

Parochial, \$149.11; Diocesan, \$33.33; General, \$10.61.....\$ 193 05

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Windsor, Zion Church.

THE REV. ORIN A. SANDS, RECTOR.

Wardens—David Doolittle, Charles M. Comstock.

Families .....	36	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 1.....	5	Services—Sund. 90, weekd. 77...	167
Confirmed.....	4	Holy Communion—public.....	7
Communicants—ad. 4, rec. 1, died		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 44....	50
1, rem. 4, pres. no.....	43		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	22 61	Bishop's Chaplain.....\$	2 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	450 15	Mission at Swartwood.....	1 00
Sunday School.....	12 00	Deaf Mutes.....	1 44
Repairs on Rectory.....	28 00	Missions—General S. S....	16 89
Library, S. S. \$12.26, Y. L.		Domestic.....	3 88
G. \$5.00 .....	17 26	Colored, bxs ....	21 30
Furnace, Easter offering...	13 25	Jews.....	2 15
“ Y. L. G. ...	19 23	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	1 00
Diocesan Missions .....	38 05	Increase of the Ministry....	2 64
“ W. A. bxs.	27 00	Bishop Talbot, W. A .....	2 00
General Fund.....	6 00	Bishop Leonard, W. A ....	2 00
Christmas Fund .....	4 16	Mrs. Graves, China, W. A..	2 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 50	Mrs. Knickerbocker, W. A.	1 00
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	1 00	Thank Offering, W. A.....	8 00

Parochial, \$562.50; Diocesan, \$85.65; General, \$62.30.....\$ 710 45

Church Property—Church, \$3,500; Rectory, \$1,450; Endowment, \$5,450.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Cayuga County : Auburn.

Cayuga County.

Auburn, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN BRAINARD, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry D. Noble, Henry D. Titus.

Families.....	410	Services—Sund. 160, weekd. 250.	410
Baptisms—Ad. 14, Inf. 56.....	70	Holy Communion—pub. 70, priv.	
Confirmed ...	33	30.....	100
Communicants—ad. 28, rec. 12,		S. S. Teachers 20, Scholars 200..	220
died 7, rem. 40, pres. no.....	410	Industrial School—Teachers 35,	
Marriages.....	21	Scholars 230.....	265
Burials. ....	35		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	268 80	General Fund.....\$	100 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,887 00	Christinas Fund.....	65 00
Sunday School.....	125 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	18 63
Benefit Young Men. ....	735 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	80 00
Sewing School .....	100 00	Onondaga Indian Mission..	25 00
Mother's Meetings.....	118 00	Testimonial to Secretary...	55 00
Thanksgiving Offering.....	60 00	Church at Van Etten.....	12 00
Special Charities.....	300 00	Missions—Domestic... ..	218 00
St. Peter's Guild.....	264 99	W. A. bxs.....	191 00
Auburn City Hospital.....	264 50	Foreign .....	180 00
Diocesan Missions.....	300 00	Education of Ministry.....	115 00
“ W. A. bxs. ....	100 00		

Parochial, \$7,068.29; Diocesan, \$755.63; General, \$704.00.....\$8,527 92

Church Property—Church, \$85,000; Rectory, \$15,000; Chapel, Bells, Organ, \$22,000: \$122,000.

Insurance, \$35,000.

Auburn, St. John's Church.

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

Wardens—C. U. Chedell, George Marland.

Baptisms—Infant ..	7	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 58..	162
Confirmed.....	17	Holy Communion—public.....	21
Marriages.....	4	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 85...	95
Burials.....	11		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .... .	\$ 14 05	Diocesan Missions.....\$	30 86
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	736 29	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 86
Sunday School .....	43 82	Missions—Indian .....	9 03
Repairs and Improvements,	218 36	Deaf Mutes ....	14 60

Parochial, \$1,012.52; Diocesan, \$39.72; General, \$23.63.....\$1,075 87

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Chapel, \$3,000: \$28,000.

Indebtedness, \$275. Insurance, \$7,000.



Cayuga County: Moravia—Port Byron.

Moravia, St. Matthew's Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. MURRAY, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Hiram H. Alley, Wing T. Parker.

Families .....	69	Marriage .....	
Bsptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 6.....	9	Burials.....	
Confirmed .....	6	Services—Sund. 111 weekd. 88...	1
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	
121, all others 12, pres no.....	133	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 43....	

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	5 00	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 28
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	624 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5
Sunday School .....	19 60	Missicn at Van Etten .....	6
Repairs and Improvements,	14 00	Expenses of Convocation...	1
Insurance. ....	13 47	Bishop's Chaplain.....	5
Building Fund.....	205 58	Onondaga Mission, W. A...	12
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Parochial, \$881.65; Diocesan, \$59.17.....			\$ 940

Church Property—Church, \$5,000. Insurance, \$3,300.

The parish was without a rector for nearly six months. The Rev. Murray assumed charge as Rector, February 1st. Prior to that services been kept up with the assistance of students at St. Andrew's School.

Port Byron, St. Paul's Church.

REPORTED BY HERBERT H. FOX, LAY READER.

Wardens—A. D. Stewart, M. D., Levi W. Thompson.

Families .....	14	Services—Sund. 51, weekd. 1....	
Baptisms—Infant .....	2	Holy Communion—public .....	
Confirmed .....	1	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 27....	
Communicants—within two years			
17, all others 34, ad. 1, rem. 2,			
pres. no. ....	15		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	104 56	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 1
Sunday School .....	3 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	1
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Parochial, \$107.56; Diocesan, \$3.26.....			\$ 110
Church Property—Church, \$1,800. Insurance, \$1,000.			

*Cayuga County : Weedsport. Chemung County : Elmira.*

### Weedsport, St. John's Church.

REPORTED BY HERBERT H. FOX, LAY READER.

Warden—David Kevand.

Families.....	15	Services—Sunday .....	52
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1.....	2	Holy Communion—public .....	6
Confirmed .....	8	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 18....	16
Communicants—within two years			
17, ad. 3, rem. 1, pres. no.....	16		

#### OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	255 40	Bishop's Chaplain.....\$	2 00
Organist.....	25 50	General Missions S. S.....	1 50
Diocesan Missions..	5 36		
Parochial, \$280.90; Diocesan, \$7.36; General, \$1.50.....	\$	289 76	
Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.			

### Chemung County.

#### Elmira, Trinity Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. MCKNIGHT, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—W. C. Wey, M. D., Jackson Richardson.

Families .....	160	Marriages .....	16
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 8 .....	17	Burials .....	12
Confirmed .....	24	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 78..	178
Communicants—ad. 23, rec. 9,		Holy Communion—public.....	21
died 8, rem. 17, pres. no.....	262	S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 140..	158

#### OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	125 72	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 8 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,598 64	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y.	14 00
Sunday School .....	96 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	40 47
Church Record .....	31 74	House of Good Shepherd...	17 00
Arnot Ogden Hospital .....	800 00	Holy Innocents Guild.....	16 00
New carpet, S. C. G .....	173 06	Missions—Domestic .....	166 32
Thanksgiving .....	14 34	“ W.A.bxs.	120 00
Diocesan Missions .....	312 92	Foreign.....	104 24
General Fund .....	89 42	Jews .....	8 28
Christmas Fund.....	40 00	Increase of the Ministry....	100 00
Building Fund....	14 34	Clergy Retiring Fund. ....	15 97
Testimonial to Secretary...	75 00	Bishop Talbot ....	25 00

Parochial, \$5,338.50; Diocesan, \$627.15; General, 539.81... ..\$6,505 46

Church Property—Church, \$35,000; Rectory, \$5,000; Chapel, \$35,000; \$75,000.

Insurance, \$32,000.

Chemung County : Elmira.

Elmira, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM E. WRIGHT, RECTOR.

Wardens—William P. Yates, George W. Kingsbury.

Families and parts of families...	300	Burials.....	21
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 43 .....	46	Services—Sund. 230, weekd. 385.	6 15
Confirmed.....	20	Holy Communion—public 208,	
Communicants—within two years		private 10,.....	2 18
250, all others 72. ad. 22, rec. 5,		S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 150..	1 65
died 7, rem. 7, pres. no.....	285	St. Agnes School—Teachers 5,	
Marriages .....	4	Scholars 60 .....	65

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	230 00	All Saints Guild.....\$	100 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,500 00	St. Andrew's Brotherhood..	25 00
Sunday School .....	115 52	Miscellaneous .....	35 00
Repairs and Improvements.	30 00	Diocesan Missions ..	51 43
Building St. Agnes Chapel.	429 00	“ “ W. A. bxs.	50 00
Sanctuary adornment.....	67 00	Christmas Fund.....	15 00
Church Building Fund.....	500 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	12 00
Charity and Mercy, S. A. G.	150 00	Clergy Retiring Fund Soc'y.	12 00

Parochial, \$4,181.52; Diocesan, \$128.43; General, \$12.00.....\$4,321 95  
Church Property—Church, \$20,000; St. Agnes Chapel, \$429: \$20,429.  
Insurance, \$15,000.

The present amount of the fund for new Church Building is \$14.00.  
During the year a Chapel, St. Agnes, has been erected in the 7th ward of  
Elmira, at which three services are held weekly.

Elmira, Emmanuel Mission.

THE REV. CHARLES D. ATWELL, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—William H. Hathaway, Charles W. Young, Richard Goldsmit

Families .....	61	Marriages ..	3
Baptisms—Ad. 16, Inf. 29 .....	45	Burials.....	11
Confirmed.....	17	Services—Sund. 120, weekd. 110,	2 30
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public ..	89
72, rec. 9, rem. 6, present no..	92	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 100..	10

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	11 00	S. S. Easter offering .....	\$ 21 60
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	399 66	St. Martha's Guild .....	30 00
Sunday School.....	29 00	Diocesan Missions .....	25 00
Easter offering.....	38 50	Bishop's Relief Fund ..	7 00

Parochial, \$529.76; Diocesan, \$32.00.....\$ 561 76

Church Property—Church, \$7,000.  
Indebtedness, \$3,000. Insurance, \$4,400.

A sum of money has been subscribed to reduce the indebtedness July 1st

Chemung County: Wellsburgh. Chenango County: Afton—Bainbridge.

Wellsburgh, Christ Church.

THE REV. CHARLES D. ATWELL, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—Harold A. Bevens, La Rue Colegrove, M. D., Lewis West.

Families .....	21	Services—Sund. 45, weekd. 13...	58
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 7 ...	16	Holy Communion—public .....	9
Confirmed.....	11	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 35....	40
Communicants—within two years			
18, present no.....	29		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	198 59	Easter offering .....	\$ 25 00
Sunday School.....	22 85	Diocesan Missions.....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements,	86 62	Bishop's Relief Fund... ..	3 28

Parochial, \$333.06; Diocesan, \$13.28.....\$ 346 34

Church Property—Church, \$4,000.

Chenango County.

Afton, St. Ann's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Harrison Caswell, Nathan B. Stowell.

Families .....	40	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 12...	64
Communicants—rec. 1, rem. 4,		Holy Communion—public.....	12
present no.....	48	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30
Burial .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	16 92	General Fund.....	\$ 5 76
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	181 33	Aged and infirm Clergy ...	1 24
Christmas Gifts to Rector..	15 00	Board of Missions.....	2 41
Diocesan Missions... ..	16 59		

Parochial, \$213.25; Diocesan, \$22.85; General, \$3.65. ....\$ 239 25

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Bainbridge, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—James A. Hopkins, Joseph Juliand.

Families .....	72	Burials.....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 3 .....	4	Services—Sund. 123, weekd. 86..	209
Confirmed .....	3	Holy Communion—pub.60, priv.1	61
Communicants—ad. 2, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 35....	42
died 1, rem. 1, present no.....	97		

Chenango County : Greene.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	39 40	Diocesan Missions, W.A.bxs.\$	2 5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	707 09	General Fund .....	8 15
Sunday School .....	25 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 34
Repairs and Improvements,	638 00	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	3 00
Thanksgiving to Rector....	11 00	Convocation expenses... ..	2 66
Diocesan Missions.....	41 21	Missionary Board .....	14 00

Parochial, \$1,420.49; Diocesan, \$84.36; General, \$14.00 .....\$1,518 85

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$3,000; Tenement, \$800-00;  
Chapel, \$1,500: \$9,800.

Indebtedness, \$208.00. Insurance, \$6,725.

Greene, Zion Church.

THE REV. ALEXANDER H. ROGERS, RECTOR.

Wardens—F. E. Barnard, Frederick Juliand.

Families .....	127	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 6 .....	11	Burials.....	11
Confirmed .....	16	Services—Sund. 103, weekd. 87..	190
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.15, priv. 3,	18
205, all others 18, ad. 16, rec.		S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 85...	96
7, died 3, rem. 5, present no...	223		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	56 53	Onondaga Mission, W. A...\$	10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,487 41	Shelter, Syr., J. W. A. bx.,	37
Sunday School.....	35 89	Diocesan Director, W. A...	00
Repairs and Improvements,	35 35	Missions—Domestic .....	35
Easter Flowers .....	7 43	“ W.A. bxs	97
Gifts to Rector.....	30 36	Foreign .....	25
Helping Hand Society.....	136 37	“ J. W. A..	00
Diocesan Missions .....	233 99	Colored People..	24
“ “ S.S. Lenten	25 95	“ W.A. bxs.	95
“ “ W. A. bxs.	11 28	Jews .....	05
General Fund .....	50 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y ..	76
Christmas Fund.....	30 87	Bishops Leonard and Tal-	
St. Andrew's Div. School..	32 05	bot, W. A. ....	00
“ C. E. Fund..	40 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund...	03
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	9 75	Enrollment Fund .....	75
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y	5 76	S. S. Lenten Offering .....	86
Bishop's Chaplain .....	25 00	Red Lodge, Mont., S. S....	94
Swartwood Mission... ..	5 00		

Parochial, \$1,789.34; Diocesan, \$494.02; General, \$215.14 .....\$2,498 50

Church Property—Church, \$50,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$53,000.

Insurance, \$31,500.

(Hennango County : Guilford—Mount Upton.

Guilford, Christ Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, RECTOR.

—Charles W. Haynes, Nathan DeLavan.

.....	70	Burials ... ..	2
-Ad. 2, Inf. 7 .....	9	Services—Sund. 57, weekd. 85 ..	142
.....	9	Holy Communion—pub.31, priv.1	32
ants—died 1, rem. 2..		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 40....	47
.....	1		

OFFERINGS.

on Alms .....	\$ 12 89	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 8 52
Rector's Salary..	273 47	Shelter. Syracuse .....	5 50
chool... ..	27 24	Bishop's Chaplain.....	6 00
.....	85 00	Rev. John Scott, W. A....	4 00
dowment Fund..	62 31	Diocesan President, W.A...	2 00
l Society .....	115 90	Box H. G. S., W. A. ...	13 00
rch Workers ....	36 00	“ “ L. C. W..	7 00
ing Offering ...	10 51	Missions—Jews .....	2 00
.....	7 00	Increase of the Ministry...	2 00
organ.....	30 00	Bishop Brewer, S. S. ....	10 00
ochial objects ...	4 25	S. S. Lenten Offering.....	12 44
Missions.....	62 23	Bishop Talbot School, W.A.	1 00
“ S. S. ....	10 70	Bishop Leonard, W. A....	1 00
und .....	6 77	School in China, W. A....	2 00

\$664.57; Diocesan, 120.72; General, \$30.44 .....\$ 815 73

Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$6,000.

ce, \$3,700.

ort is from October 1, 1892, when the present Rector took charge, of the Convention year.

Mt. Upton, Grace Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, MISSIONARY.

.....	7	Services—Sunday ... ..	10
ants.....	11	Holy Communion—public .....	4
.....	1		

OFFERINGS.

on Alms.... ..	\$ 2 71	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 1 00
Rector's Salary..	66 08	Bishop's Chaplain.....	1 25
und .. ..	14 62		
\$68.79; Diocesan, \$16.87.....			\$ 85 66

Chenango County : New Berlin—Norwich.

New Berlin, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. KIRKLAND, RECTOR.

Wardens—Horace O. Moss, John T. White.

Families and Individuals.....	128	Marriages .....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 12 .....	21	Burials .....	17
Confirmed .....	13	Services—Sund. 105, weekd. 103,	207
Communicants—last reported 191,		Holy Communion—pub.17.priv 10,	27
names taken from the roll 30,		S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 75...	86
names added to the roll 11,			
died 7, rem. 8, pres. no.....	157		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	54	59	Bishop's Chaplain.....\$	28	21
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,380	86	H. G. S., Syr., W. A. bx...	29	11
Sunday School.....	55	75	Missions—Domestic .....	38	0
Prayer Books ....	22	16	Foreign .....	28	5
Hymnals .....	13	22	Colored, W.A.bx.	39	9
Diocesan Missions.....	186	28	Jews .....	8	1
General Fund.....	50	00	Increase of the Ministry...	22	1
Christmas Fund .....	23	64	Mission at Swartwood .....	5	0
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	9	92	General Ch. Building Fund	26	0
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y	8	76	General Inf. Clergy Fund..	19	0
Convocation .....	14	23	Children's Aid Society.....	9	2

Parochial, \$1,526.08; Diocesan, \$344.73; General, \$196.65 . . . . \$2,067 4

Church Property—Church, \$12,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$14,500.

Insurance, \$8,500.

The list of communicants has been revised, and the names of persons who have not communed during the last three years have been taken from the roll and kept separately, so that only the actual communicants may be reported.

Norwich, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. HENRY D. STEBBINS, RECTOR.

Wardens—William F. Jenks, Henry L. Marsh.

Families .....	173	Marriages .....	-
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 10 .....	20	Burials.....	-
Confirmed ....	16	Services—Sund. 123, weekd. 100-	2
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub,83,priv.1,	-
225, ad. 17, rec. 9, died 3, rem.		S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 123. -	-
3, present no.....	260		

Chenango County : Oxford.

OFFERINGS.

Union Alms .....	\$ 76 18	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 90 56
and Rector's Salary..	1,587 65	Christinas Fund .....	13 55
r School .....	44 42	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	11 40
offerings .....	18 68	Bishop's Chaplain . ....	10 30
.....	70 51	Convocation .....	8 17
cloths .....	60 00	Missions—Domestic .....	12 75
on Rectory .....	675 00	“ W. A..	5 00
.....	56 00	Foreign .....	10 51
nas Tree .....	42 00	Children's Lent Offerings ..	29 52

ial, \$2,630.44; Diocesan, \$128.98; General, \$57.78.....\$2,817 20  
 ch Property—Church, \$25,000; Rectory, \$3,400: \$28,400.  
 btedness on Rectory, \$350. Insurance, \$10,000.  
 new Rectory was completed in October last, and the sum of \$3,054.29  
 n expended upon it, being received from the following sources, viz.:  
 Offertory, \$68 54; Ladies' Aid Society, \$831.25; Subscriptions,  
 50; Specials, \$700.

Oxford, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. EDWIN W. COLLOQUE, RECTOR.

dens—James W. Glover, Francis G. Clarke.

es .....	128	Burials.....	11
ns—Ad. 1, Inf. 4....	5	Services—Sund. 107, weekd. 87..	194
ned.....	2	Holy Communion—pub. 18, priv. 6	24
inicans—ad. 2, rec. 1, died		S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 81,	
es. no... ..	181	Officers 3 .....	94

OFFERINGS.

Union Alms, less $\frac{1}{10}$ ..	\$ 81 66	St. Andrews Divinity Sch...\$	44 72
and Rector's Salary..	1,599 70	Missions—Domestic.....	131 39
r School .....	133 38	Montana . ....	112 08
s and Improvements.	794 64	All Saints, Saginaw Mich...	5 00
ice and Taxes.....	94 26	Missions—Foreign. ....	24 76
ayer Books.....	75 00	Newfoundland.....	10 00
giving Offering .....	77 20	Russian sufferers .....	10 00
in Missions .....	402 22	Mexico .....	20 00
“ box.....	10 00	Jews.....	11 15
nas Fund, with, $\frac{1}{10}$		Deaf Mutes.....	21 49
nmunion Alms.....	80 58	Nashotah .....	5 00
g Fund .....	30 59	Church Building Fund.....	28 84
l Fund, and Bishop's		Bishop Brewer.....	15 00
lain . . . . .	80 00	Bishop Tuttle .....	10 00
's Relief Fund .....	23 90	Rev. F. B. Lewis.....	5 00
7. Prayer Book Soc'y.	27 30	Bishop Hare . . . . .	10 00
Cottage, money and		Mrs. Buford's work.....	10 00
.....	44 98		

ial, \$2,855.84; Diocesan, \$744.29; General, \$429.21:.....\$4,029 34  
 ch Property—Church. Chapel and Rectory, \$30,000.  
 ance, \$16,000.  
 e has been contributed, of the above, as follows: From the King's  
 ers, \$83; from The Honor Society, \$17; from The Parish Aid,  
 ; from The Helping Society, \$6.75: \$495.16.



Chenango County : Sherburne. Cortland County : Cortland.

Sherburne, Christ Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM E. ALLEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—William Cook, A. R. Gladwin.

Families .....	86	Burials .....	10
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 12.....	21	Services—Sund. 150, weekd. 125.	2.5
Confirmed .....	11	Holy Communion—pub.80, priv.3	83
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 72....	80
129, all others 35, ad. 2, died 3,			
rem. 12, pres. no. ....	164		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	85 96	Diocesan Missions, W.A. bx \$	10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,145 45	General Fund .....	15 00
Sunday School .....	32 18	Christmas Fund ....	8 55
Repairs, painting, etc .....	232 70	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	5 76
Ladies Aid Society .....	215 08	Mission at Swartwood.....	2 00
Brotherhood .....	36 92	Missions—Domestic S. S. ..	14 00
St. Agnes Guild.....	12 00	Foreign, S. S....	14 00
Diocesan Missions.....	67 56	Various appeals.....	3 32
“ W. A....	10 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	3 33

Parochial, \$1,760.29; Diocesan, \$108.87; General, \$34.65..... \$1,918 81

Church Property—Church and Chapel, \$9,000; Rectory, \$1,500; Trust Fndd, \$400: \$10,900. Insnrance, \$6,000.

The Church, Chapel and Rectory have all been repainted and present a fine appearance.

Cortland County.

Cortland, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM BOURS CLARKE, RECTOR.

Wardens—H. B. Hubbard, E. D. Webb.

Families.....	135	Marriages.....	5
Baptisms—Infant.....	9	Burials.....	10
Confirmed.....	3	Services—Sund. 142, weekd 119 .	261
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	64
179, all others 4, rec. 8, died 3,		S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 85...	95
rem. 20, pres. no .....	191		

Cortland County : Homer.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms...	\$ 5 66	General Fund.....	\$ 25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,450 00	Christmas Fund .....	12 58
Sunday School.....	27 51	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 60.
Repairs and Improvements.	541 84	Bishop's Chaplain.....	10 00
Thanksgiving Offering.....	6 56	Missions—Domestic.....	7 19
Lenten Offering.....	21 62	W. A. bx.....	63 75
Easter Offering .....	98 91	Foreign .....	5 26
“ Ladies' Guild	100 00	Indian.....	7 04
“ Organ Fund..	12 00	Jews .. .....	3 50
S.S. exps. and Library fund	17 16	Deaf Mutes.....	4 75.
Parish indebtedness .....	148 24	S. S. Lenten offering .....	28 88
Diocesan Missions.....	55 54	Bishop Walker, Jun. W. A.	5 00.
Parochial, \$2,429.50; Diocesan, \$109.72; General, \$125.32.....		\$2,664 54.	

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Furniture, \$3,000: \$13,000.

Insurance, \$8,250. Organ Fund, \$508.85.

Homer, Calvary Church.

REPORTED BY PARKER FENNO, LAY READER.

Financial Committee—Albert Fisher, Earl Fowler, Nelson H. Waters.

Families.....	47	Marriages.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 4 .....	9	Burials.....	8
Confirmed.....	2	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 8...	110
Communicants—rec. 2,died 2,rem.		Holy Communion—public.....	10
4, pres no .....	60	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 40....	46

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 10 00	Cushions.....	\$ 20 89
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	724 80	Ladies Guild....	45 68
Sunday School.....	36 76	Diocesan Missions.....	14 44
Repairs.....	12 88	Missions—Domestic, S. S...	6 79
New Bell.....	275 00		
Parochial, \$1,126.01; Diocesan, \$14.44; General, \$6.79.....		\$1,147 24	

Church Property—Church. \$5,000. Indebtedness, \$250, Insurance, \$3,000.

Jefferson County : Adams—Antwerp.

Jefferson County.

Adams, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. EARL H. KENYON, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Charles V. Clarke, Morgan Bryan.

Families.....	31	Burials.....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 1.....	5	Services—Sund. 96, weekd. 7....	103
Confirmed..	6	Holy Communion—public.....	7
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 56....	64
71, all others 25, died 2, rem. 2,			
present no .....	80		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	620,00	Bishop's Chaplain Fund....\$	10 00
Sunday School.....	16 53	Work of Diocese, W, A....	1 90
Repairs and Improvements.	300 00	Rev. John Scott, W. A.....	1 00
By the Guild... ..	300 18	Missions—Domestic .....	1 40
Brass cross, Busy Workers.	22 00	Busy Workers...	2 50
Other objects by “	25 00	Sunday School ..	11 80
Gifts to Minister.....	50 00	Foreign, B. W...	3 50
Diocesan Missions.....	45 85	Colored People..	2 25
“ Busy Workers, bxs	12 55	“ W. A. bx.	18 35
Christmas Fund.....	2 00	Increase of the Ministry....	1 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 47	Thank offering W.A.....	2 00

Parochial, \$1,333.71; Diocesan, \$77.77; General, \$41.60.....\$1,453 08

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

\$70 of the amount for current expenses was paid by the Guild.

Antwerp, St. Paul's, Church.

THE REV. J. HYPKIN BROWN, MINISTER.

Wardens—A. L. Hilton, William M. Johnson.

Families.....	33	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 4.....	6	Services—Sund. 60, weekd. 16...	76
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	12
49, all others 10, rec. 4, died 1,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 49....	54
present no.....	48		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	28 24	Diocesan Missions.....\$	2 <del>00</del> 38
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	457 17	“ W. A. bxs.	2 <del>00</del> 00
Sunday School... ..	82 60	Bishop's Chaplain.....	<del>00</del> 75
Repairs and Improvements.	56 15	S. S. Lenten Offerings.....	1 <del>00</del> 36
Organ fund .....	194 00		
Parochial, \$818.16; Diocesan, \$62.13; General, \$15.36.....			<del>89</del> 65

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$1,800: \$5,800.

Insurance, \$2,800.

Jefferson County : Brownville—Cape Vincent—Carthage.

Brownville, St. Paul's Church.

REPORTED BY THE REV. F. P. WINNE.

Warden—Edwin Nelson Giles.

Families.....	24	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 2 .....	4	Burial .....	1
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 50, weekd. 50...	100
30, died 1, present no.....	29	Holy Communion—public 7, priv.3	10

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	229 51	Diocesan Missions.....\$	16 00
Repairs and Improvements.	375 00		
Parochial, \$604.51; Diocesan, \$16.00.....			\$ 620 51

Indebtedness, \$1.25. Insurance, \$2,000.

Cape Vincent, St. John's Church.

THE REV. SAMUEL W. STROWGER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Erastus K. Burnham, J. Albert Scobell.

Families.....	76	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 14.....	19	Burials.....	9
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund, 115; weekd. 35...	150
91, all others 17 ad. 4, died 1,		Holy Communion—pub. 18, priv.2	20
rem. 4, present no.....	108	S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 87...	98

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms... ..\$	56 25	Bishop's Chaplain .....	\$ 7 95
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	690 86	Shelter, Syracuse, S. S.....	30 00
Sunday School.....	86 70	“ W. A. bx.	8 35
Repairs and Improvements.	84 74	H. G. S. Utica, W. A. bx..	3 85
Diocesan Missions .....	107 81	Missions—Domestic.....	14 95
Christmas Fund .....	12 42	Foreign .....	2 00
Building Fund.....	8 65	Indian .....	1 00
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	4 93		
Parochial, \$918.55; Diocesan, \$183.96; General, \$17.95 .....			\$1,120 46

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,000.

Insurance, \$4,800.

Carthage, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM M. GILBERT, RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry W. Hammond, James Pringle.

Families.....	70	Marriages.....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 7 .....	10	Burials.....	5
Confirmed.....	2	Services—Sund. 97, weekd. 82...	179
Communicants—ad. 2, rec. 3, died		Holy Communion—pub.15, priv.1	16
2, rem. 11, present no.....	105	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 45....	53

Jefferson County : Clayton.

OFFERINGS.

Comunion Alms.....\$	12 92	Diocesan Missions W.A. bx.\$	24	55
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	818 75	Christmas Fund.....	4	54
Sunday School.....	34 95	Missions—Domestic .....	4	00
Repairs and Improvements.	55 80	Deaf Mutes .....	3	19
Rectory debt .....	75 00	Children's Lenten Offering.	8	75
Diocesan Missions.....	55 56			
Parochial, \$997.42; Diocesan, \$84.65; General, \$15.94.....			\$1,098	01

Church Property—Church, \$6,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$8,500.

Indebtedness, \$625. Insurance, \$7,500.

Clayton, Christ Church.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Richard M. Esselstyne, J. E. Liddy.

Families.....	35	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Adult.....	4	Burials.....	5
Confirmed.....	18	Services—Sund. 56, weekd. 50...	106
Communicants—rec. 2, died 1,		Holy Communion—pub. 23, priv.3	26
present no .....	60	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 60....	68

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	6 75	Diocesan Missions. . . . . \$	36	00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	560 32	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	4	26
Sunday School.....	10 00	District Secretary J. W. A.	2	00
Repairs and Improvements.	500 00	Missions—Domestic.....	1	10
Printing, etc.....	5 74	W. A. bxs.....	1	00
Vestments for boy choir ...	50 00	Indian, W.A.bxs.	1	00
Altar cloths .....	25 00	Brothers of Nazareth... ..	1	50
Parochial, \$1,157.82; Diocesan, \$42.26; General, \$40.60.....			\$1,240	68

Church Property—Church, \$8,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$10,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,400. Insurance, \$6,500.

The present Rector took charge November 20, 1892. The above report covers the six months only. The parish is indebted to Mrs. Mitchell, of Milwaukee, and Mrs. Morgan of New York and others to the extent of \$1,300 for improvements recently effected.

Jefferson County : Ellisburgh—Frederick's Corners—LaFargeville.

Ellisburgh, Christ Church.

THE REV. A. J. BROCKWAY, RECTOR.

Families .....	12	Services—Sunday .....	17
Communicants.....	12	Holy Communion—public .....	4

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 4 16	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 7 25
Current Expenses .....	20 97	Shelter, Syr., W. A. lx ...	9 00
Repairs and Improvements,	17 80	Bishop's Chaplain .....	69
Minister's horse.....	7 25	Missions—Domestic .....	1 50
Gifts to Rector .....	38 00	“ W.A. bxs .....	15 00
Insurance policy .....	15 00		
Parochial, \$103.18; Diocesan, \$16.94; General, \$16.50.....		\$	136 62
Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.			

Frederick's Corners, St. Paul's Mission.

THE REV. A. J. BROCKWAY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	12	Services—Sunday .....	17
Communicants.....	15	Holy Communion—public .....	3
Burial .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 4 35	Bishop's Chaplain .....	\$ 0 60
Diocesan .....			4 95
Church Property—Church, \$1,600. Insurance, \$1,200.			

LaFargeville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—W. F. Ford, R. B. Biddlecom.

Families .....	27	Services—Sund. 28, weekd. 12 ..	40
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 6 .....	13	Holy Communion—public .....	8
Confirmed .....	16	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30....	35
Communicants—rec. 2, rem. 2, present no.....	51		

Jefferson County : Pierrepont Manor—Redwood.

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	235 62	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 15 10
Sunday School.....	11 00	Building Fund.....	2 00
Other Parochial objects ...	50 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 09
Diocesan Missions.....	22 62	Missions—Domestic .....	1 90
“ “ W.A. bxs	6 10	Increase of the Ministry...	2 00

Parochial, \$296.62; Diocesan, \$48.82; General, \$3.90 ..... \$ 349 34

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

The offerings cover the canonical year, but the parochial acts have taken place within the past six months, at which time the present Rector took charge.

Pierrepont Manor, Zion Church.

THE REV. ANSON J. BROCKWAY, RECTOR.

Wardens—William M. White, Joseph A. Bemis.

Families .....	33	Marriages .....	6
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 1 .....	8	Burials.....	6
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 95, weekd. 18 ..	113
Communicants—died 2, rem. 2,		Holy Communion—pub.13, priv.2	15
present no. ....	52	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 50....	55

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms..... \$	11 08	Bishop's Chaplain .....	\$ 3 82
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	141 01	Gift to Secretary by W. M.	
Sunday School.....	4 30	White .....	50 00
Repairs. Daughters of Zion	29 70	Box to Utica, Jun. Aux....	8 00
Easter Flowers.....	10 00	Diocesan Missions. “ ....	1 00
Ladies' Society for sexton ..	79 32	Missions—Dom., W. A. bxs	21 33
Clothing for poor .....	1 75	Increase of the Ministry...	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	15 38	Present to Miss Emery.....	1 00
“ “ W. A. ....	8 44	Goldsboro, N. C., box.....	7 45
“ “ W. A. bxs.	23 28	China, Jun. Aux. ....	1 00
General Fund, W. M. W...	8 00	W. A. cash to Missions....	4 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 09		

Parochial, \$277.14; Diocesan, \$110; General, \$36.78 ..... \$ 433 92

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$8,000.

Insurance, \$5,000.

Redwood, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN SIMLEY, MINISTER.

Families .....	20	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 5 .....	10	Services—Sund. 38, weekd. 5....	43
Confirmed .....	2	Holy Communion—pub.7, priv.1,	8
Communicants—died 2, pres. no.	24	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 22....	26
Marriage.....	1		

Jefferson County : Sackett's Harbor.

OFFERINGS.

nion Alms.....	\$	5	00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$	1	35
nd Rector's Salary..		176	28	Bishop's Chaplain.....		3	58
School.....		22	60	Missions—Domestic .....		7	00
Rector .....		7	50	Foreign .....		7	00
n to Rector... ..		25	00	Indian.....		2	00
1 Missions .....		12	87	Jews .....		2	00
“ W. A. bxs		9	40	Increase of the Ministry...		3	00
Fund.....		1	20	Mrs. Knickerbocker's work,			
as Fund .....		2	30	W. A. ....		2	00

al, \$236.38; Diocesan, \$30.70; General, \$23 .....\$ 290 08

h Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$2,000.

g taken charge of this parish December 25, 1892, I can give only the  
 s for Diocesan Missions beginning January, 1893. Otherwise the  
 in full for the year.

Sackett's Harbor, Christ Church.

THE REV. FRANK M. BAUM, MINISTER.

ens—E. C. Knowlton, Charles G. Bartlett.

b .....	70	Marriage .....	1
s—Ad. 2, Inf. 2 .....	4	Burials.....	6
ed .....	8	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 30..	134
icants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 6, priv.2,	8
others 16, ad. 8, rec. 5,		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 45....	52
, rem. 8, present no.....	73		

OFFERINGS.

nion Alms.....	\$	2	77	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$	3	87
nd Rector's Salary..		511	68	Hospital and Shelter bxs. . .		8	00
School .....		30	82	Missions—Domestic .....		2	23
repairs .....		363	25	“ W. A... ..		3	00
the Minister .....		18	00	“ W.A.bxs		5	00
ughters donations		31	75	Foreign .....		2	50
rochial objects ...		12	00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,		2	70
1 Missions.....		27	51	Increase of the Ministry ...		3	50
as Fund .....		3	00	S. S. Lenten offering .....		14	20
Chaplain .. .....		8	67				

al, \$970.27; Diocesan, \$51.05; General, \$33.13.....\$1,054 45

h Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,200; Trust Fund, \$500:

edness, \$550. Insurance, \$2,500.

g the year a rectory has been purchased. the Ladies' Societies for the  
 t raising the necessary funds.



*Jefferson County: Theresa—Watertown.*

**Theresa, St. James' Church.**

**THE REV. JOHN SMILEY, MINISTER.**

Families .....	45	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 3.....	6	Services—Sund. 38, weekd. 20...	58
Confirmed.....	1	Holy Communion—public.....	7
Communicants.....	39	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 35....	40
Marriages.....	3		

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.. .....	\$ 2 28	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 8 23
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	278 48	Building Fund .....	3 40
Sunday School .....	15 00	Missions—Domestic .....	5 00
Repairing Rectory.....	30 00	Foreign .....	7 50
Choir vestments and seats..	53 00	Jews.....	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	13 66	Increase of the Ministry....	3 00
“ “ W. A. bxs	5 00		
Parochial, \$378.76; Diocesan, \$25.28; General, \$17.50.....	\$ 421 54		

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$4,200.

Insurance, \$2,500.

Having taken charge of this parish December 25, 1892, I am unable give a very complete report.

**Watertown, Trinity Church.**

**THE REV. RUSSELL A. OLIN, S. T. D., LATE RECTOR.**

**THE REV. F. P. WINNE, ASSISTANT MINISTER.**

**Wardens—A. H. Sawyer. Henry H. Babcock.**

Families .....	380	Marriages.....	43
Baptisms—Ad. 67, Inf. 20... ..	87	Burials.....	75
Confirmed .....	74	Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 348.	504
Communicants—last reported 873,		Holy Communion—pub. 78, priv. 45	123
ad. 62, died 16, present no. ....	925	S. S. Teachers 51, Scholars 426..	477

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....	\$ 400 46	Diocesan Secretary .....	\$ 103 89
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	7,361 43	St. Andrew's, Woods Falls.	197 51
Sunday School.....	728 14	Redeemer, N. Watertown ..	31 30
Repairs and Improvements.	642 50	Missions—Domestic .....	236 70
Ladies Aid....	47 96	Junior Auxiliary.	6 50
Diocesan Missions.....	790 06	Jun. Aux. bxs...	49 20
“ “ W. A. bxs	18 90	Foreign .....	54 20
General Fund....	100 00	W. A. bxs .....	229 54
Christmas Fund.....	102 39	Indian .....	25 00
Episcopate Fund .....	214 26	Increase of the Ministry....	1 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	16 85		

Parochial, \$9,180.49; Diocesan, \$1,577.16; General, \$602.14.....\$11,359 79

Church Property—Church and Parish House, \$127,000; Rectory and Furniture, \$15,500: \$142,500.

Insurance, \$68,100.

Owing to the unexpected death of our beloved Rector, I fear that some things may have been omitted from this report, but so far as given it is correct.

F. P. W.

Jefferson County: Watertown.

MISSION OF ST. ANDREW, WOODS FALLS.

This mission, under the supervision of the Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown, was cared for by the Rev. Mr. Redding till March 1, 1893. Since then the Rector himself, with the help of certain members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, has ministered to it. There has been held a service early every Sunday and every Thursday evening throughout the year. The Sunday School is in the charge of Mr. Henry G. Gates, as lay superintendent. Teachers, 4; Scholars, 27: 31. Offerings for Sunday School, \$9.38; offerings Christmas Festival, \$5.81: \$15.19.

Watertown, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM H. BOWN, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. D. Wright, Lewis F. Phillips.

families .....	150	Marriages.....	4
baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 11.....	14	Burials.....	9
confirmed .....	21	S. S. Teachers 20, Scholars 144..	164
communicants .....	214		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	30 00	Missions—Dom., W. A. bxs.	113 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,413 23	Foreign.....	15 00
Sunday School .....	133 87	Colored, W.A. bxs	100 00
Interest money.....	1,151 54	Jews.....	4 17
Diocesan Missions .....	128 87	Deaf Mutes...	10 50
Shop's Relief Fund.....	17 22	Thank offering .....	75 00

Parochial, \$3,728.64; Diocesan, \$146.09; General, \$317.67.....\$4,192 40

Church Property—Church, \$38.500.

Indebtedness, \$17,000: Insurance, \$12,000.

During the year there have been added some beautiful and useful gifts to the Church, among which was a Litany desk in memory of the late Rev. Charles Mortimer Carr, M. A. The sudden death of this devoted servant of God brought grief to the entire parish. The report is incomplete owing to the many interruptions during the year. The present Rector began his work April 4, 1893.

Watertown, Mission of the Redeemer,

REPORTED BY THE REV. F. P. WINNE.

Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 52...	104	S. S. Teachers 17, Scholars 100..	117
Holy Communion—public.....	16		

Lewis County : Constableville.

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	549 32	Diocesan Missions.....\$	7 87
For a Communion Set..	8 07	Children's Easter offering..	20 56
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Parochial, \$557.39; Diocesan, \$7.87; General, \$20.56.....\$			585 82
Church Property—Mission House, \$4,000.			
Indebtedness, \$30; Insurance, \$2,000.			

The Rev. Mr. Redding left at the beginning of March; since then the work has been carried on by the Rev. F. P. Winne with the help of lay readers, members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. The Baptisms and Confirmations are included in the report from the mother parish.

Lewis County.

Constableville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. W. GORDON BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—L. M. Plumb, Wm. A. Johnson.

Families.....	38	Marriages.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 3.....	7	Burials.....	5
Confirmed.....	4	Services—Sund. 59, weekd. 67...	126
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	17
79, all others 7, ad. 5, died 3		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 60....	67
present no.....	86		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	30 12	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	\$ 6 57
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	527 17	Mr. Scott's Salary, W. A...	2 00
Sunday School .....	18 20	Diocesan President, W. A..	50
Repairs and Improvements.	30 00	Missions—Domestic.....	1 88
Gifts to Rector.....	80 00	W. A. bxs .....	21 60
Guild .....	27 39	Foreign.....	1 88
Diocesan Missions.....	66 12	Deaf Mutes.....	3 84
“ “ W. A. bxs	14 90		63
General Fund....	12 38	Increase of the Ministry....	
Christmas Fund.....	3 48	Bishops Leonard and Tal-	1 50
Building Fund .....	63	bot, W. A .....	1 00
Episcopate Fund .....	3 00	Miss Graves School, W. A..	1 26
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Society	1 00	Thank offering, W. A....	19 48
		S. S. Lenten offering.....	12
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Parochial, \$712.88; Diocesan, \$110.58; General, \$64.07.....\$	887 53
Church Property—Church, \$1,000; Fund, \$1,800: \$2,800.	

The Guild has contributed \$75 towards item, Expenses and Rector's Salary. Regular monthly services have been maintained at Greig throughout the year. The attendance has been good and the offerings fair; \$1.03 has been sent from there for Diocesan missions. About a dozen communicants remain at that mission. Six young people from there were confirmed at Port Leyden, May 9, 1892.

Lewis County : Lowville—Port Leyden.

Lowville, Trinity Church.

THE REV. CHARLES H. TINDELL, RECTOR.

Wards—Henry C. Northam, Frederick McCullock.

lies.....	80	Communicants.....	100
sms— Ad. 6, Inf. 2.....	8	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 45....	52

OFFERINGS.

union Alms.....\$	5 16	Mr. Scott's salary.....\$	3 00
rs on rectory, W. A..	184 12	House of Good Shepherd...	8 40
., for parish.....	15 80	Missions—Colored, W.A.bxs	8 30
k offering.....	2 00	For Miss Emery....	5 00

hial, \$205.08; Diocesan, \$13.40; General, \$13.30.....\$ 231 78

urch Property—Church, \$12,000; Rectory, \$5,000: \$17,000.

urance, \$8,000.

is report is for the time only of the present Rector, namely, from the of February to the 1st of May, previous to which the Church having closed for many months.

Port Leyden, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. W. GORDON BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wards—T. J. Sawyer, Archibald McVickar.

lies.....	26	Burial.....	1
rmed, from Greig.....	6	Services—Sund. 51, weekd. 7....	58
nunicants—within two years	40	Holy Communion—pub. 12, priv. 1	13
iage.....	1	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20....	23

OFFERINGS.

union Alms.....\$	20 00	Diocesan Missions, W.A bx.\$	10 00
and Rector's Salary..	156 24	General Fund.....	4 13
ay School.....	5 83	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 90
g Ladies' Society.....	3 00	S. S. Lenten offering.....	5 88
san Missions.....	18 98		

hial, \$185.07; Diocesan, \$42.01; General, \$5.88 .....\$ 232.96

urch Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,000.

s assessment for salary of Bishop's Chaplain, and balance due on General for the year were paid by the Rector out of the Communion Alms.

Madison County : Cazenovia—Canastota.

Madison County.

Cazenovia, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN T. ROSE, Rector.

Wardens—John V. Needham, William Watkins.

Baptisms—Infant.....	4	Burials.....	10
Communicants—rec. 3, died 5,		Services—Sund. 121, weekd. 108.	229
rem. 6, present no.....	130	Holy Communion—pub. 44, pri. 2	46
Marriage.....	1	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 93...	108

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 83 40	Gen'l. Fund and Chaplain..	\$ 50 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,086 09	Christmas Fund ...	27 08
Sunday School.....	159 07	Diocesan Missions, special..	12 00
Repairs and Improvements.	192 20	Mission in East Syracuse...	25 00
Thanksgiving offering .....	32 95	King's Daughters box .....	26 00
Parish Library.....	15 00	St. Luke's, Utica... ..	11 97
Altar Society.....	12 55	Boy's Guild, bxs.....	10 00
Charity .....	160 00	Missions—Domestic.....	118 38
Other Parochial objects....	100 00	Foreign .....	25 00
Diocesan Missions.....	154 01	Church Building Fund.....	14 87
“ “ W. A. bxs.	35 60	Theological Education.....	2 75

Parochial, \$2,791.26; Diocesan, \$351.60; General, \$160.45.....\$ 3,303 81

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Organ, \$1,800; Trust Fund, \$2,000: \$10,800.

Insurance, \$5,000.

Canastota, Trinity Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. OTTAWAY, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—William H. Patten, President. Dr. William Taylor, Secretary, Theodore Coles, Albert O. Briggs, Edwin T. Fredericks.

Families.....	40	Marriage.....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 8 .....	11	Burials.....	4
Confirmed .....	16	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 6....	58
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 6, pri. 2.	8
45, ad. 16, rec. 2, died 3, pres no.	60	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 50....	54

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 466 06	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 6 59
Sunday School... ..	18 02	Building Fund.....	29
Repairs and Improvements.	36 35	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	14 38
Note.....	40 00	Missions—Dom. and Foreign	7 50
Other Parochial objects....	34 70		
Parochial, \$595.13; Diocesan, \$21.20; General, \$7.50.....			\$ 628 83

Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,500.

Madison County : Chittenango—Earlville—Hamilton.

Chittenango, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. OTTAWAY, MISSIONARY.

wardens—J. H. H. French, T. M. Hatch.

families.....	17	Services—Sund. 51, weekd. 2 ....	53
baptisms—Infant .....	1	Holy Communion— public.....	3
communicants .....	25		

OFFERINGS.

pastor's and Rector's Salary...\$	207 81	Note .....	\$	60 11
repairs and Improvements.	1 50	Diocesan Missions.....		6 26
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total, \$268.62; Diocesan; \$6.26 ..			\$	275 18
Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.				

Earlville, Grace Church.

REPORTED BY ALBERT E. BENTLEY, LAY READER.

wardens—I. W. Rowe, LeRoy Nash.

families .....	32	Services—Sunday .....	42
baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 3 .....	8	Holy Communion—public .....	2
confirmed .....	8	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 33....	39
communicants.....	40		

OFFERINGS.

Day School .....	\$	4 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	6 15
repairs and Improvements.		25 00	Missions—Domestic, Easter.	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....		15 00	<hr/>	
total, \$29; Diocesan, \$21.15; General, \$5.00.....	\$			55 15.

Church Property—Church, \$2,500.

Above report covers the period from January 18, 1893.

Hamilton, St. Thomas' Church.

THE REV. FRANK P. HARRINGTON, RECTOR.

Joseph Mason, Barna J. Stimpson.

.....	69	Burials.....	4
Ad. 4, Inf. 11 .....	15	Services—Sund. 41, weekd. 55...	96
.....	10	Holy Communion—pub.25,priv.1,	26
its .....	93	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 35....	41
.....	1		

*Madison County : Oneida.*

## OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 13 08	Building Fund .....	\$
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,021 92	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	
Sunday School.....	97 02	C.N.Y. Prayer Book Society	
Repairs and Improvements,	432 28	Woman's Auxiliary .....	
Ladies' Aid Society .....	145 87	Convocation expenses.....	
Girls' Guild .....	67 03	Bishop's Chaplain.....	
Other Parochial objects....	11 75	Missions—Domestic .....	
Diocesan Missions.....	50 00	Foreign .....	
“ “ W.A.bxs.	25 00	Jews .....	
General Fund. ....	15 00	Increase of the Ministry...	
Christmas Fund .....	12 67		
Parochial, \$1,793.95; Diocesan, \$171.15; General, \$1,361 .....			\$1,

Church Property—Church, \$3,800; Rectory, \$1,600: \$5,400.

Insurance, \$4,500.

**Oneida, St. John's Church.**

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. W. Mott, E. F. Jewell.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 11 .....	14	Burials .....	
Confirmed .....	10	Services—Sund. 101, weekd. 10	
Communicants—died 4, rem. 5,		Holy Communion—pub.69, priv	
present no .....	224	S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 80.	
Marriages .....	4		

## OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 25 00	Parish paper .....	\$
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,531 00	Diocesan Missions .....	
Sunday School.....	29 71	“ “ W.A.bxs.	
Repairs and Improvements,	26 03	Shelter, Jun. Aux. bx.....	
Parish Workers .....	128 58	Christmas Fund.....	
Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	7 20	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	
King's Daughters .....	12 40	Bishop's Chaplain.....	
Thanksgiving, charity ..	10 51	Convocation expenses .....	
Building Fund, Easter off'g	155 74	Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A. ....	
Note and interest .....	165 00	Missions—Domestic .....	
Music .....	9 52	“ W.A.bxs	
Lenten expenses .....	32 08	Foreign .....	
Building Fund.....	509 23	Deaf Mutes .....	
S. S. Building Fund .....	86 52	Bishop Graves .....	

Parochial, \$2,860.02; Diocesan, \$173.80; General, \$165.01 .....

Church Property, \$10,000; Rectory, \$5,000: \$15,000.

Insurance, \$7,500.

A handsome pulpit, in carved oak, was presented to the parish East in memory of Mr. Francis Randall, by his sister, Mrs. E. R. Higinb and nephew, Francis Randall Appleton, of New York.

Oneida County : Augusta—Boonville—Bridgewater.

Oneida County.

Augusta, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. AVIRETT, RECTOR.

THE REV. CHARLES T. RAYNOR, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Warden—George Hayward, Horatio Scott

Families .....	12	Services—Sunday .....	35
Communicants .....	15	Holy Communion—public .....	3

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms... ..	\$ 2 50	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 9 55
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	84 00	General Fund .....	1 00
Other Parochial objects....	5 04	Easter offering .....	3 55

Parochial, \$91.54; Diocesan, \$14.10 ..... \$ 105 64

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

The parish was without a Rector from September until January.

Boonville, Trinity Church.

REPORTED BY WILLIAM F. OWENS, WARDEN.

Families .....	34	Burial .....	1
Communicants—died 1, rem. 6,		Services—Sund. 28, weekd. 13...	41
present no.....	64	Holy Communion—public .....	1

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 1 99	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 5 25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	94 76		
Parochial, \$96.75; Diocesan, \$5.25 ...			\$ 102 00

Church Property—Church, \$7,500. Insurance, \$5,000.

Mr. G. F. Mosher, Lay Reader, officiated thirteen weeks, and Rev. O. Owen one Sunday with Holy Communion.

Bridgewater, Christ Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. AVIRETT, RECTOR.

THE REV. E. B. DOOLITTLE, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Trustees—Horace Hubbard, President; Fred Pierce, Treasurer; C. V. J. Doolittle, M. D., Secretary.

Families.....	9	Burial .....	1
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 21, weekd. 3....	24
15, rec. 5, died 1, pres. no.....	14	Holy Communion—public.....	1



Oneida County : Camden—Clarks Mills.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	1 47	Diocesan Missions.....\$	<del>3</del> 10
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	88 78	Increase of the Ministry....	<del>5</del> 50
Repairs and Improvements.	34 19		
Parochial, \$69.89; Diocesan, \$3.10; General, \$1,50.....\$			<del>7</del> 99

Camden, Trinity Church.

THE REV. JOEL DAVIS, RECTOR.

Wardens—P. B. Miller, A. W. Abbott.

Families.....	80	Marriages.....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 10 .....	12	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	11	Services—Sund. 48, weekd. 52...	100
Communicants—ad. 14, rec. 3,		Holy Communion—public.....	18
died 7, rem. 3, pres. no.....	82	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 30....	36

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	8 35	Parish Easter offering . ...\$	<del>62</del> 67
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	478 00	Poor family.....	<del>25</del> 00
Sunday School.....	16 00	Diocesan Missions.....	<del>25</del> 00
Repairs on Organ.....	53 00	“ “ W. A.bxs	<del>1</del> 00
King's Daughters, for Parish		General Fund.....	<del>18</del> 58
purposes .....	35 41	Christmas Fund.....	<del>1</del> 96
King's Daughters, Lenten		Bishop's Relief Fund .....	<del>2</del> 60
offering with S. S.....	14 40		
Parochial, \$692.83; Diocesan, \$64.14.....\$			<del>75</del> 97
Church Property—Church, \$3,000.			

Clarks Mills, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. EDWIN C. ALCORN, MISSIONARY.

Business Committee—N. Ashley, E. Hanford, S. J. Newhall, George Hammond.

Families .....	17	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 3 .....	4	Burial .....	1
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 55, weekd. 12...	67
Communicants— within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	9
26, all others 4, ad. 1, rec. 7,		S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 20....	22
died 1, rem. 3, pres. no.....	27		

Onesida County : Clayville—Clinton.

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms	\$ 8 25	Receipts from Festivals	\$ 81 95
Current Expenses	14 61	Plush Co. for Missionary	100 00
Sunday School	5 40	Diocesan Missions	2 50
Missionary's Stipend	21 65	Bishop's Chaplain	1 00
Horse hire for Missionary	17 75	St. Luke's H. and H. Utica.	1 00
Rent of Rectory	42 00	Missions—Domestic	2 65
Parochial, \$236.61; Diocesan, \$4.50; General, \$2.65		\$ 243 76.	

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

Indebtedness on Rectory, \$500. Insurance, \$1,200.

It will be seen from the report that the Missionary received \$21.65, as stipend from the congregation, and \$17.75 for horse hire. The H. H. Plush Co., who are not Churchmen have paid the Missionary \$100 during last year.

Clayville, St. John's Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. AVIRETT, RECTOR.

THE REV. E. B. DOOLITTLE, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Wardens—H. C. Steele, Charles McDowell.

Families	15	Communicants	24
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OFFERINGS.			
Expenses	\$ 89 00	Increase of the Ministry	\$ 5 76
Diocesan Missions	4 75		
Parochial, \$89; Diocesan, \$4.75; General \$5.76		\$ .99 51	

Church Property—Church, \$5,000.

Clinton, St. James' Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles H. Smyth, David Mannering.

Families	80	Burials	19
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 16	20	Services—Sund. 182, weekd. 102.	284
Communicants—died 1, pres. no.	179	Holy Communion—pub. 30, pri. 1	31
Marriages	9	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75	84

Oneida County: Durhamville—Forestport.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 33 65	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 91 25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,403 87	General Fund.....	10 00
Sunday School . . . . .	62 28	Bishhop's Caplain.....	25 00
Bepairs and Improvements.	7 00	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	54 43
Memorial and Altar gifts ..	23 70	W. A. bxs . . . . .	21 00

Parochial, \$1,530.45; Diocesan, \$126.25; General, \$75.43 .....\$1,732 1\*

Church Property—Church, \$8,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$9,200.

Insurance, \$5,000.

During the year the entire indebtedness of the parish as reported for some years past was paid by the liberality of Mrs. J. J. B. of New York. But the fearful east wind of April 21, blew down the tower and spire of the Church, and damaged the building so much, that the repairs, not yet completed, will cost, it is estimated, nearly one thousand dollars.

Durhamville, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR, MISSIONARY.

D. Ward Clarke, Lay Reader,

Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 2.....	4	Burials.....	4
Communicants—rec. 1, died 2,		Services—Sund. 62, weekd. 6 ...	68
rem. 5, present no.....	41	Holy Communion—public . . . . .	4
Marriage . . . . .	1	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 20.....	24

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	97 97	Diocesan Missions.....\$	2 40
Sunday School.....	7 49	Christmas Fund.....	4 24
Prayer Books.....	10 52	Bishop's Chaplain.....	2 00
Ladies Guild . . . . .	16 76	S. S. Lenten offerings.....	2 33

Parochial, \$132.74; Diocesan, \$8.64; General, \$2.33.....\$ 143 71

Church Property—Church, \$2,200. Insurance, \$1,700.

Five persons from Durhamville were confirmed at Oneida, January 31, 1893.

Forestport, Christ Church.

THE REV. A. L. BYRON-CURTISS, MINISTER.

Wardens—W. R. Stanburgh, Garrett Nichols.

Families... . . . .	29	Marriage . . . . .	1
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 11.....	17	Burials.....	5
Confirmed . . . . .	13	Services—Sund. 20, weekd. 10... ..	30
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 4, priv. 5,	9
67, all others 5, ad. 1, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 39.....	44
died 1, rem. 2, present no.....	72		

Oneida County : Holland Patent—New Hartford.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 1 26	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 2 10
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	152 26	Building Fund.....	1 16
Sunday School.....	4 80	Bishop's Chaplain.....	4 00
Improvements .....	34 66	S. S. Lenten offering .....	5 46

Parochial, \$192.98; Diocesan, \$7.26; General, \$5.46. ....\$ 205 70

Church Property--Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

The above report of ministrations and finances with the exceptions of the confirmations are from Christmas 1892, the time the present incumbent took charge.

Holland Patent, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. W. PRICE JAMES, RECTOR.

Wardens—J. Henry Wetmore, Edward W. Peabody.

Families .....	25	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 1.....	4	Holy Communion—public .....	2
Communicants.....	40	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 30....	34

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ... ..	\$ 5 30	General Fund .....	\$ 6 55
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	272 70	Christmas Fund .....	1 36
Sunday School.....	5 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 00
Diocesan Missions .....	18 63	N.Y. Prayer Book Society..	2 00

Parochial, \$283; Diocesan, \$29.59; General, \$2.....\$ 314 59

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$4,200.

Insurance, \$2,500.

New Hartford, St. Stephen's Church.

THE REV. T. L. BANISTER, RECTOR.

Wardens—George Benton, James Ainsworth.

Families .....	62	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Adult .....	6	Burials.....	4
Confirmed from Chadwicks .....	24	Services—Sund. 114, weekd. 86..	200
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	57
80, all others 25, died 1, rem. 6,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40....	45
present. no.....	105		

Oneida County : Chadwick's Mills—New York Mills.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 25 00	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 24 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,110 05	General Fund.....	25 10
Sunday School .....	28 50	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 65
Repairs and Improvements,	7 50	Rev. John Scott,.....	6 00
Parish House Fund .....	150 00	Bishop's Chaplain....	10 00
"    "    Interest	60 00	Missions—Domestic .....	5 68
Taxes .....	7 00	"    W.A. lx.	2 00
Other Parochial objects ....	10 00	Foreign .....	4 00

Parochial, \$1,898.05; Diocesan, \$71.75; General, \$11.63..... \$1,481

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Endowments, \$8,000: \$16,000.

Insurance, \$3,500.

CHADWICK'S MILLS, ST. GEORGE'S MEMORIAL CHURCH.

Baptisms, adults 4. infants 5; Communicants 41; Services, 98; Holy Communion 14; S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40. Offerings, Communion alms, \$15. Current expenses, \$380.42; Sunday School, \$18.65; Repairs, \$5; Easter S. offering \$5.10; Ladies Aid Society, \$18.85; Diocesan Missions, \$6; Church property, \$11,000; insurance, \$7,000.

The Rector was sick and absent from April 23d to September 4th of last year. Services were maintained regularly in the parish church, by Mr. W. E. Davis, Lay Reader, now preparing to become a Postulant for Orders, with occasional ministrations by clergymen. The Rev. W. B. Coleman held afternoon services at Chadwicks. The parish list is being revised. The difference in members of the Sunday School at Chadwicks is due to the starting of Methodist services in the neighborhood. The Young People's Parish House Association in New Hartford have done good work for that fund. Included in the report are the proceeds of an entertainment by the Parish Aid Society. St. Stephen's parish has suffered a great loss in the death of Hon. Morgan Butler, for many years and at the time of his death a Warden of the parish.

New York Mills, St. James' Church.

THE REV. JAMES K. PARKER, MISSIONARY.

Families.....	20	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 14.....	18	Services—Sund. 73, weekd. 10...	83
Confirmed.....	14	Holy Communion—public.....	9
Communicants.....	40	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20...	23

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 1 58	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 7 73
Church Building.....	3,000 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 84
Church Furniture.....	684 00	Offering at Convocation....	8 10
Gifts to Rector.....	63 00		
Parochial, \$3,748.58; Diocesan, \$22.17 .....			\$3,770 75

Church Property—Church, \$5,000. Insurance, \$2,500.

Oneida County: Oriskany—Oriskany Falls.

Oriskany, St. Peter's Chuch.

THE REV. JAMES K. PARKER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Andrew J. Niles, George H. Yoxall.

Families .....	50	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 9 .....	11	Services—Sund. 55, weekd. 35...	90
Confirmed.....	5	Holy Communion—public.....	12
Communicants.....	85	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 69....	76
Mariage .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	4 63	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 21 06
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	271 55	General Fund.....	7 17
Sunday School .....	55 96	Christmas Fund .....	5 38
Gifts and memorials.....	25 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	2 50
Ladies Aid Society .....	276 65	Missions—Domestic, W. A..	40 00
Rectory .....	1,123 31	“ S. S....	9 16
Wilcox memorial fund.....	400 00	“ W.A.bxs	13 00
Other Parochial objects ...	1 00		
Parochial, \$2,158.10; Diocesan, \$36.11; General, \$62.16.....			\$2,256.87

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$2,000; Endowment fund, \$400: \$6,900.

Insurance, \$4,000.

Oriskany Falls, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. JAMES B. AVIRETT, RECTOR.

THE REV. CHARLES T. RAYNOR, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Committee—J. A. Douglass, H. A. Langley, T. D. King, E. S. Hamblin.

Families .....	36	Marriages . .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 2 .....	7	Burials.....	4
Confirmed.....	13	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 50....	56
Communicants.....	48		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	178 72	Bishop's Chaplain.....\$	3 00
Sunday School.....	7 46	Missions—Domestic, S S...	7 36
Busy Workers .....	40 00	“ W.A. bxs	10 00
Diocesan Missions .....	18 18		
Parochial, \$226.18; Diocesan, \$21.18; General, \$17.36 .....			\$ 264 72

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$100: \$3,100.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Oneida County : Paris—Rome.

Paris, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. B. E. WHIPPLE, RECTOR.

Wardens—D. C. Addington, H. M. Rouse.

Families .....	33	Burials .....	6
Baptisms—Infant .....	7	Services—Sund. 64, weekd. 12...	76
Confirmed .....	5	Holy Communion—pub. 14, priv. 1	15
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 50....	55
67, all others 5, rec. 3, died 1,		Parish School—Teacher 1, Schol-	
rem. 4, present no.....	72	ars 16.....	17
Marriages .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	6 00	Diocesan Missions.....\$	25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	365 00	General Fund.....	2 00
Sunday School .....	30 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 60
Guild .....	35 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	2 50
Daughters of the Church ..	10 00		
Parochial, \$446; Diocesan, \$31.10.....			477 10

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$5,000.

Insurance, \$3,800.

Rome, Zion Church.

THE REV. JOHN H. EGAR, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—George Barnard, Thomas M. Flandrau, M. D.

Families .....	200	Burials.....	18
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 20 .....	21	Services .....	230
Communicants.....	400	Holy Communion .....	58
Marriages.....	13	S. S. Teachers 26, Scholars 183..	209

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	117 41	Bishop's Chaplain.....\$	20 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,468 35	Organ given to St. Joseph's	
Sunday School... ..	120 68	Church .....	800 00
Repairs and Improvements.	339 58	Missions—Domestic .....	12 00
For new organ .....	2,775 00	“ W. A. ....	19 55
Parish Aid Society for debt		“ W. A. bxs.	60 00
on Memorial Hall .....	358 32	Foreign .....	8 70
Thanksgiving for Rector...	49 53	Children's Lent off'g	26 88
For Choir Festival .....	18 00	Jun. W. A. bxs ....	10 00
Diocesan Missions.....	253 39	Jews .....	5 00
“ “ W. A....	23 00	Deaf Mutes .....	5 38
General Fund.....	50 00	Good Friday collection ....	5 00
Christmas Fund... ..	28 56		
Parochial, \$7,246.87; Diocesan, \$1,174.95; General, \$152.51 .....			\$8,574 33

Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Memorial Hall, \$11,000: \$33,000.

Indebtedness, \$3,000. Insurance, \$11,000.

Onelda County : Rome—Utica.

Notwithstanding a large decrease in the population of the city, through financial depression, and a consequent diminution in the number of families nominally belonging to the parish, the amount of money contributed by the congregation is much larger the past year than usual. If the amount given to general objects seems small in proportion, it must be remembered that parishes, like individuals, sometimes have needs that are imperative. We need at once from \$3,000 to \$5,000 to put the church building in proper repair and for improvements; and shall endeavor to obtain this without neglecting our other obligations. In addition to his work in the parish, the Rector has administered the Holy Communion on the second Sunday in the month in St. Joseph's Church.

Rome, St. Joseph's Church.

THE REV. JOSEPH M. HAYMAN, RECTOR.

*Executive Committee*—The Rector, John Fisher, Gus. Horsfelt, Joseph Dutchler, Andrew Kuaur.

Families .....	39	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 12.....	13	Burials.....	2
Confirmed .....	9	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 6,..	110
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	11
90, all others 10, ad. 9, died 2,		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 60....	66
rem. 3, present no.....	104		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 4 30	Episcopate Fund.....	\$ 4 72
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	407 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	4 72
Sunday School .....	10 00	Missions—Domestic .....	7 00
Repairs and improvements.	380 00	Foreign .....	7 80
Diocesan Missions.....	3 00		
Parochial, \$801.30; Diocesan, \$12.44; General, \$14.80. ....			\$ 828 54

Church Property—Church, \$1,700. Indebtedness, \$3,000.

The item for repairs and improvements is for enlarging chancel, taking down, removing, overhauling and setting up in St. Joseph's the organ given to the mission; digging out and plastering ceilings, walls and floors to new rooms in basement.

Utica, Calvary Church.

THE REV. ALFRED B. GOODRICH, D. D., RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Alonzo Churchill, M. D., E. T. Batsford.

Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 19.....	28	Burials.....	87
Confirmed .....	34	Services—Sund. 159, weekd. 97..	256
Communicants—ad. 22, rec. 12,		Holy Communion.....	86
died 7, rem. 9, present no.....	491	S. S. Teachers and officers 40,	
Marriages .....	13	Scholars 260.....	300



Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 62 97	Expenses, Convention.....	\$ 5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,122 16	G. M.....	25 00
Sunday School.....	464 35	Bishop's Chaplain .....	40 00
Ladies' Aid Society.....	181 95	St. Joseph's Rome.....	5 00
Altar Society.. .....	78 46	Onondaga Mission .....	10 00
King's Daughters.....	198 47	Testimonial to Secretary...	820 00
Girls Friendly Society.....	174 88	Utica Charities.....	2,800 00
St. Andrew's Brotherhood..	98 59	Missions—Dom., Jun. Aux.	10 00
For Parish Building Fund.	282 68	Mexico .....	10 25
"    by Sunday School.	413 09	Rev. S. D. Hooker, Mont ..	353 00
"    " Parish Societies	815 00	Thank offering, W. A .....	10 00
Special Charities.....	134 93	St. Philip's, Richmond.....	5 00
Parish Year Book.....	65 25	Lawtey, Fla., K. D.....	10 00
Parish Visitor.....	26 00	Red Lodge, Montana, S. S.	25 00
Other printing.....	62 24	Bishop Atwell.....	25 00
Evening Prayer Leaflets....	25 50	China, Jun. Aux.....	5 00
Lent and Easter expenses..	52 66	"    K. D.....	3 00
Music .....	75 00	Rev. Mr. Partridge, China.	10 00
Gifts to Rector and wife ...	180 00	Tenement house Mission	
Diocesan Missions .....	133 50	King's Daughters.....	5 00
General Fund.....	100 00	Missionary boxes W. A .....	189 81
Christmas Fund.....	35 00	"    "    K. D.....	129 74
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 00	"    "    Jun. Aux.	70 90
Expenses W. A.....	28 00	"    "    G. F. S..	18 60

Parochial, \$6,017.54; Diocesan, \$711.50; General, \$3,383.79.....\$10,062 83

Church Property—Church, \$50,000; Rectory, \$8,000; Chapel, \$3,000: \$61,000.

Insurance, \$26,000.

Utica, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES T. OLMSTED, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. WILLIAM COOK, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Wardens—William H. Watson, M. D., L. C. Childs.

Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 36.....	42	Burials. ....	23
Confirmed .....	25	Services—Sund. 260, weekd. 578.	838
Communicants—ad. 24, rec. 14,		Holy Communion—pub. 128, priv.	
died 8, rem. 7, present no.....	522	11.....	139
Marriages.....	9	S. S. Teachers 22, Scholars 186..	208

Onelda County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

nion Alms.....	\$ 375 70	St. Luke's Home and Hos-	
nd Rector's Salary..	8,370 78	pital, Utica.....	\$3,108 17
School.....	82 48	H. G. S. Utica.....	548 00
and Improvements,	4,088 76	Christian Association.....	804 00
ociety.....	408 65	Missions—Domestic.....	857 88
riendly Society.....	235 00	“ W. A....	1,206 00
rew's Chapel.....	687 91	“ W.A.bxs	518 64
ip's Mission.....	147 81	“ Jun. Aux...	40 00
estival 1892.....	182 51	“ Jun.Aux.bxs.	85 90
Bulletin.....	104 99	Foreign.....	829 11
'arochial objects....	222 41	“ W. A.....	158 00
n Missions.....	797 69	“ Jun. Aux..	50 00
“ special...	50 00	“ Gen'l J.Aux	156 56
“ W. A....	218 00	Jews.....	54 89
Fund.....	119 62	Ladies Aid Society bxs....	510 60
as Fund.....	97 47	N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y...	54 28
ute Mission.....	26 50	General Clergy Relief.....	12 00
Aid Society bxs....	510 79	Church Blding Fund.....	146 78
s Relief Fund.....	18 70	St. John's, Newfoundland..	20 00
s Chaplain.....	75 00	Specials to Missionary Bps.	110 00
nial to Secretary...	585 00	Miscellaneous.....	255 00

al, \$14,802; Diocesan, \$6,448.94; General, \$4,060 49.....\$25,311 48

h Property—Church, \$182,000. Insurance, \$47,000.

ervices at St. Andrew's Chapel, Faxton street, have been conducted  
y by the Clergy of the Parish, and also once a week at St. Luke's  
l. A Mission was opened among the colored people on Charlotte  
n November and is known as St. Philip's. A memorial Corona has  
esented to the Church, and the stone arcade of the chancel has been  
n various designs of diaper work.

Utica, Memorial Church of the Holy Cross.

THE REV. JAMES J. BURD, RECTOR.

ees—Rt. Rev. F. D. Huntington, James Eagan, Edward D. Brandeggee,  
. Canfield, Chas. Higginson, Sr., N. W. Burns, A. R. Mitchell.

.....	104	Marriages.....	4
s—Ad. 4, Inf. 15.....	19	Burials.....	4
ed.....	18	Services—Sund. 196, weekd. 138.	384
nicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub, 85, priv. 4,	89
ll others 24, ad. 17, rec.		S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 100..	112
l 2, rem. 7, present no...	181		

Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	29 43	Diocesan Missions.....\$	90 25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,709 23	Bishop's Relief Fund .. .	14 81
Repairs and Improvements,	75 91	Deaf Mutes, C. N. Y.....	10 33
Building Fund ... ..	739 81	Bishop's Chaplain. . . . .	12 00
Women's Guild .. . . .	103 29	Missions—Domestic, W. A.	14 00
Gifts to Rector's family....	45 00	“ W.A.bxs.	21 50
Brotherhood of St. Andrew	6 25	Jews.....	8 88
Convention expenses .....	9 00	Widows and orphans of	
Altar Guild. .... .	15 45	Clergy.....	8 58
Girls Friendly Society.....	73 45	Church Temperance Soc....	3 00
Other Parochial objects....	5 65	S. S. Lenten Offering .....	55 88

Parochial, \$2,814.97; Diocesan, \$127.38; General, \$111.84 .....\$3.05 1 19  
Church Property—Church, \$36,000; Chapel, \$1,100: \$37.100.  
Insurance, \$12,700.

Since last report 27 feet have been added to the tower, and contract given for the completion of the tower and spire. It is expected that this work will be completed during the present summer. Choir stalls and two reading desks have also been added to the Church ornaments. The usual services have been held at the House of the Good Shepherd during the year.

Utica, St. George's Church.

THE REV. W. B. COLEMAN, JR., RECTOR.

Wardens—W. M. Gibson, M. D., Edward Trevvett.

Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 26. ....	35	Marriages .....	9
Confirmed .....	8	Burials .....	13
Communicants.....	121	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 55....	63

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	58 20	Diocesan Missions. .... \$	29 75
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,761 50	Christmas Fund.....	1 00
Sunday School.....	53 84	Missions—Domestic .....	6 50
Repairs and Improvements,	161 92	“ W.A.bxs.	5 60
Guild of St. Faith. . . . .	66 48		
Parochial, \$2,101.94; Diocesan, \$30.75; General, \$55.10.....			\$2,187 79

Utica, St. Luke's Memorial Church.

THE REV. BERNARD SCHULTE, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. GEORGE HARVY TRICKETT, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Wardens—Henry Hopson, Richard W. Oastler.

Families .....	300	Services—Sund. 260, weekd. 156.	410
Baptisms—Ad. 22, Inf. 113 .....	135	Holy Communion—pub. 108, priv	142
Confirmed.....	44	34 .....	414
Marriages.....	68	S. S. Teachers 34, Scholars 380.	87
Burials.....	79	Parochial Teachers 8, Scholars 8	

Onelda County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

n Alms.....\$	98 10	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	15 02
Rector's Salary..	2,080 23	St. Luke's Hospital.....	300 00
hool.....	355 02	Special charities .....	61 00
d Improvements.	953 03	Missions—Domestic... ..	11 00
assessment.....	344 87	“ W. A. bxs	86 00
interest.....	2,493 04	Foreign .....	10 51
.....	152 20	“ W. A. bxs	48 25
ety .....	81 83	Colored People..	5 00
ndly Society.....	143 00	“ W. A. bxs.	15 00
the poor.....	115 00	Jews.....	5 67
ochial objects....	275 00	Special to Churches.....	67 00
Missions.....	58 90	Africa... ..	15 00
und.....	15 74	Aids to Students .....	75 00
Fund.....	14 01		
\$7,093.32; Diocesan, \$464.87; General, \$328.43. ....\$7,881 62			

Property—Church, \$23,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Parish House,  
Irish Building Fund, \$1,250: \$32,750.

traordinary effort within the Parish, assisted by most generous aid  
ds in Utica and New York City , the entire debt of the Parish has  
A temporary Parish House is provided, and the parish building  
l soon be under way.

Utica, Trinity Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM D. MAXON, RECTOR.

s—Miles C. Comstock, William M. Storrs.

-Ad. 2, Inf. 8 .....	10	Marriages .....	8
.....	12	Burials .....	18
ants—within two years		S. S. Teachers and Officers 15,	
others 60, died 2, rem. 5,		Scholars 95.....	110
no.....	290		

OFFERINGS.

n Alms.....\$	56 53	Parish Record .....	\$ 85 00
Rector's Salary..	3,355 01	Other Parochial objects....	150 43
hool.....	136 56	Diocesan Missions.....	201 89
d Improvements.	869 31	General Fund.....	60 00
d Insurance.....	194 00	Christmas Fund.....	54 56
Parish House....	2,113 03	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	16 00
ebt.....	1,750 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	40 00
oter.....	119 48	Missions—Domestic .....	96 40
ndly .....	123 32	W. A. bxs.....	183 25
od of St. Andrew.	40 42	Foreign .....	28 56
St. Andrew and		Deaf Mutes .....	8 24
rving class.....	16 00	General Missions, S. S.....	46 50
wing School.....	8 00	Mrs. Buford's Hosp. G.F.S.	40 00

\$9,017.04; Diocesan, \$372.45; General, \$402.95 .....\$9,792 44

Property—Church, \$15,000; Rectory, \$4,500; Parish House, \$9,000:

lness, \$4,500. Insurance, \$19,500.

Oneida County : Utica.

Waterville, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. AVIRETT, RECTOR.

Wardens—Amos O. Osborn, George W. Berrill.

Families .....	90	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 15 .....	20	Burials.....	9
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 206.	362
175. all others 5, rec. 2, died 8,		Holy Communion—pub. 79, priv. 14,	93
present no....	175	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 80....	89

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 102 15	General Fund.....	\$ 19 65
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,250 00	Christmas Fund.....	86 80
Sunday School... ..	58 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	8 38
Carpeting, etc. Church....	1,550 00	Shelter, Syracuse, Jr. Aux.	12 00
Fund for Parish House....	585 09	Bishop's Chaplain.....	15 00
Thanksgiving offering ..	70 98	Missions—Domestic.....	17 90
Parish Aid Association....	105 00	S. S .....	10 00
Music and St. Andrew's		Foreign, S. S....	10 00
Brotherhood ... ..	120 00	W. A. bxs .....	212 00
Junior Aux. Chapel fund ..	115 00	Japanese, W. A.	10 00
Papering and painting.....	39 00	Jews ... ..	6 48
Diocesan Missions.....	73 08	South Dakota Jun. Aux....	18 00
Mission work in Diocese....	100 00	Colored Sch. Md. Jr. Aux..	6 00

Parochial, \$3,995.22; Diocesan, \$259.86; General, \$290.36.....\$4,545 44

Church Property—Church, \$7,500; Rectory, \$4,000: \$11,500.

Insurance, \$8,200.

The death of Mr. Richard Berrill, Warden, the successor of his father, is a serious loss to the parish. Two facts in connection with this report I beg to emphasize: viz, the marked activity of the Woman's Auxiliary, aggregating from both branches, senior and junior, in boxes and money \$463.38, and the liberal benefaction of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Henry Lee, in carpeting, upholst-  
ering and frescoing the Church, referred to in the last report but not included in financial statement of 1892.

Westmoreland, Gethsemane Church.

THE REV. E. C. ALCORN, RECTOR.

Wardens--Amos Barnes, Samuel G. Smith.

Families .....	22	Marriage .....	1
Baptism—Infant .....	1	Burials.....	2
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 78, weekd. 18...	96
31, all others 8, rec. 1, died 1,		Holy Communion—public .....	18
rem. 3, present no.....	36	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 10....	12

Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Alms.....\$	7 03	General Fund.....\$	12 00
Rector's Salary..	311 23	Christmas Fund ... ..	1 75
School.....	5 40	Bishop's Chaplain.....	4 00
Fair.....	73 56	St. Luke's Home and Hosp.	14 50
Festival.....	30 00	Missions—Domestic.....	10 35
Missions .....	41 50	W. A. bxs.....	6 00

\$427.22; Diocesan, \$73.75; General, \$16.35.....\$ 517 32

Property—Church, \$4,000.

On Day I resigned this parish and St. Mark's Mission, Clark's Mills, taking effect May 1, 1893.

Whitesboro, St. John's Church.

THE REV. JAMES K. PARKER, RECTOR.

—Frederick E. Hyde, M. D., Henry M. Wagner.

.....	50	Burials.....	3
Ad. 8, Inf. 7 ... ..	10	Services—Sund. 99, weekd. 90...	189
.....	12	Holy Communion—pub.30, priv.4	84
nts.....	85	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 50....	54
.....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Alms.....\$	50 76	Christmas Fund.....\$	5 72
Rector's Salary..	360 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 79
School... ..	25 00	St. Luke's Hosp. bx. W. A.	10 00
Improvements.	16 00	Offering at Convocation....	8 50
Memorials.....	288 50	H. G. S. bx. G. F. S .....	3 00
d.....	84 27	Missions—Domestic .....	5 00
Society.....	175 00	“ S. S ...	7 78
Ly Society.....	18 00	“ W.A.bxs.	24 74
Window .....	15 00	“ G. F. S.	10 00
lot.....	1,000 00	Foreign W. A...	10 00
.....	49 08	Colored, W. A...	14 75
chial objects....	61 00	“ W.A.bx.	2 00
Missions .....	42 97	Mound City, West Mo.....	18 90
“ W. A....	14 00	Mrs. Buford's Hospital Va..	7 50
nd .....	8 73		

\$2,142.61; Diocesan, \$97.71; General, \$95.67.....\$2,335 99

Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

\$, \$2,800.

Onondaga County : Baldwinsville—Fayetteville.

Onondaga County.

Baldwinsville, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM M. BEAUCHAMP, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Isaac M. Baldwin, Richard Richardson.

Families.....	70	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 5 .....	6	Burials.....	22
Confirmed .....	6	Services—Sund. 106, weekd. 28..	134
Communicants—ad. 4, rem. 14,		Holy Communion—public.....	14
present no.....	150	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75...	84

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 60 40	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 17 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,100 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 65
Sunday School .....	75 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y	7 00
Repairs and Improvements,	200 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	15 00
Easter .....	75 00	Onondaga Mission.....	5 00
Thanksgiving. ....	47 83	Missions—Domestic....	6 00
Diocesan Missions.....	83 00	“ W.A.bxs	20 00
Endowment Fund .....	150 00	Foreign ....	6 00
Guild .....	60 00	Colored People..	5 00
Miscellaneous.....	75 00	Increase of the Ministry...	5 00
Shelter and H.G.S., W.A.bx	76 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund...	5 00
General Fund.....	25 00	Women's Auxiliary .....	3 00

Parochial, \$1,843.25; Diocesan, \$234.65; General, \$50.00 .....\$2,127 90

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Endowment Fund, \$950: \$13,950.

Insurance, \$5,200.

Fayetteville, Trinity Church.

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

Wardens—DeLancey Bartlett, Denison Higley.

Families.....	53	Burials.....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 7.....	9	Services—Sund. 158, weekd. 61..	214
Communicants—died 1, rem. 8..		Holy Communion—pub.52, priv.1..	53
present no....	134	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 65....	72
Marriage .....	1		

Onondaga County : Jamesville—Jordan.

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms.....\$	16 65	General Fund.....\$	41 86
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	880 20	Christmas Fund.....	4 89
Sunday School .....	7 82	Building Fund.....	4 32
Repairs and Improvements.	38 62	Comforter, H. G. S.....	1 25
Convention expenses.....	7 90	Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A.....	10 00
Insurance....	75 75	Bishop's Chaplain.....	15 00
Interest.....	147 60	Missions—Domestic.....	1 60
Paid on note .....	100 00	“ S S.inLent	8 58
Other Parochial objects....	95 04	Foreign.....	4 80
Diocesan Missions. ....	26 82	Deaf Mutes.....	4 21
“ “ S. S ...	4 37	N. Y. Prayer Book Society..	3 10
Parochial, \$1,378.58; Diocesan, \$108.01; General, \$22.29.....\$1,508 88			
Church Property—Church, \$14,000; Rectory, \$2,200: \$16,200.			
Indebtedness, \$2,360. Insurance, \$8,700.			

Jamesville, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BABCOCK, D. D., RECTOR.

Warden—O. H. Bogardus.

Families .....	20	Burial .....	1
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 42, weekd. 2....	44
21, all others 4, died 1, rem 1,		Holy Communion—public.....	9
present no.....	25	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms.....\$	12 00	Sunday School.....\$	8 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	293 00	Diocesan Missions, .....	19 00
Parochial, \$313; Diocesan; \$19 .. .....\$ 332 00			
Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$900: \$3,900			
Insurance, \$2,000.			

Jordan, Christ Church.

THE REV. GEORGE W. SOUTHWELL, RECTOR.

Wardens—H. H. Daboll, S. L. Rockwell.

Families .....	68	Burials.....	6
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 11.....	14	Services—Sunday .....	95
Confirmed.....	7	Holy Communion—pub. 12, priv.1	13
Communicants.....	100	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 50....	57
Marriages .....	4		



Onondaga County: Manlius—Marcellus.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 6 25	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 33 48
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	678 15	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	33 05
Sunday School .....	13 88	Missions—Domestic .....	33 00
Repairs and Improvements,	45 00	Foreign .....	33 00
Miscellaneous.....	26 43	Jews.....	33 00
Diocesan Missions.. .....	24 56	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	33 00
General Fund.....	10 00		
Parochial, \$769.71; Diocesan, \$44.04; General, \$20.00.....			\$ 88 33 75

Manlius, Christ Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BABCOCK, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Horace Nims, M. D , Elijah Stanton.

Families .....	33	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 8.. .....	16	Burials.....	7
Confirmed. ....	7	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 42..	144
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion - pub.54, priv.2	56
47, all others 3, ad. 8, rec. 3,		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 44....	50
died 2, rem. 3, present no .....	50		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 34 07	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 7 41
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	351 55	Bishop's Chaplain.....	5 00
Sunday School.....	11 50	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 25
Repairs and Improvements.	22 30	Exp's delegates, W. A. Jr.	3 60
Insurance, etc., W. A. ....	13 25	Missions—Domestic S. S. ...	3 24
General expenses, W. A. Jr.	15 85	“ Jr. W. A.	2 20
Diocesan Missions.....	41 27	Indian Jr. W.A.bxs	1 00
“ “ W.A.Jr.bxs	7 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	3 00
General Fund.....	12 00		
Parochial, \$448.52; Diocesan, \$96.53; General, \$49.44.....			\$ 59 49

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,500.  
Insurance, \$4,500.

Marcellus, St. John's Church.

REPORTED BY MATTHEW I. HUNT, LAY READER.

Warden—Addison Seymour, Sr.

Families .....	43	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 6 .....	7	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 83..	1 37
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 6, pri. 1.	7
59, all others 6, rec. 1, rem. 3..		S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 27.....	30
present no .....	37		

Onondaga County : Onondaga Castle—Skaneateles.

OFFERINGS.			
d Rector's Salary..\$	287 53	Diocesan Missions W.A.bx \$	2 00
School.....	19 45	General Fund.....	7 80
nd Improvements.	21 00	Chaplain's Fund .....	5 00
e. . . . .	36 00	Missions—Foreign ....	3 81
.....	50 00	Colored W.A. bxs	15 00
arish Aid. ....	125 46	Deaf Mutes.....	50
Missions.....	25 00		
l, \$539.44; Diocesan, \$39.80; General, \$19.31 .....\$ 598 55			
n Property—Church, \$4,750. Insurance, \$3,000.			

onondaga Castle, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. JOHN SCOTT, MISSIONARY.

.....	27	Marriages.....	2
s—Infant.....	6	Burials.....	4
ed .....	6	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 17..	119
icants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 12, pri. 2	14
esent no.....	45	S. S. Teacher 1, Scholars 25.....	26

OFFERINGS.			
Expenses.....\$	25 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	1 90
and Improvements,	25 00	Missions—Foreign .....	1 00
l, \$50; Diocesan, \$1.90; General, \$1.00.....\$ 52 90			
oney for painting the Mission House was obtained from the Bishop			
ids in Syracuse.			

Skaneateles, St. James' Church.

THE REV. FRANK N. WESTCOTT, RECTOR.

ens—William Marvin, E. Ruel Smith.

s—Ad. 6, Inf. 2 .....	8	Burials .....	6
ed .....	17	Services.....	326
icants—within two years		Holy Communion .....	110
em. 4, present no. ....	340	Sunday School ... ..	60
es .....	3		

OFFERINGS.			
nion Alms.....\$	60 00	Missions—Domestic, W.A.bxs	62 78
d Rector's Salary..	1,572 41	Foreign .....	44 61
School.....	5 15	“ W. A..	14 00
Missions .....	196 01	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	17 00
Scott's salary, W.A.	5 00	Increase of the Ministry...	29 33
Fund.. ..	22 28	Memorial scholarship .....	3 00
as Fund .....	32 86	Offering at Baltimore and	
—Domestic .....	41 39	expenses ....	17 00
“ W. A....	14 00	Other expenses, W. A.....	3 68

l, \$1,637.56; Diocesan, \$256.15; General, \$246.79.....\$ 2,140 50

h Property—Church, \$27.958, Rectory, \$4,000: \$31.958.

nce, \$17,000.

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

Syracuse, Calvary Church.

THE RT. REV. F. D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. J. EVERETT JOHNSON, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Families.....	120	Marriages.....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 33.....	36	Burials.....	18
Confirmed.....	4	Services—Sund. 174, weekd. 340	511
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 85, priv.	92
140, ad. 13, died 6, rem. 12,		S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 150..	159
present no.....	209		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	638 00	Bishop's Chaplain .....	\$ 1 00	00
Sunday School.....	17 00	District fund of W. A.....	1 00	
The poor.....	10 00	Onondaga Mission, W. A..	2 00	
Organ ..	50 00	Missions—Domestic, S.S....	6 40	
Altar Society .....	17 35	W. A. bx .....	1 00	
Insurance .....	40 00	Foreign, W.A.bx	1 00	
Mother's Guild.....	27 90	Colored, W. A..	2 00	
Diocesan Missions.....	12 50	Jane Westcott fund .....	2 00	
General Fund .....	10 00			
Parochial, \$800.25; Diocesan, \$35.50; General, \$12.40.....			\$ 848	15

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Guild House, \$1,300: \$5,800.

Insurance, \$4,000.

St. Luke's Mission is in a prosperous condition. The old organ has been replaced by a new one, a furnace has been put in and other improvements have been made. Total expenditures, \$202.67, of which \$63.99 were met by the Sunday offerings. Sunday School, Teachers 10, Scholars 200, S. S. Missionary offering, \$2.56. Services at the County House fortnightly, Holy Communion monthly.

Syracuse East, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. J. EVERETT JOHNSON, MINISTER IN CHARGE.

Families.....	38	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 13 .....	16	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 52	154
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	12
40, rec. 1, rem. 3, present no...	50	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 53....	60
Marriage .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	203 31	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 1	48
Sunday School .....	15 56	Missions—Domestic.....	8	16
Repairs and Improvements.	82 09	Foreign .....	8	00
Diocesan Missions .....	5 00			
Parochial, \$300.96; Diocesan, \$6.48; General, \$16.16.....			\$ 328	60

Church Property—Church, \$2,500.

*Onondaga County: Syracuse.*

**Syracuse, Grace Church.**

THE REV. HERBERT G. CODDINGTON, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Wells B. Hatch, George Jack.

Families .....	126	Churchings .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 7 .....	8	Marriages.....	9
Confirmed .....	14	Burials.....	16
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 114, weekd. 115.	229
182, all others 66, rec. 20, died		Holy Communion—pub.102,priv.2,	104
7, rem. 10, present no.....	248	S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 150..	163

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms... ..\$	25 23	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 3 75
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,521 04	Building Fund.....	50
Sunday School.....	130 08	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 86
Repairs and Improvements.	439 35	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	82
St. Andrew's Brotherhood..	57 50	St. Luke's Mission, Syr.....	8 15
King's Daughters .....	13 83	H. G. S., Syracuse .....	3 83
Christmas Tree, S. S.....	32 00	Shelter, Syracuse .....	2 83
Altar Guild of St. Edith ..	44 00	Missions—Domestic ..	8 00
Other Parochial objects....	47 11	“ W. A....	4 50
Diocesan Missions.....	34 09	“ S. S....	6 55
“ “ W. A....	4 00	Foreign .....	6 54
“ “ W. A. bxs.	10 00	Deaf Mutes.....	2 65
General Fund.....	35 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund...	1 06

Parochial, \$2,310.14; Diocesan, \$111.83; General, \$52.15... ..\$2,474 12

Church Property—Church, \$34,000; Rectory, \$6,000: \$40,000.

Indebtedness, \$2,000. Insurance, \$12,000.

During the year the church building has been put in thorough repair and greatly beautified. The interior walls and ceilings have been decorated in oil colors; new carpets have been laid in chancel and nave; the entire woodwork has been cleaned, oiled and varnished; three new furnaces have been placed in the basement; the organ has been turned so that the key board is in the chancel; new choir stalls have been provided; the stone-work has been re-pointed, and several other improvements have been made. The cost of these improvements was mainly met by a gift of \$2,000 from Mr. F. Aug. Schermerhorn, of New York city, which sum is not included in the above statistics. Mr. Schermerhorn's mother gave most of the funds for the building of the church in 1876.

**Syracuse, St. James' Church.**

THE REV. A. A. BROCKWAY, RECTOR-ELECT.

*Wardens*—Daniel O. Salmon, George J. Gardner.

Families .....	150	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 8 .....	9	Services—Sund. 90, weekd. 38...	128
Communicants .....	108	Holy Communion—pub.25,priv.3.	28
Marriages.....	7	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 100..	110

Onondaga County: Syracuse.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms....	\$ 17 34	For the poor.....	\$ 5 17
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	600 00	Brass memorial pulpit....	400 00
Sunday School....	30 00	Brass altar desk, K. D., ...	15 70
Repairs and Improvements.	400 00	S. Hilda Society .....	11 1 00
Offerings for Rector .....	87 78	Young People's Society....	80 46
Brass receiving basin, paten,		Easter, special .....	600 00
and communion case ....	18 00	Diocesan Missions.....	2 50
Altar Society ....	25 00	Christmas Fund.....	3 00

Parochial, \$2,370.45; Diocesan, \$5.50.....\$2,370 95

Church Property—Church contents, lot and a house, \$48,000.

Indebtedness, \$25,000. Insurance, \$22,000.

Syracuse, St. John's Church.

THE REV. W. DEL. WILSON, RECTOR.

Trustees—Wm. Crabtree, President; O. A. Thomas, M. D., Secretary.

Families ....	153	Marriages.....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 24 .....	29	Burials.....	18
Confirmed .....	12	Services—Sund. 152, weekd. 107.	259
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.81, priv.6	87
185, all others 48, ad. 12, rec. 5,		S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 76...	89
died 4, rem. 5, present no.....	233		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 24 00	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 6 87
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	667 67	Diocesan Missions .....	40 53
Sunday School .....	42 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 00
Repairs and Improvements.	132 15	St. Luke's .....	3 00
Gifts to Rector .....	95 00	Missions—Domestic .....	15 24
Taxes and insurance .....	38 27	“ W. A. bxs.	5 00
Font .....	86 76	Colored People..	2 70
Other Parochial objects....	141 00	Junior Auxiliary.....	7 00

Parochial, \$1,226.85; Diocesan, \$53.40; General, \$29.94.....\$1,310 19

Church Property—Church, \$5,500; Parish House, \$1,100; Guild House, \$2,100: \$8,700. Insurance, \$6,000.

Syracuse, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. EZEKIEL W. MUNDY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Guy Terry, Cyrus D. Avery.

Baptisms—Infant .....	18	Burials.....	4
Confirmed .....	3	Services—Sund. 68, weekd. 30...	98
Communicants—ad. 3, pres. no.	88	Holy Communion—public .....	11
Marriages .....	2	S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 112..	125

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 3 60	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 18 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	937 53	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	4 46
Sunday School.....	70 00	Shelter .....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements.	23 70	H. G. S., Syracuse .....	5 00
Fund for completing church	212 72	Hospital.....	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	60 00	Missions—Foreign ...	5 00
General Fund.....	17 00	Mrs. Buford's Hospital....	10 00

Parochial, \$1,247.56; Diocesan, \$119.46; General, \$15.00.....\$1,382 02

Church Property—Church, \$7,000. Insurance, \$5,800.

The Rector has been disabled and absent during the entire year, and from May 1, 1892, to March 19, 1893, the Rev. Frank Tompkins was in charge. Since Mr. Tompkins left no one has been in charge.

Syracuse, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. HENRY R. LOCKWOOD, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Leroy L. Alexander, Charles Andrews.

Families .....	315	Marriages .....	18
Baptisms—Ad. 16, Inf. 33 .....	49	Burials.....	21
Confirmed.....	32	Services—Sund. 144, weekd. 656.	800
Communicants—ad. 28, rec. 19,		Holy Communion—pub. .59priv. 5	64
died 6, rem. 26, present no. ....	528	S. S. Teachers 25, Scholars 198..	164

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 293 67	St. John's Syracuse.....	\$ 250 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	9,817 86	Bishop's Chaplain.....	90 00
Sunday School.....	206 91	Onondaga Mission W. A...	20 00
Church debt. ....	1,800 00	Testimonial to Secretary...	100 00
The poor .....	160 50	Missions—General, S. S....	100 00
Altar Society .....	189 00	Domestic .....	34 00
City charities .....	877 00	“ Jun. Aux	81 25
Choir festival .....	54 00	Foreign.....	28 90
Woman's Parochial Society.	701 59	“ W. A...	50 00
Diocesan Missions.....	5 2 98	Deaf Mutes ...	22 44
“ “ W. A. bxs	61 00	Nashotah, (bequest \$25,000)	30,000 00
General Fund.....	100 00	St. Andrew's Div. School ..	62 22
Christmas Fund.....	79 33	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	16 43
Episcopate Fund .....	300 00	Clerical Relief. ....	33 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	12 78	Other objects W. A	33 50
H. G. S. Syracuse .....	\$6,600 00	“ “ Jun. Aux...	26 40

Parochial, \$14,100.03; Diocesan, \$3,126.09; General, \$30,487.94...\$52,714 06

Church Property—Church, \$150,000; Other, \$3,000: \$153,000.

Indebtedness, \$36,000. Insurance, \$37,000.

Onondaga County : Syracuse. Oswego County : Cleveland.

Syracuse, Trinity Church.

THE REV. ROBERT HUDSON, PH. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—David N. Phinney, John L. Kling.

Families .....	108	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 40..	1 40
Baptisms—Ad. 17, Inf. 13.....	30	Holy Communion—pub.55, priv.6	61
Confirmed.....	65	S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 188..	2 06
Communicants.....	325	Mission Parish School—Teachers	
Marriages.....	5	11, Scholars 60. ....	71
Burials.....	15		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 116 34	Diocesan Missiona.....	\$ 40 59
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,678 80	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	30 70
Sunday School.....	174 77	H. G. S., Syracuse.....	5 24
Repairs and Improvements.	1,337 25	Rev. John Scott.....	5 00
Trinity Mission .....	89 39	Destitute clergyman.....	3 00
Brotherhood St. Andrew...	138 08	Auxiliary expenses .....	1 00
Trinity Guild.....	876 43	Missions—Foreign.....	3 00

Parochial, \$5,411.06; Diocesan, \$85.53; General, \$3.00.....\$5,499 59

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Rectory, \$6,000; Parish House, \$6,000; other property, \$3,000: \$25,000.

Indebtedness, \$7.947. Insurance, \$12,000.

Oswego County.

Cleveland, St. James' Church.

THE REV. GEORGE L. NEIDE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Crawford Getman, George G. Baker.

Families .....	45	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 11 .....	12	Burials.....	8
Confirmed .....	14	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 22..	122
Communicants—ad. 16. died 5,		Holy Communion—pub.18, priv.3,	21
rem. 3, present no.....	20	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40... -	45

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 7 90	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 5 15
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	380 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 60
Sunday School.....	17 70	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	25 00	Missions—Domestic.....	9 23

Parochial, \$405.60; Diocesan, \$38.75; General, \$9.23.....\$ 453 58

Church Property—Church, \$2,000.

Oswego County : Fulton—Lacona—Mexico.

Fulton, Zion Church.

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

Wardens—Samuel B. Whitaker, Willis S. Nelson.

Members.....	60	Burials.....	5
Members—Ad. 1, Inf. 3 .....	4	Services—Sund. 93, weekd. 6.....	98
Married.....	4	Holy Communion—pub.11, priv.3,	14
Communicants about.....	75	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 40.....	47
Age.....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Ward and Rector's Salary..\$	430 80	Diocesan Missions.....\$	37 85
Y School offerings....	39 05	Christmas Fund.....	3 00
S.....	77 83	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 00
Age debt.....	164 40		
Total, \$708.08; Diocesan, \$44.85.....			\$ 747 93
Church Property—Church, \$2,500; Rectory, \$1,800: \$4,300.			
Wardedness, \$150. Insurance, \$2,000.			

Lacona, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. DANIEL DALY, MISSIONARY.

Members.....	40	Marriages.....	3
Members—Ad. 1, Inf. 4 .....	5	Burials.....	10
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 93, weekd. 22...	115
Others 15, ad. 4, rec. 4,		Holy Communion—public. ....	3
1, present no .....	19	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 24.....	27

OFFERINGS.

Union Alms..... \$	7 00	New church building .....	\$1,591 00
Ward and Rector's Salary..	75 00	Diocesan Missions.....	11 00
Total, \$1,673.00; Diocesan, \$11.00 .....			\$1,684 00
Church Property—Church, \$2,000.			
Wardedness, \$413.51. Insurance, \$1,500.			

Mexico, Grace Church.

Members—Infant .....	1	Burials.....	2
Age.....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Expenses .....	\$ 390 27	Diocesan Missions.....\$	22 93
Repairs and Improvements.	2 62		
Total, \$392.89; Diocesan, \$22.93 .....			\$ 415 82
Property—Church, \$17,000. Insurance, \$5,000.			



Oswego County : Oswego.

Oswego, Christ Church.

THE REV. PHILIP N. MEADE, RECTOR.

Wardens—George C. McWhorter, Charles H. Butler.

Families.....	200	Marriages .....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 18....	14	Burials.....	18
Confirmed.....	17	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 200.	80
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 90, priv. 12,	10
275, died 5, rem. 2, present no.	285	S. S. Teachers 19, Scholars 150..	16

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	149 60	Diocesan Missions W.A. bx.\$	130 2
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	6,304 20	General Fund .....	80 0
Sunday School.....	188 74	Christmas Fund.....	45 7
Repairs and Improvements.	8,721 38	Lacona.....	12 0
Lent offerings .....	9 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 0
Education Southern girl ...	50 00	Deaf Mutes, C. N. Y. ....	81 1
Mite Society.....	32 24	Bishop's Chaplain.....	50 0
Employment Society .....	45 00	Missions—Domestic.....	36 7
St. Mary's Guild.....	13 60	W. A. bxs .....	115 2
Girls Friendly Society.....	53 00	Jun. Aux.....	25 0
Guild of the Holy Child ...	15 00	" " box...	30 0
Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	10 00	C.N.Y. Prayer Book Society	15 0
Other Parochial objects ...	10 00	Gen. Theo. Sem .....	10 0
Diocesan Missions.....	105 23	Parochial Missions Society..	10 0
" " S. S.....	12 37	Bishop Gilbert.....	100 0
" " W. A. ....	110 95		
Parochial, \$15,551.76; Diocesan, \$607.75; General, \$370.11 .....	\$16,529 6		
Church Property—Church, \$54,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$57,000.			
Indebtedness, \$7,200. Insurance, \$51,000.			

Oswego, Church of the Evangelists.

THE REV. H. P. LEF. GRABAU, LATE RECTOR.

Wardens—Benjamin Doolittle, Robert Downey.

Families.....	180	Marriages .....	8
Baptisms—Infant .....	25	Burials.....	14
Confirmed.. ..	11	Services—Sund. 260, weekd. 278.	53
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public 103,	
248, all others 39, ad. 18, rec. 7,		private 6.....	10
died 38, rem. 10, present no. ..	237	S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 125..	13

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	64 00	Paid on indebtedness .....	\$ 175 0
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,770 60	Printing, etc., .....	32 0
Sunday School .....	88 58	New Parish House built ...	2,400 0
Repairs and Improvements.	214 74	Vestments .....	118 0
Fuel, lights and water .....	320 14	Diocesan Missions.....	49 0
Insurance .....	127 39	General Fund .....	11 9
Repairs on Rectory.....	167 84	Christmas Fund .....	11 8
Interest on indebtedness...	175 00		
Parochial, \$5,653.34; Diocesan, \$72.76.....	\$5,726 1		
Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Parish House			
\$3,000: \$31,000.			
Indebtedness, \$3,905. Insurance, \$16,700.			

*Oneida County : Pulaski. Seneca County : Dey's Landing.*

**Pulaski, St. James' Church.**

THE REV. ROBERT PAUL, RECTOR.

Members—John T. McCarty, Charles L. Myers.

Communicants.....	60	Marriages .....	7
—Ad. 1, Inf. 2 .....	3	Burials.....	9
Deaths.....	4	Services—Sund. 97, weekd. 26...	128
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.12, priv.2,	14
4, died 1, present no....	55	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 38....	43

OFFERINGS.

Rectory and Rector's Salary..\$	441 74	Diocesan Missions, W.A....\$	10 00
School.....	20 00	Christmas Fund .....	8 86
Rector and wife....	50 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 12
Missions.....	28 20	General Missions, S. S. ....	12 00

Total, \$510.74; Diocesan, \$49.68; General, \$12 ..... \$ 573 42

Real Estate—Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$5,000.

Personal, \$2,600.

The church has a handsome embroidered set of altar, desk and pulpit coverings, made for Whitsunday, were recently presented to St. James' Church by our communicants, and the Lenten offerings of the Sunday School and General Board of Missions were larger than ever before.

**Seneca County.**

**Dey's Landing, St. Andrew's Mission.**

Members—M. E. Halsey, C. C. Pontius.

Communicants.....	10	Holy Communion—public .....	5
—Sund. 52, weekd. 2 ...	54	S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 10....	11

OFFERINGS.

General Fund.....\$	21 75	General Fund.....\$	2 39
Expenses.....	12 49	Christmas Fund .....	82
and livery bills....	39 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Society	79
Missions.....	10 96	Bishop's Chaplain .....	1 25
		Missions—Deaf Mutes .....	45

Total, \$118.98; Diocesan, \$16.21; General, .45..... \$ 135 64

The church kindly gave many services gratuitously. Messrs. Rose, Dox and so ministered in the absence of Mr. Burleson. The Rev. Dr. Potter and Messrs. Foster and Gallagher administered the Holy Communion. Messrs. Purucker and Gove also gave services.

Seneca County: Hayt's Corners—Romulus.

Hayt's Corners, Calvary Church.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—George S. Smith, William S. Brooks, William Spader.

Families .....	20	Burial .....	1
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 64, weekd. 8....	72
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 12, priv. 1	13
23, ad. 1, rem. 2, present no...	22	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 20....	24
Marriage.....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.. .....	\$ 3 00	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 20	84
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	89 53	.. .. W.A.bxs.	10	75
Christmas and Easter gifts		Christmas Fund.....		94
to Sunday School .....	12 50	Bishop's Chaplain . . . . .	1	00
Sunday School offerings....	5 50	St. Andrew's Divinity Sch .		76
Expenses to Convention....	1 30	Missions—Domestic .....	5	57
Horse sheds. ....	33 89			
Parochial, \$145.78; Diocesan, \$34.29; General, \$5.57. ....			\$ 185	64

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Romulus, St. Stephen's Church.

REPORTED BY DWIGHT A. PARCE, LAY READER.

Trustees—R. M. Steele, W. P. Goodman, Jesse Yerkes.

Families .....	25	Communicants .....	28
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 1 .....	5	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 5...	107
Confirmed .....	8		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary.. \$	199 41	Bishop's Chaplain .....	\$ 2 00
Insurance, King's Daughters	30 00	Missions—Domestic .....	8 69
Gift to organist .....	10 00	.. .. W. A..	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	33 35	Foreign.....	1 18
General Fund.....	6 00	Jews.....	48
Christmas Fund. . . . .	4 20	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	1 38
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 37		
Parochial, \$239.41; Diocesan, \$53.92; General, \$16.73....			\$ 310 06

Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.

Seneca County : Seneca Falls—Waterloo.

Seneca Falls, Trinity Church.

THE REV. HERBERT M. DENSLOW, RECTOR.

Wardens—Lansing S. Hoskins, William B. Lathrop.

Families .....	180	Burials... ..	19
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 15.....	17	Services—Sund. 124, weekd. 109,	233
Confirmed.....	21	Holy Communion—pub. 67, priv.3,	70
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 25, Scholars 169..	194
237, all others 54, ad. 21, rec. 6,		Sewing School—Teachers 17,	
died 8, rein. 15, present no....	291	Scholars 89.....	106
Marriages.....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms,.. .....	\$ 139 00	Special for Van Etten.....	\$ 20 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,198 04	By S. S. for H. G. S. Syr..	25 00
Sunday School.....	81 48	Rev. J. Scott, W. A.....	10 86
Repairs and Improvements.	66 13	W. A. for Diocesan Fund..	5 00
“ G. F. S.....	75 00	Missions—Domestic .....	130 00
From Mite Society.....	288 00	Foreign.....	105 00
Easter Offering.....	327 00	Colored, W. A. bxs	42 00
Gifts to Church.....	60 05	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	30 02
Industrial Society .....	130 60	W. A. for Mrs. Graves'	
Thanksgiving Day.....	80 03	School, Wuchang.....	10 00
Rectory debt by S. S. .	87 90	W. A. for Bishop Graves'	
Other Parochial objects....	106 59	School, Kearney Neb....	15 00
Diocesan Missions.....	300 00	W. A. sundry items.....	8 78
General Fund.....	50 00	Children's Aid Soc. S. S.....	8 33
Christmas Fund. . . . .	53 60	Student at Berkley Divinity	
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	19 00	School. S. S.....	10 00
Deaf Mute Work C. N. Y..	12 50	St. Mark's School Utah S. S.	40 00

Parochial, \$3,639.82; Diocesan, \$495.96; General, \$399.11.....\$4,534 89

Church Property—Church, \$40,000; Rectory, \$5,000: \$45,000.

Indebteduess, \$2,900. Insurance, \$17,000.

Waterloo, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. ROBERT M. DUFF, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Warden—A. H. Terwilliger.

Families.....	160	Services--Sund. 146, weekd. 106.	2:2
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 28 .....	37	Holy Communion—pub. 31, pri. 6.	37
Confirmed .....	30	S. S. Teachers 29, Scholars 170..	199
Communicants--ad. 29, rec 2, died		Parish School--Teacher 1, Schol-	
7, rem. 15, present no.....	249	ars 29.....	30
Marriages.....	6	Industrial School—Teachers 9,	
Burials.....	21	Scholars 50.....	59

Seneca County: Willard.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 109 18	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 20 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,416 60	Van Etten.....	10 00
Sunday School.....	97 05	Bishop's Secretary.....	35 00
Repairs and Improvements.	269 25	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	12 07
"    St. Paul's Guild ...	77 00	Shelter, Syr. W. A. bxs..	47 00
Parish School.....	568 65	Onondaga Mission.....	10 00
Carpeting Ch., Ladies' Soc..	344 00	Special Diocesan, W. A....	8 50
Memorial Lectern.....	400 00	H.G.S. Utica, Inf.class,S.S.	9 00
Festival decorations.....	42 00	Missions—Domestic.....	20 33
For vested Choir, S. S. ....	46 50	"    W.A.bxs	71 60
Altar book, Guild.....	8 30	Foreign .....	22 35
Antependia, S. A. G.....	14 00	Colored People..	9 46
Other Parochial objects....	11 86	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	9 00
Diocesan Missions. . . . .	198 00	Increase of the Ministry....	19 50
"    "    W. A....	3 66	Special for Bishop Wells...	14 17
General Fund.....	50 00	Alaska.....	18 00

Parochial, \$4,404.39; Diocesan, \$493.23; General, \$184.41: .....\$4,992 03

Church Property—Church, Chapel and Rectory, \$37,000;. Endowment, \$26,000: \$63,000.

Our honored Senior Warden, Mr. Sidney Warner, was gathered to his fathers, May 19, 1893, after more than fifty years of faithful service in the Vestry of this Parish.

Willard, Christ Church.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—M. J. Gilbert, William Farley, John E. Walsh.

Families .....	35	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Infant .....	4	Burials.....	4
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 8....	60
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion .....	13
41, all others 25, ad. 1, died 1,		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 38....	43
rem. 2, present no.....	64		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 13 71	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 41 97
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	310 39	"    "    W. A. bxs	55 90
Christmas gift to Rector ...	150 00	General Fund.....	3 00
Easter Offering for Parish		Christmas Fund .....	2 67
House.....	60 70	St. Andrew's Divinity Sch..	18 38
Expenses to Convention....	6 91	Bishop's Chaplain .....	4 48
Christmas gifts to S. S.....	22 00	Missions—Domestic .....	10 43
S. S. offerings.....	5 76	Sunday School ..	23 41
Stole for Rector, W. A ....	15 50	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	3 65

Parochial, \$584.97; Diocesan, \$166.40; General, \$37.49.....\$ 788 26

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Seneca County: Willowdale—Fayette.

Willowdale, Grace Church.

**Trustees**—A. P. Rose, M. E. Halsey, M. Middlewood.

<b>Families</b> .....	25	<b>Marriage</b> .....	1
<b>Baptisms</b> —Ad. 9, Inf. 15 .....	24	<b>Burials</b> .....	4
<b>Confirmed</b> .....	10	<b>Services</b> —Sund. 53, weekd. 10...	63
<b>Communicants</b> —ad. 10, died 1, rem. 9, pres. no. ....	45	<b>Holy Communion</b> —pub. 15, priv. 4	19
		<b>S. S. Teachers</b> 2, <b>Scholars</b> 35....	37

OFFERINGS.

<b>Current expenses</b> .. .....	\$ 34 43	<b>Diocesan Missions special</b> ...\$	1 53
<b>Improvements</b> .....	7 00	<b>General Fund</b> .....	6 00
<b>Charitable expenditures</b> ...	56 16	<b>Christmas Fund</b> .....	1 18
<b>County House treats</b> .....	10 00	<b>Bishop's Relief Fund</b> ... ..	7 61
<b>Stipends, livery bills, etc.</b> .	100 75	<b>C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc'y.</b>	1 50
<b>Children's Ascension treat</b> .	8 10	<b>Bishop's Chaplain</b> .....	2 00
<b>Christmas presents</b> .....	25 00	<b>Jews</b> .....	75
<b>Other Parochial objects</b> ....	20 00	<b>Deaf Mutes</b> .....	2 11
<b>Diocesan Missions</b> .....	29 60		
<b>Parochial</b> , \$261.44; <b>Diocesan</b> , \$49.42; <b>General</b> , \$2.86.....			\$ 313 72

**Church Property**—Church, \$2,150. Insurance, \$1,600.

Thanks are due to Dr. Potter, Dr. Converse, Dr. Nelson and Rev. Messrs. Gallagher, Foster, Duck, Brown, Cornell and Worcester for celebrations of Holy Communion, also to Messrs. Atwood, Nelson, Graves, Rose and Haight for services rendered in the absence of our Lay Reader, Mr. Edward Burlesen. St. Faith's Guild has repaired and distributed much clothing, ministered to the sick and visited the County House, giving the inmates a delicious Christmas treat. Services have been kept up at the Jerusalem Mission since last July.

Fayette, Jerusalem Mission.

<b>Families</b> .....	15	<b>Services</b> —Sund. 38, weekd. 2 ....	40
<b>Baptisms</b> —Ad. 2, Inf. 1 .....	3		

OFFERINGS.

<b>Current expenses</b> .....	\$ 60	<b>Charitable purposes</b> .....	\$ 1 35
<b>Lamps, &amp;c.</b> .....	3 17	<b>Livery, horse feed, &amp;c.</b> ....	10 00
<b>Printing leaflets and hymns</b>	4 35	<b>Diocesan Missions</b> .....	5 89
<b>Treat for County House</b> ...	53	<b>Christmas Fund</b> .....	85
<b>Parochial</b> , \$20; <b>Diocesan</b> , \$6.74.....			\$ 26 74

The services are held in an old meeting house, originally occupied by Lutherans; later it was used as a union meeting house; finally closed in 1890.

All the services have been gratuitous. Thanks are due to Dr. Nelson, Dr. Potter, and Rev. Messrs. Worcester, Duck, Brown and Foster. Messrs. Rose, Dox, Haight, Burlesen, Karnehan, Atwood and H. Graves have given lay services. Dr. Duff also gave a service. Sister Ruth, of Albany, has sent us leaflets, such as are used in All Saints' Cathedral, for six months. She also sent fifty Prayer Books. The average attendance has been most encouraging.

Tioga County : Owego—Smithboro.

Tioga County.

Owego, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. JAMES H. KIDDER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Watson L. Hoskins, William H. Ellis.

Families .....	82	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 1.....	3	Burials .....	8
Confirmed .....	6	Services—Sund. 105, weekd. 49..	154
Communicants—died 1, rem. 10,		Holy Communion—pub. 31, priv.3	84
present no. ....	134	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40....	45

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	29	73	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$	7	25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,600	00	Bishop's Chaplain .....		15	70
Sunday School.....	27	48	Missions—General .....		46	30
Building Fund.....	105	07	“ W. A. bxs.		137	64
Diocesan Missions .....	65	65	“ S. S. ....		13	45
“ “ W. A. bxs.	10	00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,		3	50
General Fund.....	30	00	Theological Student .....		25	00
Christmas Fund.....	25	71				
Parochial, \$1,762.28; Diocesan, \$154.31; General, \$225.89 .....					\$2,142	48

Smithboro, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. JOHN F. ESCH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—L. B. Pearsall, John M. Sly, J. A. Roberts.

Baptisms— Ad. 1, Inf. 1.....	2	Burials.....	3
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 50, weekd. 3....	53
Communicants—ad. 1, died 3,		S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 25....	25
rem. 1, present no. ....	22		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	175	06	Diocesan Missions, W. A...\$	1	40
Sunday School.....	22	82	“ “ W. A. bxs	1	00
Repairs and Improvements.	100	00	General Fund.....		93
Diocesan Missions.....	11	20			
Parochial, \$297.88; Diocesan, \$46.52.....					\$ 342 40

Church Property—Church, \$1,500. Insurance, \$1.000.

Tioga County : Waverly.

Van Etten, St. Stephen's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE N. SMITH, MINISTER.

Families .....	60	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 30, Inf. 20 . . . . .	50	Burials.....	4
Confirmed .....	31	Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 20..	120
Communicants—ad. 31, rec. 3, present no. ....	34	Holy Communion—public .....	10
		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 53....	60

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	600 00	Diocesan Missions.....\$	6 25
Sunday School.....	20 00	Bishop's Relief Fund ....	1 20
Parochial, \$620; Diocesan, \$7.45. . . . .			\$ 627 45
Church Property—Church, \$5,500.			

Waverly, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES DONOHUE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Elmer Nelson, Albert B. Baldwin.

Families .....	80	Marriages .....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 10 .....	16	Burials.....	10
Confirmed . . . . .	11	Services—Sund. 141, weekd. 148.	289
Communicants—within two years 80, all others 17, rec. 2, died 3, rem. 2, present no. ....	97	Holy Communion—pub,89,priv.1,	90
		S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 60...	72

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	18 14	Christmas Fund .....	4 04
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	654 22	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 47
Sunday School.....	94 60	Bishbp's Chaplain.....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements,	32 00	Missions—Domestic .....	4 09
Ladies' Parish Aid.....	155 23	"      W. A. bxs	14 55
Grace Guild .....	15 00	Foreign .....	5 72
Diocesan Missions .....	32 23	Indian.....	1 00
General Fund .. . . . .	8 00	Clergy Relief Fund.....	4 04
Parochial, \$969.19; Diocesan, \$53.74; General, \$29.40.....			\$1,052 33

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$3,000.

Indebtedness, \$900. Insurance, \$5,200.



*Tompkins County : Ithaca—McLean.*

**Tompkins County.**

**Ithaca, St. John's Church.**

THE REV. STEPHEN H. SYNNOTT, RECTOR.

*Wardens—Lafayette L. Treman, Hermon V. Postwick.*

Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 15.....	23	Burials.....	21
Confirmed.....	14	Services—Sund. 124, weekd. 56..	180
Communicants.....	354	Holy Communion—public .....	25
Marriages.....	12	S. S. Teachers 37, Scholars 231..	268

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 191 00	Christmas Fund ... ..	58	16
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,353 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	18	80
Sunday School .....	129 40	Missions—Domestic .....	158	26
Repairs and Improvements,	3,247 13	“ W.A.bxs.	175	00
Other Parochial objects....	345 00	Foreign .....	48	21
Diocesan Missions .....	266 38	St. Mark's. Salt Lake ....	40	00
General Fund.....	44 91	Clergy Relief.....	37	21
				46

Parochial, \$7,265.53; Diocesan, \$386.25; General, \$459.68.....\$8,111

Church Property—Church, \$18,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Parish House, \$6,000;  
Mission Chapel, \$2,400: \$33,400.

Insurance, \$14,000.

**McLean, Zion Church.**

REPORTED BY PARKER FENNO, LAY READER.

Families .....	12	Burial.....	1	24
Baptism—Adult .....	1	Services....		1
Communicants—rem. 1, pres. no.	15	Holy Communion—public.....		15
Marriage .....	1	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 12....		

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses .. .....	\$ 121 40	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 5	00
Repairs on Parsonage .....	16 00			
Parochial, \$137.40; Diocesan, \$5.00.....			\$ 142	00

Church Property—Church, \$1,500; Rectory, \$800: \$2,300.

Insurance, \$1,500.

*Tompkins County : Slaterville—Speedsville—Trumansburgh.*

**Slaterville, St. Thomas Mission.**

THE REV. CHARLES MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

*Wardens*—R. G. H. Speed, James W. Reed.

Families.....	20	Services—Sunday ....	26
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 2 .....	4	Holy Communion—public.....	3
Communicants.....	25		

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses.....\$	80 00	Diocesan Missions W.A. bx \$	7 00
Parish Guild.....	33 91	Missions—Domestic .....	44
Diocesan Missions.....	8 13		
Parochial, \$113.91; Diocesan, \$13.13; General, \$.44.....			\$ 129 48

**Speedsville, St. John's Church.**

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

*Wardens*—John Crop, Luman D. Phillips.

Families .....	22	Services—Sunday ...	25
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 2, priv. 2,	4
37, rem. 2, present no.....	35	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20....	23

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses....	\$ 100 08	Diocesan Missions. ....	\$ 6 97
Sunday School.....	4 43	“ “ W.A.bxs.	11 50
Repairs and Improvements.	30 00		
Parochial, \$134.51; Diocesan, \$18.47.....			\$ 152 98

Church Property—Church, \$1,000.

**Trumansburgh, Church of the Epiphany.**

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

*Warden*—Levi J. Wheeler, Albert F. Mosher.

Families....	29	Marriages .....	5
Baptism—Infant .....	1	Burials.....	9
Communicants—died 3, rem. 14,		Services—Sund. 86, weekd. 35...	121
present no. ....	54	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 30...	36

*Parishes and Missions not Reporting.*

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 18 27	Subscription for music .....	\$ 0 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	652 28	Diocesan Missions .....	70 38
Ladies Society .....	210 00	Missions—Domestic .....	1 46
Lent and Easter offering ..	39 00	Foreign .....	5 20
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Parochial, \$999.55; Diocesan, \$70.38; General, \$9.66.....			\$1,079 59
Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory. \$2,500: \$22,500.			
Indebtedness, \$275. Insurance, \$6,500.			

**Parishes and Missions not Reporting.**

St. John's, Chenango Forks,	All Saint's, Dexter.
St. Luke's, Harpursville,	Evans Mills, Mission,
St. Paul's, Aurora,	Great Bend, Mission,
St. Luke's, Cayuga,	Grace, Copenhagen,
Grace, Union Springs,	St. Stephen's, Perryville,
St. John's, Big Flats,	Albion, Mission,
St. Matthew's, Horseheads,	Redfield, Mission,
Calvary, McDonough,	St. Mark's, Candor,
St. John's, Champion,	Ovid, Mission.

*Other Clerical Reports.*

**Other Clerical Reports.**

The REV. GEORGE BOWEN reports that during the year he has officiated at Imira, Norwich, Horseheads, Sayre, Pa., Big Flats, Van Etten, Waverly and Binghamton. He has administered the Holy Communion twenty times, officiated at four funerals, baptised one adult and one infant, performed the marriage ceremony once, preached thirty-five sermons and made six addresses.

The REV. JOSEPH M. CLARKE, D. D., Chaplain to Bishop Huntington, reports: As his report to the Convention last year was unfortunately lost, the present report covers the period from September 1, 1891, to May 1, 1893, a year and eight months. He has read a brief daily service at the House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse, except when absent from the city. He has assisted in keeping up a daily service at St. Paul's Cathedral, officiating about fifty times on week-days, and on thirteen Sundays. He has officiated seven times at Grace Church, twelve times at Calvary Church, six times at St. Luke's Mission, three times at Trinity Church, three times at St. James' Church and three times at St. Mark's, Geddes. As Chaplain at the Shelter he has held thirty-five services there and baptised ten of the inmates. He has assisted in a instruction in St. Andrew's Divinity School, having conducted fifty-six recitations in Church History, thirty-two in the Greek Testament, twenty-three in elementary Greek, eight in Pastoral Theology, and eight on the Old Testament, the last while the Dean was absent at the General Convention. He has acted as Priest of the Associate Mission of St. Andrew, and in other work of the Diocese, officiating one Sunday at Homer, three Sundays at Earlville, one Sunday at Trumansburg, one at Lacona and Smartsville, six Sundays at Leedsport and Port Byron, nine Sundays at Marcellus, four at Fulton, three at Chittenango and Canastota, one at Adams, one at Waterville, one at St. John's Church, Auburn, one at Fayetteville, one at Skaneateles, one at Cortland, one at Trinity Church, Binghamton, one at Christ Church, Oswego, three at Calvary Church, Utica, and two at St. Joseph's Church, Rome. He has also officiated, by preaching or otherwise, at the Church of the Holy Cross, Utica, at Grace Church, Utica, at St. Luke's, Utica, at Whitesboro, at Oriskany, at Oneida, and at Willard, Seneca county. He has baptised in various institutions, parishes and missions, twenty-two adults and twenty-seven infants, administered the Holy Communion publicly sixty times and in private eight times, has married seven couples, and attended eighteen funerals. As Examining Chaplain, he has taken part in eighteen examinations of candidates for the Diaconate or Priesthood, besides the discharge of his duties as secretary to the Bishop. He has been able to turn about a hundred and fifty dollars into the treasury of the Diocese.

The REV. F. B. COSSITT reports that since the thirtieth of April 1892, he has officiated in the Dioceses of Albany, New Jersey and Central New York, has held seventy-nine services. His health has been poor, but he has been able to assist the Rev. Dr. Goodrich a few Sundays, and the Rev. Mr. Avirett at Lent and at other times.

The REV. C. ORVIS DANTZER, of the Church Mission to the Deaf, reports as follows for the year ending May 1, 1893: In the Diocese, Baptisms, adult 8, infant 5, total 13; Confirmations 4; Marriage 1; Services, Sunday 55, weekday total 86. Out of the Diocese, Baptisms 6; Confirmations 7; Marriage 1; Services 45. Total number of deaf mute communicants in the diocese known to him 60. All the baptisms and confirmations are registered in the proper parish registers. Receipts from all sources in the diocese, \$485.19, in Western New York \$287.79; total \$772.98; expenditures \$227.16; balance for Missionary's salary \$545.82.

*Other Clerical Reports.*

The REV. W. T. GIBSON, D. D., LL. D., reports that he has continued as Chaplain at the Utica State Hospital, and has held services on various occasions in the city churches.

The REV. JOHN MUIR, M. D., residing at Merrickville, Ontario, Canada, reports that since the last Diocesan Convention he has been unable to officiate oftener than three times, twice in Trinity Church, Merrickville, and once in Christ Church, Burritt's Rapids. He also read the burial service at the funeral of a child of the Incumbent of these parishes, the Rev. W. Roberts, Mus. Bac.

The REV. T. L. RANDOLPH, residing at Alameda, California, reports that for seven months, from May 1, 1892, he officiated twice on Sunday in three missions in the neighborhood of Berkeley, giving each of them the Holy Communion once a month, baptising seven children and attending one funeral. The remainder of the year he has occasionally officiated in the same missions, always giving them the Holy Communion, and also has assisted nearly every Sunday the Rev. Mr. Perkins, of Christ Church, Alameda, either in reading or preaching, or some rector in one of the adjoining parishes.

The REV. CHARLES SEYMOUR, residing at Nyack, N. Y., reports that during the Conventional year he has taken part in ministrations in all Sunday services, and has preached twice.

The REV. MOSES COIT TYLER, LL. D., reports that during the past year, his principal labor has been on behalf of the new parish of St. Thomas's at Slaterville Springs, where he has held services once a month. He has also occasionally assisted the Rector of St. John's, Ithaca. Outside the diocese his only service has been a sermon at the Amphitheatre, Chautauqua, and a sermon at Grace Church, Vineyard Haven, Massachusetts.

The REV. W. D. WILSON, D. D., LL. D., reports that beside his duties as Deputy to the General Convention, and as Dean of St. Andrew's Divinity School, he has married two couples, officiated at two funerals, administered the Holy Communion once, held services for parishes not otherwise supplied and preached four times, besides assisting in the usual services at St. Paul's on Sundays.

REV. J. H. YOUNG reports that during the last year he has resided in the diocese of New York, and performed occasional services as opportunity presented.

*Church Homes and Hospitals.*

APPENDIX III.

(A.)

**Church Homes and Hospitals.**

**St. Luke's Home and Hospital, Utica,**

Organized October 19, 1869. Incorporated December 23, 1869. Endowment \$21,465.71. Receipts for the year ending September 30, 1892, \$14,327.01. Subscriptions to the Hospital enlargement fund \$7,435. Total receipts, \$21,762.01. Inmates in the Home ten. Patients in Hospital two hundred and ninety-two, of whom ninety-two were men, one hundred and eighty-seven were women, and thirteen were children under ten years of age. Two hundred and forty paid something for their care, and fifty-two paid nothing. One hundred and forty-nine patients were discharged recovered, seventy-nine improved, thirteen unimproved, and seventeen died. Twenty-four remained under treatment. Ninety-five were medical cases, seventy were surgical, twenty-two were suffering from diseases or injuries of the eyes and ears. The cases peculiar to women were one hundred and five.

*Board of Managers*—President, William M. White; Vice President, Henry W. Millar; Treasurer, Clarence B. Crouse; Secretary, John G. Gibson; Chaplain, Rev. C. T. Olmstead, D. D., Rector of Grace Church; Alexander T. Goodwin, George H. Wiley, Rev. Bernard Schulte, D. D., George M. Weaver, J. Fred Maynard, James Constable, Jr.

*Officers of the Board of Almoners*—President, Mrs. Mary W. Goodwin; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Cornelia F. Jackson, Mrs. Sarah J. Lynch, Mrs. Ella C. Peckham; Secretary, Mrs. Grace N. Griffith; Treasurer, Mrs. Sophia F. Ingalls; Housekeeper, Mrs. Mary E. Sharpe; Head Nurse, Miss Mary E. Hannahs.

*Medical Director*—Dr. Willis E. Ford.

*Medical Staff*—Drs. William M. Gibson, J. D. Jones, E. D. Fuller, A. J. Browne.

*Surgical Staff*—Drs. Wilbur H. Booth, and Herbert G. Jones.

*Gynecological Service*—Drs. Willis E. Ford, W. J. Schuyler.

*Consulting Staff*—Drs. M. M. Bagg, J. G. Hunt, M. A. Southworth, Lafayette Rinkle, A. P. Dodge, Charles E. Smith, C. E. Munger, F. H. Peck, E. M. Draper, George Graves.

*House Surgeon*—Dr. W. J. Schuyler.

**House of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.**

A home for females. Opened November 1, 1870. Endowment, \$5,000.

*Trustees*—The Rev. R. G. Quennell, President; — —, Secretary; the Rev. S. D. Day, General John C. Robinson, Messrs. John Evans, John Anderson and Daniel Lyons.

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*House of the Good Shepherd, Utica. Shelter for Unprotected Girls, Syracuse.*

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*Lady Managers*—Mrs. J. J. Youmans, Mrs. Joel Fuller, Mrs. E. A. Clark, Mrs. G. C. Walker, Mrs. D. L. Brownson, Mrs. John R. Clarke, Mrs. C. S. Case, Mrs. C. F. Moore, Mrs. Stanley.

Number of inmates eleven. Receipts, \$1,722.74. Disbursements, \$1,443.01.

### **House of the Good Shepherd, Utica.**

An institution for destitute and friendless children. Incorporated February 8, 1872. Endowment, \$18,700.

Receipts for 1892, \$5,236.03. Expenses, \$5,232.78. Balance, January 1, 1893, \$3.25. Average number of children cared for and taught, 40—the present limit of accommodation. Anniversary in May, in Whitsun-week.

*Trustees*—T. R. Proctor, President; G. M. Weaver, Secretary; H. P. Crouse, Treasurer; L. A. Tourtellot, M. D., M. C. Comstock, J. T. A. Doolittle, C. S. Symonds, H. W. Millar, W. M. Storrs, John E. Brandegee.

*Officers of Board of Managers*—Miss Lucy Watson, President; Mrs. J. J. Francis, Mrs. W. M. Storrs, Mrs. E. H. Collier, Mrs. Charles Mason, Vice Presidents; Mrs. S. G. Wolcott, Secretary; Mrs. M. L. Brandegee, Treasurer.

*Matron*—Mrs. M. J. Frisbie.

*Chaplain*—Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross.

It is the aim of this institution to supply to the little ones entrusted to its care a good home, together with the much needed influence of a pure family life. Religious education is, of course, the primary object; and besides the daily devotions, it is the rule to have a weekly service and a catechetical instruction by the chaplain. Added to this the refining influence of a well-ordered school, instruction in sewing, and in such light domestic duties as are suited to their tender years. Constant and strenuous effort is made to throw around each child the benign influence and protection of the Church before going out to battle with the temptations of the world, and to that end baptism follows close upon the admission of any unbaptized child; and during the past three years fifteen have been presented and well prepared for confirmation.

The house is grateful to the Bishop for his kindly interest shown in many ways—notably in always being present at the anniversary services, affording great pleasure and encouragement to the children and all concerned in the prosperity of the institution—but especially for his words of sympathy and counsel so helpful to those on whom rests the constant care and responsibility. In the darkest days or in times of plenty.

### **Shelter for Unprotected Girls, Syracuse.**

Opened February 21, 1877. Incorporated 1878.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese; Mrs. W. F. Belknap, Secretary; Miss A. S. Huntington, Treasurer; Dr. Juliet E. Hanchett, Miss J. E. McIntosh, Mrs. W. J. Smith, Mrs. F. R. Hazard, Mrs. Henry Babcock, Mrs. I. G. Vann, Dr. J. C. Carson, W. T. Hamilton, W. S. Andrews.

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*House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse.*

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**Matron**—Miss A. A. Kendall. Assistants, Miss Tarbox, Mrs. Conklin.

**Chaplain**—The Rev. J. M. Clarke, D. D.

The object of the institution is to train young and neglected girls in ways of purity, industry and self-control. They are taught sewing, laundry and house work, with instruction in the elementary branches of education. Pains are taken to procure respectable situations at service for those who leave the house. There is no endowment and the income is dependent upon annual subscriptions, occasional gifts and a small sum for board from friends or the poor authorities.

Under the laws of the State, the Shelter receives girls under sixteen committed by any Justice in the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eight Judicial Districts, and retains control of them up to the age of nineteen. They are also placed by parents or guardians under the care of the Trustees for a term of years.

**House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse.**

Organized February, 1873.

**Trustees**—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President; Mr. George G. Gardner, Secretary; Mr. D. O. Salmon, Treasurer; Rev. H. R. Lockwood, D. D., Messrs. W. H. H. Smith, W. T. Hamilton, W. D. Dunning, Thomas W. Durston, Jacob Crouse, John Lyman, W. B. Coggsell, and the Mayor of Syracuse, *ex-officio*.

**House Family**—Miss Jessie Roberts, Superintendent and Treasurer of current receipts; Nurses, Misses Carter, De La Mater, Roberts, Howell, Wolcott, Gardner, Arnold, Richardson, Roblin, Goodenow, Cook, Wilson, O'Hara, Davis, Cooper, McAllister, Tompkins, Cobb, Willets, Kelsey, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Dutcher.

The institution is under the charge of a graduate of the Long Island College Hospital. The Training School is connected with the Hospital. There is a maternity department for mothers and children, with educated female physicians, Drs. Juliet E. Hanchett and Theresa Bannan. There are about sixty beds in the hospital.

There are rooms that are furnished as memorials; two in the hospital and four in the training school. Also two memorial beds in the hospital. Other gifts for rooms and beds are greatly needed.

Number of patients during the year 427. Receipts \$12,043.55. Expenses \$10,834.99. Indebtedness, \$600. Report from June 1, 1892, to June 1, 1893.

The Bishop frequently visits and officiates at the house, which has his constant interest and supervision. The Rev. Dr. Clarke is Chaplain.



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*House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown. St. Andrew's Divinity School.*

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### **House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown.**

Organized October 3, 1881. A free city hospital under the direction of members of Trinity and Grace Parishes.

*Officers*—President, H. M. Stevens, M. D.; Vice-President, H. H. Babcock; Secretary, Rev. William Henry Bown; Treasurer,

*Trustees*—George H. Sherman, Dr. H. M. Stevens, Hon. George A. Bagley, J. S. Greene, H. H. Babcock, Rev. William H. Bown.

*Visitor*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese.

*Matron*—Mrs Caroline Fitch.

*Lady Visitors*—Mrs. H. M. Stevens, Mrs. George H. Sherman.

*Medical Board*—Dr. Charles M. Rexford, Dr. Henry H. Deane, Dr. Andrew B. Stevens.

The hospital has done a large amount of good during the past year. The sudden death of the Rev. Charles Mortimer Carr, M. A., the Rev. R. A. Oliver, S. T. D., deprives the institution of the valued services of two strong workers in the Master's vineyard.

June 1, 1893.

Respectfully submitted,  
WILLIAM HENRY BOWN, *Secretary.*

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### **Educational Institutions.**

#### **St. Andrew's Divinity School.**

A Seminary for the training of Candidates for Orders, under the immediate supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese, Established September 16, 1876.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Messrs. William Marvin, Horace O. Moss and Charles H. Smythe.

*Dean*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL.D., L. H. D.

During the year the instruction is given as follows:

By the Bishop: The Sacraments and Sacramental Offices; Preaching; Spiritual Life.

By the Dean: First term, in the history and contents of the Old Testament Scriptures. Second term, the history, contents and interpretation of the New Testament Scriptures. Third term, the history, contents and right use of the Prayer Book.

By the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D.: in Hebrew and Church History, Pastoral Care and New Testament Greek.

By the Rev. J. Everett Johnson: in the Articles and Systematic Divinity throughout the year.

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*St. John's Military School. Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.*

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Instruction in Hebrew will be given throughout the year as may be desired. There is a preparatory Course at St. John's School, Manlius, ten miles from Syracuse.

**St. John's Military School, Manlius.**

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President of the Board of Trustees; Col. William Verbeck, Superintendent; the Rev. A. C. Clarke, Chaplain.

St. John's school was founded in 1869 by the Rt. Rev. Frederic D. Huntington, S. T. D., Bishop of Central New York, and has ever since been a successful Church School of the highest grade. It is located at Manlius, N. Y., ten miles from Syracuse on the line of the Syracuse, Ontario and New York R. R. The situation of the School buildings is on high ground with excellent natural drainage. The direct locality as well as the region surrounding it is extremely healthful. The appointments of the school edifice unsurpassed. It was recently built at great expense with express reference to educational uses, and is provided with special securities against accident and ill health. It has all the modern improvements, is heated by steam and lighted with gas.

The Chaplain conducts all religious worship and instruction. The services are arranged and conducted, with the advice of the Bishop, as will best promote moral and religious growth.

There are five courses of study, a course in Civil Engineering, a Classical Course, a Business Course, a Special Course and a Preparatory Course.

During the year ending June 17, 1893, there were one hundred and twenty-five cadets registered.

The Superintendent, Chaplain, Headmaster, Commandant, detailed by the War Department, and seven masters constitute the Faculty.

**Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.**

Under the supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese. Founded in 1871.

Incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, in December, 1878, a Board of Trustees chosen, of which the Bishop of the Diocese is President.

*Principal*—Miss Mary Jackson, who has fifteen assistants in the various departments. Number of pupils one hundred and fifty.

This is a Boarding and Day School, designed to furnish the best facilities for the sound and thorough education of girls in all scholarly attainments, as well as in the graces and Christian character. The situation of the school is in a beautiful locality, on a wide, pleasant and attractive street, with a commodious house and ample grounds open to the light and air.

# APPENDIX IV.

(A.)

## Table of Parochial Statistics.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms.				Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	School			Offerings.
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.	Total.				Burials.	Teachers.	Pupils.	
BRUCE COUNTY.											
Binghamton, Christ Church.....	3	7	8	9	298	15	20	18	135	\$ 6,735 41	
Trinity.....	3	24	20	16	204	6	19	25	180	8,948 99	
Good Shepherd.....	3	14	17	21	11	18	8	90	2,948 25		
Chenango Forks, St. John's.....	*18	.....	.....	.....	*24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Harpersville, St. Luke's.....	*18	.....	.....	.....	*36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Whitney's Point, Grace.....	15	1	1	3	23	1	4	4	25	128 05	
Windsor, Zion.....	36	4	1	5	43	.....	3	6	44	710 46	
Total.....	113	16	46	51	32	1038	20	65	474	\$19,394 41	
CAYUGA COUNTY.											
Auburn, St. Peter's.....	419	11	36	70	35	410	21	35	200	\$ 8,277 98	
St. John's.....	*92	.....	.....	.....	*237	4	11	10	88	1,678 27	
Aurora, St. Paul's.....	*20	.....	.....	.....	*41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Cayuga, St. Luke's.....	*13	.....	.....	.....	*28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Moravia, St. Matthew's.....	59	3	6	9	6	138	1	5	43	940 82	
Port Byron, St. Paul's.....	14	.....	.....	.....	1	15	.....	7	26	110 22	
Union Springs, Grace.....	*22	.....	.....	.....	*39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Wesleyport, St. John's.....	15	1	1	2	3	16	.....	8	13	228 79	
Total.....	657	18	72	90	60	909	26	51	43	\$10,645 19	
CHEMUNG COUNTY.											
Big Flats, St. John's.....	*15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Elmira, Trinity.....	169	9	8	17	24	222	16	12	128	140 \$ 6,505 46	
Grace.....	200	8	43	46	20	285	4	21	150	4,221 65	
Emmanuel.....	61	16	29	45	17	12	8	11	100	561 76	
Horseheads, St. Matthew's.....	*43	.....	.....	.....	*95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Wellburg St. Church.....	21	9	7	16	11	20	.....	5	26	246 84	
Total.....	602	37	87	124	73	769	31	44	422	\$11,799 61	
CHENANGO COUNTY.											
Afton St. Ann's.....	40	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	1	3	23	\$ 280 25	
Bainbridge, St. Peter's.....	72	1	3	4	8	97	.....	5	7	85	1,318 25
Greene, Zion.....	127	5	6	11	16	228	8	11	11	261	2,468 89
Gulford, Christ Church.....	70	2	7	9	9	*129	1	2	7	40	218 73
McDonough, Calvary.....	*36	.....	.....	.....	*44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mt. Upton, Grace.....	7	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	1	.....	.....	86 46	
New Berlin, St. Andrew's.....	124	9	12	21	13	137	2	17	11	75	2,057 46
Norwich, Emmanuel.....	173	10	10	20	16	380	7	11	18	128	2,217 29
Oxford, St. Paul's.....	128	1	4	6	2	181	.....	11	10	81	4,068 94
Sherburne, Christ Church.....	86	6	12	21	11	164	.....	10	8	72	1,913 81
Total.....	897	37	54	91	70	1818	12	69	77	526	\$15,965 20
CORTLAND COUNTY.											
Cortland, Grace.....	125	.....	9	9	3	191	5	10	10	85	\$ 2,064 34
Romer, Calvary.....	47	.....	4	9	2	60	2	8	6	40	1,147 24
Total.....	182	.....	13	18	5	251	7	18	16	125	\$ 3,211 58

\* Number last reported.

Parochial Statistics: Jefferson—Lewis—Madison—Oneida.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms.				Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Burials.	School.		Offerings.
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.	Total.					Teachers.	Pupils.	
JEFFERSON COUNTY.											
Adams, Emmanuel.	31	4	1	5	0	82		4	8	56	\$ 1,438 00
Antwerp, St. Paul's.	38	4	4	8		44		3	5	49	848 65
Rownyville, St. Paul's.	24	2	2	4		30		1			620 51
Ape Vincent, St. John's.	76	6	14	19	2	104	4	9	11	67	1,120 46
Arthace, Grace.	20	8	7	15	2	105	5	5	8	45	1,098 01
Hampden, St. John's.	40					38					
Layton, Christ Church.	35	4		4	18	60	2	5	8	60	1,240 68
Water, All Saints.	16					12					
Elshurgh, Christ Church.	12					12					136 68
Federicks Corners, St. Paul's.	12					15		1			4 96
East Bend, Trinity Chapel.						27					
Elk Forgeville, St. Paul's.	27	7	6	13	15	61			5	30	840 24
North Watertown, Redeemer.					4		6		17	100	535 82
Lorrepont Manor, Zion.	33	7	1	8	4	52	6	6	5	50	432 62
Edwood, St. Peter's.	20	5	5	10	2	24	1	2	4	22	250 08
Beckets Harbor, Christ Church.	70	2	2	4	8	73	1	9	7	45	1,064 45
Beross, St. James.	45	8	3	6	1	39	3	3	5	35	481 54
Watertown, Trinity.	381	67	90	87	74	225	42	75	51	426	11,350 79
Grace.	150	2	11	14	21	214	4	9	20	144	4,192 40
Total.....	1064	114	76	190	152	1914	70	130	151	1149	\$21,267 30
LEWIS COUNTY.											
Constableville, St. Paul's.	28	4	3	7	4	86	3	5	7	60	\$ 867 53
Openhagen, Grace.	30				6	49					
Reig Mission.											
Orville, Trinity.	90	6	2	8		100					281 78
Fort Leyden, St. Mark's.	26					40	1	1	8	30	222 96
Total.....	174	10	5	15	10	276	4	6	10	90	\$ 1,352 27
MADISON COUNTY.											
Asenovia, St. Peter's.			4	4		130				90	\$ 3,308 81
Anastota, Mission.	40	3	8	11	16	60	1	4	4	50	623 98
Hiltensango, St. Paul's.	17		1	1		25					275 18
Earlville, Grace Mission.	38	5	3	8	8	40			6	33	55 15
Hamilton, St. Thomas.	60	4	11	15	10	63			6	35	1,978 71
Oneida, St. John's.	153	3	11	14	10	224	4	11	12	80	3,168 88
erryville, St. Stephen's.	10					19					
Total.....	323	15	38	53	44	591	7	29	38	291	\$ 9,436 01
ONEIDA COUNTY.											
Augusta, St. Andrew's.	12					15					\$ 105 64
Woonville, Trinity.	84					64		1			102 00
Bridgewater, Christ Church.	9					14		1			86 99
Arden, Trinity.	80	2	10	12	11	82	8	7	6	30	758 97
Radwicks, St. George's.	22	4	5	9	...	41	1	...	5	45	449 02
Lark Mills, St. Mark's.	17	1	3	4	1	27	1	1	2	30	243 76
Rayville, St. John's.	15					24					90 51
Hinton, St. James.	80	4	16	20		179	9	16	9	75	1,732 13
Durhamville, Mission.		2	2	4		41	1	4	4	20	143 71
Forestport, Christ Church.	59	6	11	17	18	72	1	5	5	39	905 70
Holland Patent, St. Paul's.	25	3	1	4		40			4	30	318 59
New Hartford, St. Stephen's.	62		6	6	24	105	1	4	5	40	1,461 43
New York Mills, St. James.	20	4	13	17	14	40		1	3	20	3,770 75
Briskany, St. Peter's.	50	2	9	11	6	85	1	3	7	69	2,266 87
Briskany Falls, Good Shepherd.	35	5	2	7	13	48	3	4	9	59	264 72
Paris Hill, St. Paul's.	33		7		6	72	2	6	5	50	477 10
Rome, Zion.	200	1	20	21		400	13	19	26	188	8,574 35
St. Joseph's.	90	1	12	15	9	104	2	2	6	80	823 54
tica, Calvary.		19	25	34	491	13	37	40	230	10,063 74	
Grace.		35	42	25	322	9	23	23	199	25,311 43	
Holy Cross.	104	4	15	19	18	181	4	4	12	100	3,061 19
St. George's.		9	26	25	8	121	9	13	8	55	2,187 79
St. Luke's.	800	22	113	135	44	571	68	79	34	340	7,196 43
Trinity.		2	8	10	12	240	8	18	15	65	9,792 44
Waterville, Grace.	90	5	15	20		175	5	9	9	80	4,545 44
Westmoreland, Gethsemane.	22		1	1		30	1	2	2	10	517 32
Whitesboro, St. John's.	50	3	7	10	12	85	2	3	4	30	2,335 90
Total.....	1809	95	258	453	248	2020	199	256	340	1947	\$27,528 02
* Number last reported.											

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## Parochial Statistics: Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms.				Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Burials.	School.		Offerings.
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.	Total.					Teachers.	Pupils.	
ONONDAGA COUNTY.											
Baldwinsville, Grace ..	70	1	5	6	6	150	3	22	9	73	\$ 2,127 00
East Syracuse, Emmanuel ..	28	2	13	16		30	1	1	1	55	223 00
Fayetteville, Trinity ..	58		7	9		134	1	5	5	65	1,266 00
Jamesville, St. Mark's ..	20					25				25	222 00
Jordan, Christ Church ..	95	8	11	14	7	100	4	6	7	50	682 75
Mannus, Christ Church ..	28	8	8	16	7	50	1	7	6	44	524 00
Marcellus, St. John's ..	43	1	5	6	6	37		1	3	27	52 50
Onondaga, Indian Mission ..	27		5	5	6	45	2	4	1	25	52 00
Skaneateles, St. James' ..		6	2	8	17	340	3	6		30	2,140 00
Syracuse, Calvary ..	120	2	59	61	4	244	8	18	9	150	644 15
Grace ..	123	1	7	8	14	248	9	16	13	150	2,474 12
St. James' ..	150	1	8	9		104	7	2	10	100	2,285 00
St. John's ..	150	3	24	27	12	223	7	18	12	75	1,210 00
St. Mark's ..			18	18	3	89	2	4	18	112	1,222 00
St. Paul's ..	315	10	53	63	82	523	18	21	25	195	52,714 00
Trinity ..	108	17	13	30	65	225	5	15	18	126	5,400 00
Total .....	1221	67	194	261	172	2670	66	147	146	1296	\$ 75,186 05
OSWEGO COUNTY.											
Albion, St. John's ..	*43					*31					
Cleveland, St. James' ..	43	1	11	12	14	70	3	3	5	40	\$ 423 38
Fulton, Zion ..	60	1	3	4	4	75	1	5	7	40	747 00
Lacoma, Mission ..	40	1	4	5		19	8	10	3	24	1,094 00
Mexico, Grace ..	*28		1	1		*50					415 00
Oswego, Christ Church ..	200	1	13	14	17	245	7	13	19	130	16,529 02
Evangelists ..	180		25	25	11	227	8	14	13	120	5,726 16
Pulaski, St. James' ..	80	1	2	3	4	55	7	1	5	25	526 02
Total ..	654	5	50	64	50	875	30	66	52	412	\$ 26,000 47
SENECA COUNTY.											
Day's Landing, St. Andrew's ..	10					10				30	\$ 125 64
Hayt's Corners, Calvary ..	20				1	22	1	1	4	20	145 64
Jerusalem, Mission ..	15	2	1	3							99 74
Ovid, Trinity ..	*8					*12					
Romulus, St. Stephen's ..	25	4	1	5	8	28					310 06
Seneca Falls, Trinity ..	180	2	15	17	21	221	4	19	25	160	4,534 00
Waterloo, St. Paul's ..	180	9	28	37	30	249	6	21	29	170	4,294 00
Willard, Mission ..	35		4	4	1	64	3	4	4	35	723 00
Willowdale, Grace ..	25	9	13	24	10	43	1	4	2	33	313 72
Total ..	478	26	64	90	71	721	15	40	66	422	\$ 11,367 56
TIOGA COUNTY.											
Candor, St. Mark's ..	*19					*89					
Owego, St. Paul's ..	42	2	1	3	5	134	2	3	5	40	\$ 2,168 46
Smithboro, Emmanuel ..	*16	1	1	2	1	*22			3	25	344 00
Van Etten, St. Thomas ..	60	30	20	50	31	34	1	4	7	52	627 35
Waverly, Grace ..	80	6	10	16	11	97	7	10	12	80	1,058 35
Total ..	237	39	32	71	49	320	10	20	27	178	\$ 4,108 05
TOMPKINS COUNTY.											
Wthaca St. John's ..	*23	8	15	23	13	354	12	21	27	321	\$ 3,111 46
McLean, Zion ..	12	1		1	2	15	1	1	3	12	162 40
Nataville, St. Thomas ..	20	2	2	4		25					129 00
Speedville, St. John's ..	22					33			3	20	132 00
Trumansburg, Replumny ..	20		1	1		54	5	9	6	30	1,079 50
Total ..	816	11	18	29	16	428	18	31	40	382	\$ 5,115 05
Total for 117 parishes, &c. . . . .	8296	494	1116	1610	1003	12045	479	998	1046	1218	\$107,307 56
*Number last reported.											

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*Summary of Statistics.*

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**Summary of Statistics.**

**CLERGY:—**

Ordained: Deacons 12, Priests 5.....	17
Received.....	6
Transferred.....	12
Died.....	4
Canonically Resident: Bishop 1, Priests 95, Deacons 14.....	110

**CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS.....** 21

**POSTULANTS.....** 7

**LICENSED LAY READERS.....** 65

**PARISHES:—**

Present number in Union with the Convention.....	108
Whole number of Parishes: Self supporting 45, Missionary 65...	110
Whole number of Parishes and Missions.....	147

**CHURCHES:—**

Consecrated during the year.....	1
Whole number of Churches.....	142

**RECTORIES.....** 56

**EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS:—**

Parochial.....	1
Teachers.....	1
Scholars.....	29
Academic.....	2
Teachers.....	27
Scholars.....	273
Theological.....	1
Teachers.....	4
Students.....	15

**HABITABLE INSTITUTIONS:—**

**Church Houses:—**

For the Aged and Destitute.....	2
For Friendless Children.....	1
For Homeless Women.....	1
Church Hospitals.....	3
Number of Inmates in Church Homes.....	80
Number of Patients cared for in Church Hospitals.....	719

*Summary of Offerings.***Parochial Statistics.****FAMILIES:—**

Reported, 7,422; estimated for Parishes not reporting, 914..... 8,336

**BAPTISMS:—**

Adults, 494; Infants, 1,116 ..... 1,610

CONFIRMED ..... 1,052

COMMUNICANTS..... 16,045

MARRIAGES..... 479

BURIALS ... .. 986

**SUNDAY SCHOOLS:—**

Teachers reported in 102 Parishes and Missions.... 1,098

Scholars reported in 103 Parishes and Missions..... 8,118

**Summary of Offerings.****PAROCHIAL:—**

Communion Alms.....\$ 4,592 22

Current Expenses and Rectors' Salaries.... 141,327 88

Sunday Schools..... 6,275 56

Increase and Improvement of Church Property ... .. 58,414 26

Special Charities..... 4,107 55

Indebtedness paid..... 7,417 10

Other Parochial Objects..... 11,049 51

Total for Parochial Objects.....\$233,184 08

**DIOCESAN:—**

Diocesan Missions: from Parishes, &c .....\$9,448 27

Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued..... 1,756 83

—————\$11,205 10

Episcopate Fund..... 248 56

General Fund ..... 1,688 86

Bishop's Relief Fund ..... 605 91

Bishop's Chaplain Fund.... 1,235 26

Testimonial to Diocesan Secretary..... 1,876 89

Theological Education .... 853 22

Mission to Deaf Mutes..... 172 86

Central New York Bible and Prayer Book Society..... 68 75

Church Building Fund.... 85 39

Onondaga Indian Mission.... 386 61

Homes and Hospitals..... 26,487 23

Aid to various Churches .... 1,148 59

Various Objects..... 939 40

Total for Diocesan Objects.....\$46,951 62

*Permanent Funds.*

**GENERAL:—**

Domestic Missions: General.....	\$4,666 38	
Special.....	4,498 35	
Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued.....	5,713 29	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 14,878 02
Foreign Missions.....		2,009 69
Church Missions to the Jews....		151 66
New York Bible and Prayer Book Society.....		151 32
Church Missions to Deaf Mutes.....		162 05
Theological Education. ....		646 50
Nashotah.....		30,005 00
American Church Building Fund.....		276 28
Clerical Relief .....		115 70
Other Objects.....		62 97
		<u>          </u>
Total for General Objects.....	\$	48,459 19
TOTAL AMOUNT OF OFFERINGS .....	\$	328,594 89
VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY.....	\$2,014,337	00
AMOUNT OF INSURANCE REPORTED .....	\$	827,725 00

**Permanent Funds.**

Christmas Fund for Disabled Clergy, &c.....	\$	12,200 00
Bishopate Fund.....		76,504 32
DeLancey Fund.....		2,600 00
Permanent Missionary Fund .....		20,453 93
VanWagenen Missionary Fund.....		22,031 74
Ennie McGraw Fiske Fund... ..		15,000 00
Clarke Scholarship Fund.....		2,000 00
Bible and Prayer Book Society Fund.....		3,000 00
		<u>          </u>
Total Amount of Permanent Funds.....	\$153,739	99



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# CONSTITUTION AND CANONS—

## CONSTITUTION,

ADOPTED JUNE 14TH, 1870.

### ARTICLE I.

SECTION 1. There shall be a Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this Diocese, on the Second Tuesday of June, in the year 1870, and each year thereafter, at four o'clock and thirty minutes P. M., in such place as shall be determined by the Bishop for the time being, or in case of inability to act or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, by the Standing Committee.

SEC. 2. On Tuesday evening, after service, a quorum being present, the Convention shall organize, and the Standing Committees shall be appointed.

SEC. 3. In the event of the prevalence of any epidemic disease, or for other sufficient cause, occurring after the designation of the place of meeting, the Bishop, or in the cases above mentioned, the Standing Committee, may appoint another place for the meeting of the Convention.

### ARTICLE II.

The Bishop may call Special Conventions when he shall judge it conducive to the good of the Church.

In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or the inability of the Bishop to do so, the Standing Committee may call such Conventions.

### ARTICLE III.

SECTION 1. The Convention shall be composed of the Bishop, if he be present, and the officiating Ministers regularly admitted and settled in some Church within the Diocese which is in union with the Convention; and Lay-members, not exceeding three delegates from each Parish.

SEC. 2. All other Clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese for the space of six months, and not under discipline, may be members of the Convention.

SEC. 3. The Lay Delegates shall be chosen by the Vestry, when one is in legal existence. When the Vestry is, from vacancy or otherwise, incompetent to act, they shall be chosen by the congregation.

SEC. 4. But in case of Churches or Congregations organized or incorporated without a Vestry, Delegates may be chosen by the Church or Congregation, unless the Convention shall otherwise prescribe.

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SEC. 5. The mode of admitting new Churches or Congregations into union with the Convention may be prescribed by Canon.

ARTICLE IV.

Every Convention at its first morning session shall be opened with Prayers and the Holy Communion, and the Bishop may at this time deliver his Annual Address, or Charge.

ARTICLE V.

The Bishop shall preside in the Convention; but in case of a vacancy, inability to act, or necessary absence, the members shall elect a president from among the Presbyters.

ARTICLE VI.

A Secretary shall be chosen upon the assembling of the Annual Convention from among the members thereof, who shall remain in office until the meeting of the next Annual Convention, and until a successor be appointed. His duty shall be to take minutes of their proceedings, to preserve their journals and records, to attest the public acts of the body, and faithfully to deliver into the hands of his successor, all books and papers relative to the concerns of the Convention which may be in his possession. It shall also be his duty to give due notice to each Minister and Vestry of the time and place appointed for the meeting of each Convention.

ARTICLE VII.

SECTION 1. In all matters which come before the Convention, the Clergy and Laity shall deliberate, and, except as provided in the next Section, may vote, in one body; but if in any case it shall be required by five members, the two orders shall vote separately, the Clergy as individuals, and the Laity by Parishes; and the concurrence of a majority of each order shall be necessary to constitute a decision.

SEC. 2. In case of the election of a Bishop, the two orders shall always vote separately by ballot, and according to the mode above prescribed.

ARTICLE VIII.

The mode of altering the Constitution shall be as follows: A proposition for an amendment shall be introduced, in writing, and considered in the Convention; and if approved of, shall lie over till the next Annual Convention; and, if again approved of in such next Convention by a majority of the two orders voting thereon separately, the change shall take place, and the Constitution so altered shall be valid and obligatory.

ARTICLE IX.

No amendment of the Canons shall be made during the session of the Convention in which the same shall be proposed, unless two-thirds of each order shall concur therein; but any amendment, if approved by a majority less than two-thirds, shall lie over for the consideration and final action of the next Annual Convention.

*Canons I, II.*

## CANONS.

ADOPTED IN CONVENTION, 1869.

## CANON I.

*Of a List of Ministers in the Diocese.*

SECTION 1. Within one week before the meeting of every Convention of this Diocese, the Bishop shall prepare, or cause to be prepared, a list of all the Ministers canonically resident in this Diocese, annexing the names of their respective Cures, Parishes, Stations, or places of residence, designating those who are entitled to seats in the Convention; but no Clergyman while suspended from the Ministry, shall have a place on the said list. And such list shall be laid before the Convention on the first day of meeting, and be prefixed to the Journal.

SEC. 2. The right of any Clergyman of this Diocese to a seat in the Convention shall, if disputed, be determined according to the provisions of the third Article of the Constitution, by the Convention itself; whether his name be inserted in the list aforesaid or omitted.

## CANON II.

*Of the Members and Organization of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. The evidence of the regular admission of a Clergyman into this Diocese shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention of a compliance with Section VII, of Canon 18, Title I, of the Digest of the Canons of the General Convention; and the evidence of settlement in a Church thereof shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention, of a compliance with the first and second sections of Canon 18, Title I, of the Digest.

SEC. 2. The appointment of a Lay Delegate to the Convention of this Diocese shall be certified in writing by the Rector of the Parish of which he is a representative, or by one of the Wardens, or by the Clerk of the Vestry of such Parish; and no other certificate of the appointment of any Lay Delegate or Delegates to the Convention of this Diocese shall be allowed or received. And no Lay Delegate shall be entitled to a seat in the Convention unless he be entitled to vote for Wardens and Vestrymen of the Parish which he is appointed to represent.

SEC. 3. At every Convention the Bishop shall take the Chair, and shall continue to preside during its sitting. He shall possess the usual powers of presiding officers in deliberative assemblies to preserve order and decorum, and shall decide all questions of order without debate, subject to an appeal to the House. He shall have the right to name any clerical member to perform the duties of the Chair, but such substitute shall not extend beyond an adjournment, unless directed by the House.

SEC. 4. In case of the absence or disability of the Bishop, or of a vacancy in the office, the senior clerical member of the Standing Committee present shall call the Convention to order and act as President *pro tempore*, and perform all the duties of President until the Convention shall be organized and shall have elected a President.

*Canons III, IV.*

**SEC. 5.** The President having taken the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call over the names of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, and shall enter in the Journal the names of those who are present. Notice shall then be given to the Lay Delegates to place their certificates on the table. They shall be examined by the Secretary and a Committee of two members to be appointed by the President. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared. The names of the Lay Delegates duly appointed shall then be called, and the names of those who are present shall be entered on the Journal. The irregular and defective certificates shall be reported to the Convention as soon as it is duly organized, who shall decide on the admission of the delegates named in them.

**SEC. 6.** The presence of at least twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and of Delegates from at least twenty Congregations, shall be necessary to the transaction of business, except that a smaller number may adjourn from day to day.

**SEC. 7.** A quorum being found to be in attendance, the President shall declare the Convention duly organized. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an assistant Secretary, to be approved by the Convention.

**SEC. 8.** The Rules of Order of the preceding Annual Convention shall be the Rules of Order until altered by a vote of a majority of the Convention.

**CANON III.**

*Of the Call of a Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** Notice of the meeting of any Convention shall be given by the Secretary in a printed letter, transmitted by mail at the expense of the Convention, to every Clergyman in the Diocese, and to the Wardens in every vacant Parish, at least one month before the time of meeting. This letter shall contain a notice of the time and place of holding the Convention, extracts from the Constitution and Canons relating to the appointment of Lay Delegates, and a form of certificate of their election. Notice of the meeting shall also be inserted in any newspaper in which the Bishop may direct such insertion to be made.

**SEC. 2.** Whenever, under the provision of the Constitution, a special Convention is called for any particular purpose, it shall be the duty of the Secretary in the notice thereof to specify such purposes.

**CANON IV.**

*Of the Admission of a Church into Union with the Church in this Diocese.*

**SECTION 1.** To entitle a Church to admission into union with the Church in this Diocese, it is required that there be submitted to the Convention of the same, at a stated meeting: (1.) A certificate from the Bishop, or in case of his absence or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, of a major part of the Standing Committee, approving the incorporation of such a Church: (2.) The certificate of incorporation duly proved and recorded, or a copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the County. But no such certificate shall be given by the Bishop or the majority of the Standing Committee save upon satisfactory evidence of the ability of such Church to pay and continue the sum of at least six hundred dollars a year for the support of a Rector or Missionary; and also that such Church contains at least thirty actual Communicants.

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**SEC. 2.** Whenever, hereafter, any Church in union with this Convention, shall neglect, for three years in succession, to make a parochial report, no missionary report being made in its behalf; and during the same period shall not employ a Clergyman as its Parish Minister, nor obtain the services of a Missionary, nor make the stated monthly collections as required by Canon X of this Diocese, such Church shall be regarded as having forfeited its connection with the Convention, and be no longer entitled to representation in the same; and the Bishop shall report said Church to the Convention in his Annual Address; but any such Church may be readmitted on the recommendation of the Bishop, and by a resolution of the Convention, and such readmission shall take effect from and after the rising of the Convention which shall have agreed to the same.

**CANON V.***Of the Secretary of the Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** In addition to the duties imposed upon the Secretary by the Constitution and by Canon III, he shall be required to transmit annually to each of the Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, and to the Secretary of the last House of Clerical and Lay Deputies in the General Convention, and to the Secretary of every Diocesan Convention a copy of the Journal of the Convention; and shall request the last to send copies of their respective Journals in exchange. He shall also transmit a copy to each Clergyman in the Diocese, and each Lay Delegate attending the Convention, and five copies to each Parish in the Diocese, one of which it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Vestry to preserve with the Parish records.

**SEC. 2.** He shall also transmit to every General Convention, in addition to the documents mentioned in Section IV, Canon 20, Title 1, of the Digest, a certificate to be signed by himself, containing a list of the Clergymen in this Diocese, and the amount of funds paid or secured to be paid (distinguishing them) to the General Theological Seminary; together with the nomination of Trustees of that Seminary; and also a certificate of the appointment of Clerical and Lay Deputies.

**SEC. 3.** Any expense incurred by a compliance with the several sections of this Canon shall be paid out of the Diocesan Fund.

**SEC. 4.** Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of Secretary of the Convention, the duties thereof shall devolve upon the Assistant Secretary if there be one; if not, upon the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

**CANON VI.***Of the Treasurer of the Diocese.*

**SECTION 1.** At every Annual Convention there shall be chosen a Treasurer of the Diocese. It shall be his duty to receive and disburse all moneys collected under the authority of the Convention, the collection and distribution of which shall not be otherwise regulated. He shall be subject to the direction of the Standing Committee in relation to the mode and place of depositing the funds received by him, and the manner of paying them out, and his accounts and books shall be at all times subject to the inspection of the Standing Committee or any member thereof. Before entering on the duties of his office he shall give a bond to the Standing Committee, in such penalty and with such surety as they shall direct, conditional for the faithful performance of his duties, and for the delivery over to his successor of all funds, securities, books and papers pertaining to his office.

**SEC. 2.** His accounts shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

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SEC. 3. In case of a vacancy in the office, the Standing Committee shall appoint a Treasurer, and the person so appointed shall continue to act until an election is made by the Convention. The Treasurer may be removed at any time from his office by the Standing Committee, for any neglect or misconduct, of which they shall be judges.

CANON VII.

*Of Registers, Parochial Reports, and the Removal of Communicants from one Parish to another.*

SECTION 1. The Parish Register required by Section V, Canon 18, Title 1, of the Digest shall specify the name and the time of the birth of the child baptized, with the names of the parents and sponsors; the name of the adult baptized; the names of the parties married, and of two or more special witnesses of the same, and the place where the marriage was solemnized; the names of the persons buried; and also the time when each rite was performed. These Registers shall be kept by the Minister in a book to be provided for that purpose belonging to the Vestry of each Church; which book shall be the Parish Register, and shall be preserved by the Vestry as a part of the records of the Church.

SEC. 2. The Parish Register shall contain a list of the families and adult persons in the Cure as far as practicable, and also an accurate list of the persons confirmed from time to time.

SEC. 3. In every Parish and Missionary Station a list of the Communicants shall be kept which shall retain the names of all persons who shall have been admitted to the Holy Communion in that Parish or Station until they shall have ceased to be Communicants in the Cure by either (1) death, (2) removal or (3) repulsion and suspension or excommunication by competent authority. In the Annual Report of the Parish, discrimination shall be made by means of separate items between those who shall have received the Holy Communion at least once within two years preceeding such report, and all others whose names are on the list as above provided, but who shall not have received the Communion either in public or in private during the two years preceeding the report, whatever may have been the occasion or cause of their neglect of their privilege and duty.

SEC. 4. The Annual Report shall also indicate all the additions to the list of communicants during the past year, as well as the losses by death, removal, repulsion or suspension, as required by Section V, Canon 18, Title 1, and Section 1, Canon 20, Title 1, of the Digest, and shall also contain, in addition to the value of churches and rectories, the amount of insurance thereon.

SEC. 5. In every case where a Parish is destitute of a Minister, the Register contemplated by this Canon shall be kept by the Wardens, or by some person appointed by the Vestry, whose duty it shall also be to prepare and forward to the Bishop the Annual Parochial Report.

SEC. 6. Communicants removing from one parish to another, in this Diocese, shall procure a certificate as provided for in Canon 12, Title 2, Sec. 1, of the Canons of the General Convention.

SEC. 7. The same rule shall apply in this Diocese to Communicants who may wish to be transferred, without changing their residence, from the list of Communicants in one Parish, so as to be received as Communicants in any other Parish or in any other place of worship, where the Holy Communion is habitually celebrated.

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**SEC. 8.** No Rector or other Minister in charge of any Parish in this Diocese shall receive as an habitual Communicant, or enter upon the list of Communicants under his charge, the name of any person who has been a Communicant in any other Parish in this Diocese, without such a certificate or Letter Dimissory from the Parish to which such Communicant last belonged.

**SEC. 9.** Any Communicant, not under censure or ecclesiastical discipline, shall be entitled to such a Certificate or Letter, on application therefor to the Minister in charge of the Parish to which said Communicant belongs, and in case of a vacancy in the pastoral care of a Parish, and in case of any person under discipline, the application shall be referred to the Bishop of the Diocese, or in the vacancy of the Episcopal office, to the President of the Standing Committee, and the answer and decision of the Bishop or of the President of the Standing Committee, as above provided, shall be final and conclusive.

**CANON VIII.***Of Deputies to the General Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** The Convention shall, at its regular annual meeting next preceding the regular session of the General Convention, elect by the concurrent ballot of the Clerical and Lay Members, four Clergymen and four Laymen, who shall be Communicants of the Church and residents of the Diocese, to act as Deputies from this Diocese to the General Convention. The Deputies so chosen shall hold their office during the term of three years.

**SEC. 2.** Any vacancy occurring among the Deputies between the stated times of election, may be supplied by any Convention during or prior to which such vacancy shall occur.

**SEC. 3.** It shall be the duty of the Deputies-elect to signify to the Bishop, on some day within three weeks of the meeting of the General Convention, and at least one week before such meeting, the acceptance of the appointment, and their intention to perform its duties; in default of which, and in case of their inability or unwillingness to perform the duties of the appointment, all vacancies so occurring by declensions, sickness or death, shall be filled by the designation of the Bishop, from the list of the Clergymen and Laymen actually belonging to the Convention in which the Deputies were appointed, and such person or persons so designated by the Bishop, being furnished with his certificate thereof, shall have all the power and authority of Deputies duly elected by the Convention.

**SEC. 4.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or of the inability of the Bishop to act, the power conferred upon the Bishop by this Canon shall be exercised by the President of the Standing Committee.

**CANON IX.***Of the Standing Committee.*

**SECTION 1.** At every Annual Convention an election of a Standing Committee shall be made: which Committee shall consist of four of the Clergy and four of the Laity, to be chosen by ballot, and by the concurrent vote of each order, each Parish having one vote by its delegates. Vacancies in said Committee, occurring by death or otherwise, shall be supplied by the concurrent vote of the Clerical Members and Lay Members of the Committee.

**SEC. 2.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop in matters of discipline, shall be performed by



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**the Standing Committee, except in those cases where such powers and duties are or may be specially delegated to or enjoined upon the Clerical Members of said Committee; in which cases such powers and duties shall be exercised by said Clerical Members alone; provided that no sentence shall be pronounced upon a Clergyman but by a Bishop.**

**SEC. 3.** The Secretary of the Standing Committee shall keep a true record of their proceedings, and report the same annually to the Diocesan Convention. He shall preserve all books, Journals and papers belonging to said Committee, and transmit the same to his successor in office.

**CANON X.**

*Of the Diocesan Missions and Offerings.*

**SECTION I.** All Members of the Church in the Diocese of Central New York constitute its Diocesan Missionary Society; and the Convention of the Diocese shall be the Diocesan Board of Missions.

**SEC. II.** For missionary purposes the Diocese shall be divided into six districts, as follows:

**First District**—Jefferson and Lewis Counties.

**Second District**—Oneida County, and Madison County, except the townships including the parishes of Cazenovia, Canastota, Chittenago and Perryville.

**Third District**—Broome and Chenango Counties.

**Fourth District**—Onondaga, Oswego and Cortland Counties, and the townships of Madison County not included in the Second District.

**Fifth District**—Cayuga and Seneca Counties.

**Sixth District**—Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins Counties.

**SEC. III. 1.** The principal officer of each Missionary District shall be called **the Dean of the District.** He shall be appointed every four years by the Bishop, from the Clergy of the District, after nomination in a regular Convocation of the same. Under the Bishop he shall have the oversight of all Missionary work in his District.

**2.** Each Missionary District shall annually elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, at its first regular convocation after the Annual Convention of the Diocese.

**3.** If the office of Dean of any Missionary District become vacant, by removal or otherwise, the Bishop shall appoint a successor for the remainder of the term.

**SEC. IV. 1.** In the General Missionary work of the Diocese, the Bishop shall be assisted by a Diocesan Board of Managers consisting, together with the Bishop, of the Treasurer of the Diocese, who shall also be the Treasurer of the Board, the six Deans, and six Clergymen and six Laymen, one of each from each Missionary District, to be elected severally by the Convocations of the Districts entitled to this representation. In any vacancy of the Episcopate, the Board of Managers shall elect one of its members to preside.

**2.** The Diocesan Board of Managers shall consult for the promotion of the Missionary work of the Diocese. It shall each year, through its Secretary, present to the Diocesan Board of Missions, at its annual session, a report of the Missionary work of the Diocese during the Conventional year.



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3. At each Annual Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall submit to the Diocesan Board of Missions for its action, an estimate of the sum required for the Missionary work of the Diocese during the current year. Immediately after the adjournment of the Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall meet and determine how much of the money voted by the Diocese for its Missionary work during the year, shall be assessed to each District, and what part of it shall be given to the same for apportionment among its Stipendiary Clergy. And this determination shall be published in the Journal of the Convention.

4. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall, through its Treasurer, prepare for publication in each Journal of the Convention, a table, by districts, of all the Parishes and Missions in the Diocese, the sum assessed to each District to be raised for Diocesan Missionary work, the amount assessed by the District to each Parish and Mission for the same, and the sum actually given for this purpose by each Parish and Mission. It shall also contain the amount of Stipendiary Funds given to each District, together with the sum apportioned to each of its Stipendiary Parishes and Missions.

5. Other meetings of the Board of Managers shall be held at the call of the Bishop, or, in a vacancy of the Episcopate, of four Deans. Eleven members of the Board, including three Deans, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; but no action of the Board shall be valid without the approval of the Bishop.

SEC. v. 1. Each Missionary District shall hold not less than two stated Convocations yearly. At the first of these, which shall be held as soon after the adjournment of the Annual Convention as the District may determine, appropriations shall be made by it in aid of the Missionary work in the said District under the advice or direction of the Bishop.

2. Each Missionary District shall be represented in its Convocations by the Clergy canonically resident, and by two Lay Delegates from each of its Parishes and Missions.

3. Each Missionary District shall have power to assess upon its own Parishes and Missions whatever sum may canonically be required of it for the Missionary work of the Diocese, and all moneys raised or collected for Diocesan Missions shall be promptly paid by the Treasurer of the District to the Treasurer of the Diocesan Board of Managers, and by him paid to the Missionaries on the order of the Treasurer of the District.

4. At least two weeks before the Annual Convention of the Diocese, the Secretary of each Missionary District shall make a report of the year's work of the District to the Secretary of the Board of Managers, including the items called for in Section IV, 4, of this Canon.

5. Any Missionary District may, with the approval of the Bishop, undertake special Missionary work, provided it shall first have complied with all canonical requirements, and shall be free to make its own regulations and conduct its own Missionary work in all ways not conflicting with the provisions of this Canon.

6. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman in charge of a Parish or Mission, to attend all Convocations of his District, and to report to the same the Missionary work done in his Cure.

SEC. vi. 1. Offerings shall be made systematically in the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese, as follows:

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For the Communion Alms, on the first Sunday in each month.

For the Domestic Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Advent.

For the Christmas Fund, on Christmas Day.

For the Foreign Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Epiphany.

For the Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York, or the Bible and Prayer Book Society of New York, in the discretion of the Minister, on Whit-Sunday.

For the Increase of the Ministry, on Easter, or some other near and convenient Sunday.

For the Diocesan Church Building Fund, on the fourth Sunday in March and September.

For the Mission among Deaf Mutes in the Diocese on the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.

2. Offerings for Diocesan Missions shall be made in every Parish and Mission in the Diocese on the third Sunday of each month, when one of the above named Sundays is not the third Sunday. All such offerings shall be forwarded promptly to the Treasurer of the District.

It is also recommended that the Minister of each Parish or Congregation, at the Episcopal visitation, ask an offering which shall be placed in the hands of the Bishop, to be used at his discretion for the benefit of needy persons, and which shall be called the Bishop's Relief Fund.

CANON XI.

*Of the General Fund.*

SECTION 1. In order to provide for what has hitherto been known as "The General Fund," it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of the Diocese, with the Standing Committee, to make an estimate as soon as may be conveniently done after each annual session of the Diocesan Convention, of the amount of money that will be needed during the ensuing year to meet the current expenses and the expenses of the Convention, adding thereto the liabilities of the Diocese chargeable to said Fund, if there be any.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to assess the amount thus agreed upon, on the Parishes in union with the Convention, at the rate of a uniform per cent. on "The Current expenses of the Parish, including the Rector's salary,"—not including any amount that may have been given to the Parish or its Ministry by the Missionary Board of this Diocese, or by any other missionary organization—or in any other way that the Bishop and Standing Committee may see fit to adopt. And it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report at each Convention the names of all Parishes which shall be in arrears to the General Fund, and the amount of such arrears respectively.

SEC. 3. The Treasurer shall notify each Parish of the quota thus assigned to it and it shall be the duty of the Wardens and Vestry of each Parish to see that the amount thus due the Diocese shall be forwarded to the Treasurer in quarterly installments, one quarter of the amount being sent on the first days of September, of December, of March, and of June respectively. And in case any Parish shall fail to remit the amount thus called for, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report the fact to the Bishop and Standing Committee for such action thereon as they may think necessary.

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**CANON XII.***Of the Christmas Fund.*

**SECTION 1.** All moneys raised or contributed for the Relief of Disabled Clergy and the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy, shall be paid to the Corporation known as "The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York." And it shall be the duty of the Convention at each of its annual meetings to nominate by ballot one person to act as trustee in the said corporation, to fill the vacancy which by the by-laws of said corporation will then occur, and to nominate in like manner other persons to fill any other vacancies in the said board that may have occurred during the year since the last Annual Convention.

**SEC. 2.** In every Parish in the Diocese there shall be made annually, on Christmas Day, a collection for the relief of Disabled Clergy of the Diocese, and for the benefit of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy of the Diocese. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman to give due notice of this collection to the Congregation, and of the Wardens of every Parish to forward the same to the Treasurer of the Christmas Fund.

**SEC. 3.** All appropriations for the Relief of Disabled Clergy shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, on the certificate of the Bishop that the individual has labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than three years, (except in the case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) and is disabled by age or physical infirmity from having a parochial charge; but no appropriation shall be made for a larger sum than five hundred dollars per annum, and it shall be paid semi-annually on the first of January and July.

**SEC. 4.** All appropriations for the benefit of the widow or children of a deceased Clergyman, shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund on the certificate of the Bishop, that the person or persons is the widow or minor child or children of a deceased Clergyman who was a canonical resident of the Diocese at the time of his death, and who had labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than one year, (except in the case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) but no appropriation for this purpose shall be made for a larger sum than three hundred dollars per annum, to be paid semi-annually, on the first of April and October; and no appropriation shall be paid to a widow after she is married again, or to orphan or orphans after having attained the age of majority.

**SEC. 5.** The Trustees of the Christmas Fund shall have power to appropriate a sum not exceeding fifty dollars towards the funeral expenses of a deceased beneficiary.

**SEC. 6.** All moneys belonging to the Fund and not needed for present relief, shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon security upon real estate appraised at double the amount loaned thereon, exclusive of buildings, the appraisal to be made by two appraisers appointed by the Trustees for the purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State, or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the Fund; and they shall have the power from time to time to change such securities or investments.

**SEC. 7.** A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees of the Christmas Fund, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers therefor, shall be reported to the appropriate Committee, according to Canon XIV, signed by said Trustees or a majority of them.

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CANON XIII.

*Of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.*

SECTION 1. There shall be five Trustees appointed by the Convention to whom the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate in this Diocese shall be entrusted. It shall be the duty of the said Trustees to appoint a President and Secretary; and no act of said Trustees shall be valid unless authorized by a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of said Trustees by a majority of the same and recorded by their Secretary in a book to be kept as the record of their proceedings, and to be opened to the inspection of the Convention. The said Trustees shall hold their office during the pleasure of the Convention; and all vacancies occurring in said board of Trustees shall from time to time be filled by the Convention.

SEC. 2. All moneys belonging to the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon securities on real estate to an amount not exceeding seventy per cent. of the appraised value of the property, inclusive of buildings, with proper insurance on the buildings; the appraisal to be made by three appraisers, appointed by the Trustees for that purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of the said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the said Fund; and they shall have power from time to time to change such securities and investments.

SEC. 3 The salary of the Bishop shall be paid quarterly, by the Treasurer of the Diocese, on the first days of July, October, January and April, in each fiscal year, and the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund shall remit quarterly, in anticipation of such payments, all sums received by them as income of said Fund, and the receipt of said Treasurer shall be a proper voucher for said Trustees in rendering their annual Report to the Convention of this Diocese.

SEC. 4. With a view to the further increase of the principal of the said Fund, such portions of the contributions of the Diocese as may be given or appropriated for that purpose, shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Convention to the order of the said Trustees, to be invested by them for accumulation and without diminution, until the further order of the Convention; and all moneys remaining in the hands of said Trustees for investment, shall be deposited in some safe bank in this State, to the credit of the President and Secretary of the Board.

SEC. 5. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers thereof shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

CANON XIV.

*Of the Fiscal Year and Financial Reports.*

SECTION 1. The fiscal year of the Diocese shall begin on the first day of May annually, and end on the thirtieth day of the April following. And the Treasurer of the Diocese and all Trustees having in charge any funds belonging to the Diocese shall annually make their reports to the appropriate Standing Committees on or before the fifteenth of May in each year.

SEC. 2. Standing Committees shall be appointed at each Annual Convention, to consider and report to the Annual Convention next ensuing, as follows:

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1. On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, consisting of three Laymen.

2. On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, consisting of three Laymen.

3. On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, consisting of three Laymen.

4. On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, consisting of three Laymen.

5. On the Report of the Trustee of the VanWagenen Missionary Fund, consisting of one Clergyman and two Laymen.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of each of these several Committees to meet in each year at some time between the fifteenth of May and the meeting of the next annual Convention, at the place where the Treasurer resides, or where the funds are held, and make an examination into all the books, papers, vouchers, &c., relating to the respective funds held by the Treasurer or Trustees, and prepare a report to be presented to the Annual Convention next ensuing.

## CANON XV.

*Of Vacant Churches.*

SECTION 1. Whenever a Church becomes vacant it shall be the duty of the Vestry to give immediate notice thereof to the Bishop.

SEC. 2. The Bishop shall appoint those of the Clergy in the Diocese, who can with most convenience discharge the duty, to supply such vacant Parishes as have been reported to him, at such times as may be deemed convenient and proper. It shall be the duty of such vacant Churches thus supplied to defray all the expenses incident to such occasional services.

## CANON XVI.

*Of Elections.*

SECTION 1. All the Officers of the Convention shall be elected by ballot. Election by ballot may be dispensed with by a unanimous vote of the Convention. And when an election is by ballot, a majority of the votes in each order shall be necessary to a valid election.

SEC. 2. To facilitate the stated election by ballot, the Secretary shall provide sheets of paper with printed headings, containing the titles of the various offices to be filled by ballot, for the use of the members of the Convention; and all such officers may be voted for at one balloting. No printed ballots shall be allowed.

SEC. 3. In all cases of failure or omission to elect officers by the Convention, the persons last elected shall continue in office until others be chosen.

## CANON XVII.

*Of Attending the Meetings of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. Whereas, the regular attendance of the Clergy and Laity at the meetings of the Convention is of essential consequence to the interests of the Church, this duty is hereby enjoined upon them.

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SEC. 2. And whereas it is often necessary to travel a considerable distance to the place of meeting of the Convention, it is hereby made the duty of the different parishes to make provision for the expenses of their Clergy in attending the Convention, either by a collection in Church on Sunday, or by some other mode.

SEC. 3. No member of this Convention shall leave the same during its session without having applied for and received leave of absence.

CANON XVIII.

*Of the Trial of a Clergyman not being a Bishop.*

Whenever any Minister of this Diocese, not being a Bishop thereof, shall become liable to presentment and trial under the provisions of any Canon of the General or Diocesan Convention, the mode of proceedings in this Diocese shall be as follows, viz.:

SECTION 1. The trial shall be on a presentment in writing, addressed to the Bishop of the Diocese, specifying the offences of which the accused is alleged to be guilty, with reasonable certainty as to time, place and circumstances. Such presentment may be made by the major part in number of the members of the Vestry of any Church of which the accused is a Minister, or by any three Presbyters of this Diocese entitled to seats in the Convention or as hereinafter mentioned. Whenever from public rumor or otherwise, the Bishop shall have reason to believe that any Clergyman is under the imputation of having been guilty of any offence or misconduct, for which he is liable to be tried, and that the interest of the Church requires an investigation, it shall be his duty to appoint five persons, of whom three at least shall be Presbyters, to examine the case—a majority of whom may make such examination: and if there is, in their opinion, sufficient ground for presentment, shall present the Clergyman accordingly.

SEC. 2. A presentment being made in any of the modes above prescribed, the Bishop, if the facts charged shall not appear to him to be such as to constitute an offence, may dismiss it; or if it allege facts some of which do, and some of which do not constitute an offence, he may allow it in part and dismiss the residue, or he may permit it to be amended. When it shall be allowed in whole or in part, the Bishop shall cause a copy of it to be served on the accused, and shall also nominate twelve Presbyters of this Diocese, entitled to seats in the Convention, and not being parties to the presentment, and cause a list of their names to be served on the accused, who shall, within thirty days after such service, select five of them and notify their names in writing to the Bishop; and if he shall not give such notification to the Bishop within the said thirty days, the Bishop shall select five, and the Presbyters so selected shall form a Board for the trial of the accused, and shall meet at such time and place as the Bishop shall direct, and shall have power to adjourn from time to time and from place to place (but always within this Diocese,) as they shall think necessary.

SEC. 3. A written notice of the time and place of their first meeting shall be served at least thirty days before such meeting on the accused, and also on one of the persons making the presentment.

SEC. 4. If at the time appointed for the first meeting of the Board of Presbyters, the whole number of five shall not attend, then those who do attend may adjourn from time to time; and if after one adjournment or more shall appear to them improbable that the whole number will attend within



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a reasonable time, then those who do attend, not being less than three, shall constitute the Board, and proceed to the trial, and a majority of them shall decide all questions.

SEC. 5. If a Clergyman presented shall confess the truth of the facts alleged in the presentment, it shall be the duty of the Bishop to proceed to pass sentence; and if he shall not confess them before the appointment of Board for his trial, as before mentioned, he shall be considered as denying them.

SEC. 6. If a Clergyman presented, after having due notice, shall not appear before the Board of Presbyters appointed for his trial, the Board may nevertheless proceed as if he were present, unless for good cause they shall see fit to adjourn until another day.

SEC. 7. When the Board proceeds to the trial, they shall hear such evidence as shall be produced; which evidence shall be reduced to writing, and signed by the witnesses respectively; and some officer authorized by law to administer oaths may, at the desire of either party, be requested to administer an oath or affirmation to the witnesses, that they will testify the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, concerning the facts charged in the presentment. If on or during the trial, the accused shall confess the truth of the charges as stated in the presentment, the Board may dispense with hearing further evidence, and may proceed at once to state their opinion to the Bishop as to the sentence that ought to be pronounced.

SEC. 8. Upon the application of either party to the Bishop, and it being made satisfactorily to appear to him that any material witness cannot be procured upon the trial, the Bishop may appoint a commissary to take the testimony of such witness. Such commissary may be either a Clergyman or a Layman, and the party so applying shall give to the other at least six days' notice of the time and place of taking the testimony. And if the person on whom the notice shall be served shall reside more than forty miles from the place of examination, an additional day's notice shall be given for every twenty miles of the said distance. And both parties may attend and examine the witness; and the questions and answers shall be reduced to writing and signed by the witness, and shall be certified by the commissary and enclosed under his seal and transmitted to the Board, and shall be received by them as evidence. A witness examined before such commissary may be sworn or affirmed in manner aforesaid.

SEC. 9. The Board having deliberately considered the evidence, shall declare in writing, signed by them or a majority of them, their decision on the charges contained in the presentment, distinctly stating whether the accused is guilty or not guilty of such charges respectively, and also stating the sentence which in their opinion should be pronounced; and a copy of such decision shall be without delay communicated to the accused; and the original decision, together with the evidence, shall be delivered to the Bishop, who shall pronounce such canonical sentence as shall appear to him to be proper, provided the same shall not exceed in severity the sentence recommended by the Board; and such sentence shall be final. Before pronouncing any sentence the Bishop shall summon the accused and any three or more of the Clergy, to meet him at such time as may in his opinion be most convenient, in some Church to be designated by him, which shall for that purpose be opened at the time to all persons who may choose to attend and the sentence shall then and there be publicly pronounced by the Bishop. But the Bishop, if he shall be satisfied that justice requires it, may grant a new trial to the accused, in which case a new Board of Presbyters shall be appointed, the proceedings before whom shall be conducted as before mentioned.

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**SEC. 10.** All notices and papers contemplated in this Canon may be served by a summoner or summoners, to be appointed for the purpose by the Bishop, and whose certificate of such service shall be evidence thereof. In case of service by any other person, the fact shall be proved by the affidavit of such person. A written notice or paper delivered to a party, or left at his last place of residence, shall be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or paper—provided, however, that the service, if not personal, shall be a notice of at least sixty days.

**SEC. 11.** The accused may have the privilege of appearing by counsel; in case of the exercise of which privilege, and not otherwise, those who present shall have like privilege; which counsel shall in all cases be members of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

**SEC. 12.** The record of all proceedings upon a presentment of a Clergyman, shall be preserved by the Standing Committee; and for that purpose shall, after final decision, be delivered to their Secretary.



(B.)

## Rules of Order.

For Conducting the Business of the Convention of the  
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### FIRST DAY.

I. On the first day the order of business shall be as follows:

1. After Divine Service, the President having taken the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call the names of the Clergy entitled to seats, and enter on the record the names of those who are present.
2. The Secretary shall then call the names of the Parishes entitled to representation, and the Lay Delegates of each Parish shall place their certificates on the table.
3. The President shall then appoint a Committee, consisting of two members and the Secretary, to examine the certificates and report thereon.
4. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared.
5. The names of the Lay Delegates reported by the Committee on Credentials as duly appointed, shall then be called, and the result noted in the record.
6. If a quorum be found in attendance, viz.:—twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and twenty delegations from the Parishes, the President shall then declare the Convention duly organized for business.
7. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an Assistant Secretary to be appointed by the Convention.
8. The Following Committees shall then be appointed by the President:
  - i. On the Admission into Union with this Convention of Churches applying for the same—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - ii. On Unfinished Business—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - iii. On the Report of the Missionary Board—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - iv. On the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
9. Immediately upon the appointment of the aforesaid Committee, the papers to be examined and reported on by them shall be called for and referred.
10. Motions, Notices and Resolutions shall then be in order.

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SECOND DAY.

II. On the second day, after Divine Service, the Order of Business, which shall not be departed from without the consent of two-thirds of the members present, shall be as follows:

1. The reading, correcting and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
2. Calling the names of members not present before, and entering in the Journal those who appear.
3. The Annual Address of the Bishop, unless he shall prefer another time for its delivery; if so, it shall be in order at any time.
4. The Report from the Standing Committee on the Admission of New Parishes; the admission of the Parishes and the reception of their Lay Delegates.
5. The reading of an abstract of the proceedings of the Standing Committee of the Diocese.
6. Report from the Secretary and the Treasurer when those officers have any special communications to make to the Convention.
7. Presentation of Resolutions; the same to be referred to appropriate Committees or placed on the Calendar without debate.
8. The election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, and of the Deputies of the General Convention, and the nomination of Trustees of the General Theological Seminary.
9. The election of the Treasurer of the Diocese.
10. The supplying of vacancies, if any, in the Board of Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; in the Board of Trustees of the Christmas Fund; in the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Fund.
11. Reports from the following Standing Committees:—On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund; on the Treasurer's Accounts; on the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; on Unfinished Business; on the Report of the Missionary Board; on the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society; on Christian Education, on the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order.
12. Reports from Special Committees.
13. The appointing of the following Standing Committees:
  - I. On *Christian Education*—Consisting of THREE CLERGYMEN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - II. On *the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—Consisting of THREE CLERGYMEN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - III. On *the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.

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- iv. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- v. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- vi. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- vii. *On the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wageningen Missionary Fund*—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
- 14. The appointment of the Presidents of the Missionary Convocations and the supplying of vacancies, if any, in the list of Deputies to the Federate Council.
- 15. Unfinished Business.
- 16. Motions, Resolutions and Miscellaneous Business.

### THIRD AND SUBSEQUENT DAYS.

III. On the third, and any subsequent day, after Morning Prayer, the Order of Business shall be as follows:

- 1. Reading and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
- 2. The disposal of the Unfinished Business of the Convention, in the order above prescribed for the Second Day; the business, if any, however, which was under consideration at the time of adjournment of the Convention to be first disposed of.

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### GENERAL RULES.

IV. Every member who shall be present when a question is stated from the Chair, shall vote thereon, unless excused by the House

V. No motion shall be put or debated until it is seconded, and when seconded, it shall be stated by the President before the debate; and every motion shall be reduced to writing, when required by the President or any member.

VI. If the question in debate contains several distinct propositions, any member may have the same divided.

VII. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, except to lay it on the table; to postpone it indefinitely; to postpone it to a certain time; to commit it, or amend it; and motions for either of these purposes shall have precedence in the order here named. But a motion to adjourn shall always be in order when no member is speaking, and shall be decided without debate; and if it be negatived, shall not be renewed until some other business has intervened.

VIII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate; but any matter thus laid on the table may be called up again during the same session, on the motion of any member who voted in the affirmative.

IX. On the question being put by the President, it shall be determined by the sound of voices, for or against it; but any member may require a count of

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the votes, and tellers for that purpose shall be appointed by the Chair—or any three votes may, previous to a decision by count, require the ayes and noes to be taken, which shall be done by calling the names of the Clerical members and the Churches represented, and the votes shall be entered in the Journal.

X. Any five votes may require the ayes and noes to be taken by order, and when so taken they shall be entered on the minutes.

XI. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.

XII. A question being decided shall not be reconsidered during the same session, without the consent of two-thirds of the votes of the Convention; nor without the motion for that purpose being made by one of the majority on the prior decision; nor shall any question be reconsidered more than once.

XIII. All Reports of Committees shall be in writing, and shall, upon reading or presentation of the same, become the property of the Convention, without any motion for acceptance, and any report recommending action by the Convention shall be accompanied with a Resolution.

XIV. All Special Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise specially directed by the House; in which case they shall be appointed by ballot.

XV. No standing rule or order shall be suspended, changed or rescinded without one day's previous notice of a motion to that effect, unless by the vote of two-thirds of the persons present entitled to vote.

XVI. Before the final adjournment of any session of the Convention, the Minutes of the last day's proceedings shall be read, corrected and approved.

XVII. Unless otherwise ordered by the Convention, it shall meet at 9 o'clock in the morning; take a recess from 1 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon; and adjourn for the day at 6 o'clock P. M.

## APPENDIX VI.

(A.)

### Organization of Parishes.

#### (1.) An Act Providing for the Incorporation of Religious Societies.

CHAPTER 808.—An Act to amend the Acts to provide for the incorporation of Religious Societies, so far as the same relate to Churches in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church. Passed May 9, 1868.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. The 1st Section of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies," passed April 5, 1813, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for not less than six male persons of full age, belonging to any Church or Congregation in communion with the Protestant Episcopal Church in this State, not already incorporated, to meet at any time at the usual place of public worship of such Church or Congregation for the purpose of incorporating themselves under this Act.

2. A notice of such meeting, specifying its object, and the time and place thereof, shall be publicly read in the time of morning service, on two Sundays next previous thereto, by the Rector or Officiating Minister, or if there be none or any other person belonging to such Church or Congregation; and shall also be posted in a conspicuous place on the outside door, near the main entrance to such place of worship.

3. The Rector, or if there be none, or he be necessarily absent, then one of the Church Wardens or Vestrymen, or any other person called to the Chair, shall preside at such meeting, and shall receive the votes.

4. The persons entitled to vote at such meeting shall be the male persons of full age belonging to the Church or Congregation, qualified as follows, and none others:

*First.* Those who have been baptized in the Protestant Episcopal Church or who have been received therein, either by the rite of Confirmation or by receiving the Holy Communion; or

*Second.* Those who have purchased, and for not less than twelve months next prior to such meeting have owned a pew or seat in such Church; or who during the same period of time having hired or paid for a pew or seat in such Church; or who during the whole period aforesaid have been contributors in money to the support of such Church.

5. The persons so qualified shall, at such meeting, by a majority of votes determine:

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*First.* The name or title by which such Church or Congregation shall be known in law.

*Second.* On what day in Easter Week an annual election for Church Wardens and Vestrymen shall thereafter take place.

*Third.* What number of Vestrymen, not less than four nor more than eight, shall annually be elected, and shall, together with the Rector, if there be one, and the two Church Wardens, constitute the Vestry of the Church.

*Fourth.* And shall by a majority of votes, elect two Church Wardens and the number of Vestrymen that it shall have been determined are to be annually elected; which Church Wardens and Vestrymen thus elected shall serve until the next regular election.

6. The polls shall continue open for one hour and longer, in the discretion of the presiding officer, or if required, by the vote of a majority of voters present.

7. The presiding officer, together with two other persons, shall make a certificate, under their hands and seals, of:

*First.* The Church Wardens and Vestrymen so elected.

*Second.* Of the day in Easter Week so fixed for the annual election of their successors.

*Third.* Of the number of Vestrymen (not less than four or more than eight,) so determined upon to be annually elected to constitute part of the Vestry.

*Fourth.* Of the name or title by which such Church or Congregation shall be known in law; which certificate being duly acknowledged or the execution and acknowledgment thereof being duly proven before any officer authorized to take the acknowledgment or proof of deeds or conveyances of real estate, to be recorded in the county where such Church or place of worship of such Congregation shall be situated, shall be recorded by the clerk of such county, or by the officer whose duty it is, or may hereafter be made, to record such instruments in the county in which such Church or place of worship may be situated, in a book to be by him kept for such purpose.

8. The Church Wardens or Vestrymen so elected, and their successors in office, of themselves, (but if there be a Rector then together with the Rector of such Church or Congregation,) shall form a Vestry, and shall be the Trustees of such Church or Congregation; and they and their successors shall thereupon by virtue of this act, be a body corporate, by the name or title expressed in such certificate.

9. The male persons qualified as aforesaid, provided they also shall have belonged to such Church or Congregation for twelve months immediately preceeding, shall in every year thereafter, on the day in Easter Week so fixed for that purpose, elect two Church Wardens and as many Vestrymen (not less than four nor more than eight,) as shall have been legally determined to constitute part of the Vestry.

10. Notice shall be given of such election by the Rector, if there be one, or if there be none, or he be absent, by the officiating Minister, or by a Church Warden, for two Sundays next previous to the day so fixed, in the time of Divine Service.

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11. Whenever a vacancy in the Board so constituted shall happen, by death or otherwise, the Vestry shall order a special election to supply such vacancy of which notice shall be given in the time of Divine Service, at least ten days previous thereto.

12. The notice of any election, stated or otherwise, shall specify the place, day and hour of holding the same. The provisions contained in the preceding 6th clause shall apply to all elections.

13. An election to supply a vacancy, and also the stated annual election shall be holden immediately after Morning Service; and at all such elections the Rector, or if there be none, or he be absent, one of the Church Wardens selected for the purpose by a majority of the duly qualified voters present, or if no Warden be present, a Vestryman, selected in like manner, shall preside and receive the votes of the electors, and be the returning officer; and shall enter the proceedings in the book of the Minutes of the Vestry, and sign his name thereto, and offer the same to as many electors present as he shall think fit, to be by them also signed and certified.

14. The Church Wardens and Vestrymen chosen at any of the said elections, shall hold their offices until the expiration of the year for which they shall be chosen, and until others be chosen in their stead; and shall have power to call and induct a Rector to such Church or Congregation, as often as there shall be a vacancy therein, and to fix his salary or compensation.

15. No Board, or meeting of such Vestry, shall be held unless at least three days' notice thereof shall be given in writing, under the hand of the Rector or one of the Church Wardens; except that for the first meeting after an election, twenty-four hours' notice shall be sufficient; and no such Board shall be competent to transact any business unless the Rector, if there be one, and at least one of the Church Wardens, and a majority of the Vestrymen be present. But if the Rector be absent from the State and shall have been absent for over four calendar months, or if the meeting has been called by the Rector, and he be absent therefrom, the Board shall be competent to transact all business, if there be present one Church Warden and a majority of the Vestrymen; except that in the absence of the Rector no measure shall be taken for effecting a sale or disposition of the real property, nor may any sale or disposition of the capital or principal of the personal estate of such corporation be made, nor any act done which shall impair the rights of such Rector.

16. The Rector, if there be one, and if not, then the Church Wardens present, or if both the Church Wardens be present, then the Church Wardens who shall be called to the Chair by a majority of votes, shall preside at every meeting of the Board, and have the casting vote.

17. Whenever any corporation, organized under the provisions of this Act, shall deem it for the interest of such corporation to change the number of Vestrymen, it shall and may be lawful for such corporation to change the same, provided that the number of such Vestrymen shall not thereby be made less than four nor more than eight. And in order to effect such change, the same shall be authorized and approved by the Vestry at a regular meeting thereof; and shall then at the next stated annual election for Wardens and Vestrymen be submitted to, and ratified by a majority of the votes of all the qualified voters voting at such election; notice of which proposed change, and that the same will be submitted for ratification at such election, shall be given at the same time, and in the same manner as it is required for notice of the said election; if such change be thus ratified, a certificate shall be made setting forth the resolution of the Vestry, and the proceedings to ratify the same, together with the fact of the notice being given as required, and shall be acknowledged or proved and recorded in the same manner as is required

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for the original certificate of organization; and thereupon the number of Vestrymen to constitute a part of the Vestry of such corporation shall be such as shall be fixed by the proceedings to effect such change. But such change shall not take effect or be operative, until the certificate above mentioned shall have been duly recorded.

SEC. 2. The provisions of the ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth and seventeenth clauses of Section 1 of this Act shall apply to any Church or corporation in communion with the Protestant Episcopal Church in this State, heretofore incorporated under the Act hereby amended, or under any of the Acts amending the same, or under the several Acts to provide for the incorporation of religious societies, passed April 6th, 1784, March 27th, 1801, or the Act for the Relief of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York, passed March 17th, 1795, or by any special charter made or granted before or after July 4th, 1776, whereof the Vestry, at a regular meeting, shall by vote determine to adopt the same; and such vote shall, at the next ensuing stated annual election for Wardens and Vestrymen be submitted to, and ratified by a majority of the votes of all qualified voters voting at such election, notice of such vote of the Vestry, of the proposed submission of the same for ratification, having been given at the same time and in the same manner as is required by the tenth clause of the first section of this Act for notice of election. But such adoption shall not take effect or be operative until a certificate embodying a true copy of the resolution of the Vestry, as entered upon their Minutes, and the proceedings to ratify the same, together with the fact of the notice being given, as required, shall have been acknowledged or proved, and shall be recorded, as required by the foregoing 7th clause of Section 1, for the certificate of Incorporation.

SEC. 3. The first Section of the Act passed March 5th, 1819, entitled "An Act to amend the Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies,'" is hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. The third Section of the Act passed February 15, 1826, entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies,'" passed April 5, 1813, shall not apply to any Church or Congregation in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church of this State.

SEC. 5. All Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

STATE OF NEW YORK. }  
*Attest* the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

HOMER A. NELSON,  
*Secretary of State.*

(2.) Form of Certificate of Incorporation.

*To all whom these Presents may Concern :*

We, the undersigned, whose names and seals are affixed to this instrument, do hereby certify, that on the [Second] day of [June] in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and [sixty-nine], the male persons of full age, belonging to the Church or Congregation in communion with the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York, worshipping in [the School



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*House of School District Number (8) in the Town of Verona, in the County of Oneida, in the State of New York,*] not already incorporated, met at their usual place of worship aforesaid, for the purpose of incorporating themselves under the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York to provide for the Incorporation of Religious Societies, and the Act to Amend the same, in pursuance of notice duly given specifying the object of the meeting, and the time and place thereof which had been publicly read in the time of morning service, on two Sundays next previous to such meeting, by \**[the Rector]*, and which was also posted in a conspicuous place on the outside door near the main entrance to the usual place of worship of the said Congregation.

And we further certify, that at such meeting, not less than six male persons, of full age, belonging to the Church or Congregation aforesaid, and not already incorporated, and duly qualified to vote at such meeting, met for the purpose aforesaid.

And we further certify that † *[the Rev. John Williams, the Rector of the said Church or Congregation]*, presided at the said meeting and received the votes.

And we further certify, that at the said meeting the following persons were elected Church Wardens and Vestrymen, by a majority of the votes of the persons present at the said meeting qualified to vote, viz.:

}	Were elected Church Wardens.
}	Were elected Vestrymen.

And we further certify, that by a majority of the votes of the person present and qualified as aforesaid *[Tuesday]* in Easter week was fixed and determined for the annual election of the successors of the said Church Wardens and Vestrymen.

And that the number of Vestrymen determined upon to be annually elected to constitute part of the Vestry was *[six]*.

And that it was in like manner determined that the said Church or Congregation shall be known in law by the name of *[the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Paul's Church, in the town of Verona, County Oneida, and State of New York.]*

In testimony whereof, we the said *[John Williams]*, who was the president officer at the said meeting, and *[Thomas Clark and William Smith]*, who were present and witnessed the proceedings, and were selected and named to sign and seal this certificate, have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed our seals, the *[second]* day of *[June]*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *[seventy]*.

<i>[John Williams,]</i>	<i>[SEAL]</i>
<i>[Thomas Clark,]</i>	<i>[SEAL]</i>
<i>[William Smith,]</i>	<i>[SEAL]</i>

Signed and sealed in  
presence of

*[Samuel Richards,]*  
*[James Hubbard,]*

} U. S. Internal  
Revenue Stamp.

\* Or by the officiating Minister: or by Alfred Bailey, belonging to the said Church Congregation.

† Or the Rev. John Williams, the Rector of the said Church or Congregation being necessarily absent by reason of illness, (or whatever may be the cause), Mr. Thomas Clark was called to the chair; and, or there being no Rector, Mr. Henry Churchill, or one of the Church Wardens (or Vestrymen) or Mr. Daniel Thomas, was called to the chair and

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1. The seals to be attached to this certificate must be of wax, or wafer, or material capable of receiving an impression, and constituting what is commonly known as a "seal" to deeds, &c., in this State. Not unfrequently made of the scroll. [L. s.], which is not sufficient and does not answer the legal requirement of a "seal" in this State.

A certificate thus made out, and signed and sealed, must be duly acknowledged by the parties signing and sealing the same, or the execution and acknowledgment thereof must be duly proven before some officer authorized to take the acknowledgment, or proof of deeds or conveyances of real estate to be recorded in the County where the Church or place of worship is situated.

When thus signed, sealed, acknowledged or proven, and stamped, the certificate must be recorded by the Clerk of the County, or by the officer whose duty it is, or may hereafter be made, to record such instruments in the County in which the Church is situate.

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*Incorporation of Free Churches.*

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(B.)

**Incorporation of Free Churches.****(1.) An Act for the Incorporation of Societies to Establish Free Churches. Passed April 30, 1854.**

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Any seven or more persons of full age, citizens of the United States, and a majority of them being residents of this State, who shall associate themselves for the purpose of founding and continuing one or more Free Churches, may make, sign and acknowledge, before any officer authorized to take the acknowledgment of deeds of land to be recorded in this State, and may file in the office of Secretary of State, and also of the Clerk of the County in which any such Church is to be established, a certificate in writing, in which shall be stated the name, or title, by which such society shall be known in the law, the purpose of its organization, and the names of seven trustees, of whom not less than five shall be persons who are not ministers of the Gospel, or priests of any denomination, to manage the same; but such certificate shall not be filed, unless with the written consent and approbation of a Justice of the Supreme Court of the district in which any such Church shall be intended to be established, or in the city of New York, of a Judge of the Superior Court of the said city, to be indorsed on such certificate.

SEC. 2. Upon the filing of such certificate, the persons named therein as trustees and their successors, being citizens of the United States, and residents of this State, shall be a body politic and corporate, with all the rights, powers, and duties, and subject to all the restrictions and obligations and other provisions, so far as the same may be applicable, and consistent with this act, specified and contained in the act entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific, and Missionary Societies," passed April 12, 1848, and the act amending the same passed April 7, 1849, except that the limitation in the first of the said acts of the value of the real estate may be held by any society in the city or county of New York, incorporated under this act, shall not be applicable to any Church edifice erected or owned by such society, or the lot of ground on which the same may be built, and except that the provision in the first of the said acts, in relation to the personal liability of the trustees, shall be applicable only to the trustees who shall have assented to the creation of any debt.

SEC. 3. Any vacancies occurring in the said board of trustees shall be supplied by the remaining trustees, at any legal meeting of the members; but there shall always be at least five members of the board who are not ministers of the Gospel or priests of any denomination.

SEC. 4. The seats or pews in every church building or edifice owned or occupied by any corporation organized under this Act, shall be forever free for the occupation and use during public worship, of all persons choosing to occupy the same, and conducting themselves with propriety; and no rent, charge, or exaction shall ever be made or demanded for such occupation or use; nor shall any real estate belonging to any such corporation, be sold or mortgaged by the trustees thereof, unless by the direction of the Supreme Court, to be given in the same manner, and in like cases, as provided by law in relation to religious incorporations.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

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**(2.) Certificate of Incorporation of Free Churches.**

We, whose names are hereto subscribed, male persons of full age, citizens of the United States, and a majority of whom are residents of the State of New York, do hereby certify that we have associated ourselves together for the purpose of founding and continuing a free church in the City [or town] of——, State of New York; that the name or title by which such society shall be known in law was determined to be the Free Church of the——, in the——of——. That the purpose of its organization is the ministering of the Word and Sacraments according to the doctrine and worship and discipline of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America. That the following are the names of seven trustees who are to manage the affairs of the said Church and body corporate, five of whom are not ministers of the gospel or priests of any denomination, namely:

[Signed in duplicate by all, and to be acknowledged, not proved, and to be approved by a Judge of the Supreme Court of the district, and filed in the office of the County Clerk, and a duplicate in the office of the Secretary of State.]

**(C.)**

**Incorporation of Trustees of Funds.**

**With By-Laws of Trustees and Form of Bequest.**

**¶1.) An Act Incorporating the Trustees of the Episcopate Funds.**

**AN ACT** to incorporate the Trustees for the management and care of the fund for the support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York. Passed April 27, 1841.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** Alexander B. Johnson, John E. Hinman, and Hiram Denio of the County of Oneida, Garry V. Sackett of the County of Seneca, and Thomas H. Rochester, of the County of Monroe, and their successors duly elected and appointed in the manner hereinafter prescribed, are hereby constituted a body corporate, by the name of "The Trustees for the Management and Care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York," and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and be capable of taking and holding by gift, grant or devise, and of purchasing, holding and conveying any estate, real or personal, necessary for the purpose of said corporation, provided the yearly value or income of the same shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars.

**SEC. 2.** The object of the said corporation shall be the management and care of the Fund now provided, together with that which may hereafter be contributed or acquired, and any accumulation arising upon the investment thereof, for the support of the office of Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York, and the appropriation of the income of said Fund to that purpose according to the direction to be from time to time given by the Convention of said Church in said Diocese.

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SEC. 3. The said Trustees shall be five in number, and shall hold their office during the pleasure of the said Convention, and all vacancies occurring in said Trustees shall from time to time be filled by said Convention. The said Trustees shall appoint a President and Secretary, and no act of said Trustees shall be valid unless authorized by a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of said Trustees by a majority of the same, and recorded by the Secretary in a book to be kept as a record of their proceedings, which book shall be open to the inspection of the said Convention.

SEC. 4. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees hereby incorporated, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers therefor, shall be reported to each Annual Convention, and signed by said Trustees, or a majority of them.

SEC. 5. The said Trustees hereby incorporated shall be bound to conform to any instructions to be given them by said Convention, touching the management of the said Fund, and the disposition of the income thereof; provided that such instructions shall be in writing, and shall be entered on the Journals of the said Convention; and provided also that the income of the said Fund shall in no case be diverted to or expended for any other purpose than that of sustaining the Episcopal office in the said Diocese.

SEC. 6. The provisions of title third of the eighteenth chapter of the first part of the Revised Statutes, shall apply to the corporation hereby created, so far as the same are not inconsistent with this Act.

I have compared the preceding with an original Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, and do certify that the same is a true and correct transcript thereof and of the whole of the said original. Given under my hand and seal of office this 28th day of April, 1841.

JOHN C. SPENCER, *Secretary of State.*

## (2.) An Act Incorporating the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

CHAPTER 59.—An Act for the Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York. Passed March 26, 1863.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Ward, Hunt, George H. Mumford, William B. Douglass, Alexander L. Chew, Edgar H. Hurd, Russell H. Haywood and their successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate, under the title of "Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York."

SEC. 2. The affairs of the said corporation shall be managed by a Board of six Trustees, and the persons named in the first section of this act shall be the first Trustees of the said corporation.

SEC. 3. The said Trustees shall be divided by lot into three classes. The term of the first class shall expire on the first day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-three; the term of the second class shall expire on the first day of September following; the term of the third class shall expire on the first day of September then ensuing. The vacancies in said classes shall be filled as they occur, by two Laymen, who shall be elected by ballot by

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the Convention of said Diocese, at its regular annual meeting in each year; the Trustees so to be elected shall hold the said office for three years from the expiration of the terms of their predecessors. The Acting Bishop of the Diocese shall be *ex-officio* a member of the Board of Trustees.

SEC. 4. The said Trustees are authorized to receive and hold by deed, conveyance or last will and testament, for the accumulation of said fund, real and personal estate, to such an amount that the annual income accruing therefrom shall not exceed thirty thousand dollars. The said Fund shall be devoted in part to the assistance and support of officiating ministers of the said Church, engaged in Parochial duty within the said Diocese, and this portion of the Fund shall be called "Fund for Clerical Support;" and in part to the purchase of glebes and the erection of parsonages within the limits of organized parishes in the said Diocese in communion with the said Church, and which shall be called "Fund for Parsonage Aid." All real or personal property conveyed, devised or given to the Trustees without specification as to the appropriation thereof, shall be devoted equally to the two purposes; but all donors to the Fund, by gift or devise, may specify whether the same is to be appropriated for "Clerical Support" or for "Parsonage Aid," and a separate account shall be kept of the portion of the Fund devoted to these purposes.

SEC. 5. In the distribution of these Funds, regard shall be had by the Trustees, in the exercise of a sound discretion, to the equal necessities of the Ministers of the Parishes applying for them, without prejudice or favor.

SEC. 6. For the purpose of distributing such Funds, the said Trustees shall meet on the first Monday of August in each year, or at such other time as they may appoint, and after determining the amounts of money to be distributed for the ensuing year, they shall consider the applications for assistance, which may then have been received. Such applications shall be in writing, signed either by the Minister or by order of the Vestry of the Parish, and shall state the facts necessary to a full understanding of the necessity of the case, and particularly the amounts already contributed or secured toward the support of the Minister, or for the erection of a parsonage, as the case may be. The said applications shall be separately considered by the Trustees; and a minute made of their decision thereon, together with a statement of the reason for refusing the same, if the application be rejected. In no case shall the amount awarded from the Funds be more than one-half of the funds already contributed and secured, as may satisfactorily appear by the written application; and, in making grants from the Fund in aid of parsonages, in no case shall any moneys be paid from the same Fund, except on assurances satisfactory to the Trustees that all the remaining moneys necessary to the purchase of a glebe or erection of a parsonage are secured, and that no debt or incumbrance will remain thereon.

SEC. 7. The Trustees shall make an annual report to the Diocesan Convention, at their regular meeting, of the state of the Fund; of all applications for assistance therefrom, of the grants made, with the conditions, if any, attached thereto, and of the applications which have been refused, and the reason for the refusal thereof, and a duplicate copy of such report shall also be rendered annually to the Comptroller of the State.

SEC. 8. The said Trustees are further authorized to receive, by donations or devise, moneys and land, devoted by the giver to the purposes of clerical support, parsonage aid in particular Parishes, and Parochial and Theological Schools and Missions, within the said Diocese, and they shall hold and apply the same in strict accordance with the condition attached in any such donation or devise, if not incompatible with the laws of this State; and in cases where the Bishop of the Diocese has been heretofore, or shall be hereafter made a testamentary Trustee for any of the purposes contem-

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plated by this act, he shall have the right to surrender the said trust to the Trustees of this Fund at will, and in case of his not doing so before his death, the said testamentary trust shall inure on his death to the Trustees of this Fund, subject to all the conditions prescribed by the donor, but the annual income accruing from the property said Trustees are allowed to hold by virtue of this section, and of section four, shall not exceed thirty thousand dollars in the aggregate.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect immediately.

**(3.) An Act Enabling Parishes to Transfer Personal and Real Estate to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.**

CHAPTER 508—An Act to enable incorporated Parishes of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York to make certain transfers of their real and personal estate. Passed June 7, 1875.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Any incorporated religious Society or Parish of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York shall have power to convey or transfer all or any portion of the real or personal estate of such Society or Parish to the corporation known as "Trustees of the Parochial Fund," in the said Diocese, incorporated by the act entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," passed April twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, provided that such conveyance or transfer shall be first approved by a resolution of the Wardens and Vestry of such Society or Parish, duly entered in their minutes; and provided, further, that any property so conveyed or transferred shall be held by the said Trustees of the Parochial Fund solely for the use and benefit of the Society or Parish making the conveyance or transfer, in the discretion of the said Trustees; and provided further, that the whole income of property to be acquired by the said Trustees within the purview of this act shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

**(4.) An Act Providing for the Division and Management of the Episcopate and Parochial Funds.**

CHAPTER 429—An act to provide for the corporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York. Passed April 28, 1868.

It having been represented to the Legislature, that the Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, called the Diocese of Western New York, is about to be divided territorially into two Dioceses, and that a Diocese of said Church is about to be established in the easterly part of said existing Diocese; and that certain funds amounting to about the sum of fifty-one thousand dollars, are now held by a corporation entitled "The Trustees of the management and care of the Funds for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York," which corporation was created by an Act of the Legislature, passed in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, being chapter



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one hundred and thirty-four of the acts of that year; and that certain other Funds amounting to over eighteen thousand dollars, are now held by a corporation entitled "The Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," which last mentioned corporation was created by an Act of the Legislature, passed in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-three, being chapter fifty-nine of the acts of that year; and it having been further represented to the Legislature that the Annual Convention of the said Church, for the said Diocese of Western New York, at its last annual meeting, held in the month of August last, did determine that such division of said Diocese was expedient to be made, and that in the event of such division, the said funds hereinbefore mentioned should be equally divided between the two Diocese, which should be formed in consequence of such division; and it being further represented that by the resolves of such Church, the said division would be consummated during the present year, and that it would be necessary in order to the preservation of the portion of said Funds which should then belong to the new Diocese, to be formed out of the easterly part of said existing Diocese, that some corporate bodies having legal continuity and succession should exist to receive and manage said funds; therefore,

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** Whenever such division of the Diocese of Western New York as is hereinbefore mentioned shall take place, and be consummated, it shall be lawful for the Convention of said new Diocese to be formed out of the eastern part of the existing Diocese, to appoint five Trustees to be denominated the Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the said new Diocese, by the name which shall be given to such new Diocese; and such Trustees shall thereupon be a body corporated by that name, and shall have perpetual succession, and be capable of taking and holding the portion of the aforesaid Fund for the support of the Episcopate, which shall belong to such new Diocese, and of taking and holding by gift, grant and devise, and of purchasing, holding and conveying any estate, real or personal, necessary for the purpose of said corporation, provided the yearly value or income thereof shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars; that the object of the said corporation shall be the management and care of the said Fund which shall belong to the said new Diocese, together with that which may be hereafter acquired, and any accumulation arising from the investment thereof, for the support of the office of Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the said new Diocese, and the appropriation of the income of said Fund to that purpose, according to the directions to be from time to time given by the Convention of said Church in said new Diocese.

**SEC. 2.** All the portions of the act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York," passed April twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and forty-one, are hereby made applicable to the corporation provided for in the first section of this Act, except that where the Diocese of Western New York, or the Convention of that Diocese is mentioned or referred to, the said new Diocese and the Convention thereof shall be deemed to be intended and shall be substituted.

**SEC. 3.** It shall be lawful for the Convention of such new Diocese to appoint six Trustees, to be denominated Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of the said new Diocese, by the name which shall be given to it; and such Trustees shall be a body corporate by that name and shall have perpetual succession, and shall be capable of taking and hold-



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ing that portion of the Fund now possessed by the corporation created by the Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Western New York," passed March twenty-six, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, which shall belong to such new Diocese, and all such other moneys as shall be contributed thereto, or which shall be accumulated from the income thereof; and that all the provisions of the said last mentioned Act following the Second Section thereof, shall apply to the corporation provided for in this Section, except that where the Diocese of Western New York, or the Convention of that Diocese is mentioned, the said new Diocese and the Convention thereof shall be deemed to be intended and shall be substituted.

SEC. 4. The two existing corporations in this Act mentioned, are hereby authorized to pay over to the corporation herein provided for, the portions of said Funds which, according to the said resolution of the Diocese of Western New York, shall belong to said new Diocese; and nothing in this Act contained shall be construed further to affect or in any wise impair the said existing corporations.

SEC. 5. This Act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
Office of the Secretary of State, } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the city of Albany, this twenty-fourth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

HOMER A. NELSON, *Secretary of State.*

## (5.) Acts Amending and Enlarging the Powers of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

CHAPTER 106.—An Act supplementary to Chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled "An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," and supplementary to Chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York." Passed April 4, 1867.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. The incorporation known as the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York, incorporated under and by virtue of chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," shall have power to take and receive, by gift, grant, devise or bequest, any property, real or personal, and hold the same; first, in trust for the use and benefit of any congregation or parish which may be incorporated and in union with the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York; or, second, in trust for the assistance or support of any such mission or missionaries in said Diocese as may be approved of by the Bishop; the money or other property so used for missionary purposes to be expended under the general direction of the Bishop thereof, or the Bishop in council with the Missionary Board of said Church in said Diocese, or, in case of a vacancy in the bishopric, or an extended absence of the Bishop, then, under the general direction of the Standing Committee in said Diocese; or third, in trust to assist weak and feeble

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parishes in said Diocese to support their ministers or Sunday Schools, or, to build or repair their church edifices or parsonages; or, fourth, in trust for the assistance or support of any parochial, divinity, or theological school, or any scholarship in any such school in said Diocese which may be approved by the Bishop; or, fifth; to institute scholarships in St. John's Military School for Boys, which is an incorporated Church School within said Diocese; or otherwise to aid in the support of said School or any successor thereof; sixth, for the general use and purpose of the Church in said Diocese in cases when no special or particular use or purpose of the gift is attached thereto; provided always, that the Trustees shall hold and invest or apply each fund or the interest or income thereof in strict accordance with the terms of the trust or condition attached to it by the gift, grant, devise or bequest producing such fund, so that in no case shall the money or property given, granted, devised or bequeathed for one purpose or object, be applied or used for another; and provided, further, that the net annual income of any separate fund shall not exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

STATE OF NEW YORK,                    )  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

FREDERICK COOK,  
*Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 308.—An Act to amend chapter one hundred and six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act supplementary to chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled 'An act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,' and supplementary to chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,'" Approved by the Governor May 16, 1888. Passed, three-fifths being present.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An Act supplementary to chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled 'An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,' and supplementary to chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,'" is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SEC. 1. The corporation known as the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York, incorporated under and by virtue of chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," shall have power to take and receive, by gift, grant, devise or bequest, any property, real or personal, and hold the same: First, in trust for the use and benefit of any congregation or parish which may be incorporated and in union with the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church

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in the Diocese of Central New York; or, second, in trust for the assistance or support of any such mission or missionaries in said Diocese as may be approved by the Bishop; the money or other property so used for missionary purposes to be expended under the general direction of the Bishop thereof, or the Bishop in council with the Missionary Board of such Church in said Diocese or in case of a vacancy in the Bishopric, or an extended absence of the Bishop, then under the general direction of the Standing Committee in said Diocese; or, third, in trust to assist weak and feeble parishes in said Diocese to support their ministers or Sunday Schools, or to build or repair their church edifices or parsonages; or fourth, in trust for the building, use, maintenance or support of a hospital or infirmary in said Diocese, such hospital or infirmary to be managed and conducted by persons designated and appointed from time to time by the Trustees of the aforesaid corporation; or for the assistance or support of any parochial, divinity or theological school or any scholarship in any such school in said Diocese, which may be approved by the Bishop; or fifth, to institute scholarships in St. John's Military School for boys, which is an incorporated Church School within said Diocese, or otherwise to aid in the support of said school or any successor thereof; or sixth, for the general use and purposes of the Church in said Diocese in cases where no special or particular use or purpose of the gift is attached thereto: provided, always, that the Trustees shall hold and invest or apply each fund or the interest or income thereof, in strict accordance with the terms of the trust or condition attached to it by the gift, grant, devise or bequest producing such fund, so that in no case shall the money or property given, granted, devised or bequeathed for one purpose or object, be applied or used for another; and provided further, that the net annual income of any separate fund shall not exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

FREDERICK COOK,  
Secretary of State.

## (6.) By-Laws of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund

### I.

#### *Officers and Elections.*

The officers of the Board of Trustees shall be a President, who shall be Bishop of the Diocese, a member of the Board *ex-officio*; and a Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Trustees, on the first Tuesday of June of each year, or if said annual meeting shall fail to be held, then at the first special meeting thereafter. The Secretary and Treasurer shall hold their offices for one year, and until their respective successors in office are appointed. They shall be chosen by ballot, unless such ballot is dispensed with by an unanimous vote of the members present. The Secretary and Treasurer may be the same person. Vacancies in the offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be filled at any meeting of the Board of Trustees.

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II.

*Quorum.*

Four members shall constitute a quorum, for the transaction of business, but not less than two members may adjourn a meeting with a view to a quorum.

III.

*Presiding Officers.*

The Bishop or Acting Bishop of the Diocese shall preside at all meetings of the Board. In his absence one of the Trustees present, chosen for the purpose, shall preside. In addition to his powers as Presiding Officer, the President may, whenever he may deem it expedient, call Special Meetings of the Trustees, and may himself or shall direct the Secretary to give notice of the time and place thereof.

IV.

*The Secretary.*

The duty of the Secretary shall be to conduct the correspondence of the Board; to prepare and transmit all letters in connection with its business; to keep in proper books copies of all letters written by himself or by direction of the Board, and also copies of all letters or communications on the business of the Board, which may be brought before it; to keep the minutes of the Board and its proceedings; to have charge of all its documents; to execute all papers, conveyances and instruments in writing required to be executed by the Corporation, under seal and acknowledged when authorized by the Board; to give due notice of the time and place of meetings of the Board, stated or special, when directed by the President; in case of the death or inability of the President, to call special meetings of the Board on the written requisition of any two members.

V.

*The Treasurer.*

The Treasurer shall collect, receive and keep the Funds and Securities of the Board of Trustees. He shall open and keep regular accounts of such funds and securities, showing the amount, nature, investment and deposit of the same, having special reference to the distribution made under Section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York." passed March 26, 1863, the provisions of which Act are made applicable to this corporation, so far as is provided by the Act passed by the Legislature of this State on the 28th day of April, 1868, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York;" and also to the donations and devises, appropriations and testamentary trusts under Section 8 of the aforesaid Act, passed March 26, 1863, or of any other Act of the Legislature now, or that hereafter may be applicable thereto, showing in distinct separate accounts the funds, moneys or lands devoted to the purpose respectively mentioned therein. By and with the advice and consent of the Trustees, or a majority of the Trustees resident at Syracuse, he shall deposit, invest and manage the funds and moneys belonging to the Board, and may let or demise any real estate given or devoted for the purpose of the Act for a period not exceeding one year, and shall make and present to the board a written statement of the disposition or investment of all Funds or property of the Board at every annual meeting. He shall, in conjunction with the President, prepare and submit to the Board the Annual Report to the Diocesan Convention, required by Section 7 of the aforesaid Act of the Legislature, passed March 26, 1863.

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## VI.

*Special Meetings.*

Special meetings may be called by the President or Secretary, as before provided, upon the written requisition of any two Trustees.

## VII.

*Alteration of By-Laws.*

The By-Laws may be altered at any meeting by the unanimous vote of all the Trustees, or the same may be altered by a majority of all the Trustees, upon notice given at the next preceding meeting of the intended alteration.

*Permanent Missionary Fund.*

The moneys and securities received by this Board from the Diocese of Western New York, on the occasion of its division, amounting to \$11,384.09, shall together with any additions since made, or hereafter to be made thereto, continue to be denominated in the accounts and the reports of the Treasurer, "The Permanent Missionary Fund," as the same was so denominated in the accounts and reports of the Treasurer of the said Diocese of Western New York before the division. That the Treasurer pay the interest of said fund from time to time, as the same may accrue, to the Treasurer of this Diocese for the sole use and benefit of Missions therein. That the Treasurer keep a separate account of each of the other funds held by this Board, and pay the interest of each according to the terms of the trust under which it is held.

(7.) *Incorporation of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.*

The undersigned, being persons of full age, and citizens of the United States, and citizens of and residents within the State of New York, desiring to associate themselves together and form a Society for Benevolent, Charitable and Mission purposes, do make and acknowledge this certificate in writing:

The name or title by which this society shall be known in law is "The Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York."

The particular business and objects of this Society shall be the distribution of Bibles and Prayer Books, and shall be carried on in the City of Utica, Oneida County and State of New York.

The number of Trustees of this Society shall be six, of whom the Bishop of the Diocese of Central New York shall be one, and five Laymen to be elected annually by the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York.

The names of the Trustees of this Society who shall manage its affairs for the first year of its existence, shall be the Right Reverend F. D. Huntington, William B. Jackson, Levi Blakeslee, Thomas W. Seward, Horace O. Moss and John J. Peck.

In witness whereof, we have hereto set our hands and seals this 26th day of May, A. D. 1874.

F. D. HUNTINGTON,  
WM. B. JACKSON,  
LEVI BLAKESLEE,  
T. W. SEWARD,  
J. J. PECK,  
H. O. MOSS.

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I hereby approve of and consent to the filing of the within proposed organization.

LEROY MORGAN,

*Justice Supreme Court, 5th Judicial District of New York.*

June 29, 1874.

ONEIDA COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, SS.

I hereby certify that the original copy of the foregoing instrument, signed and sealed, and the execution thereof duly acknowledged by the parties signing and sealing the same before officers authorized to take such acknowledgment, is on file in this office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto affixed the seal of said County, and subscribed my name this 29th day of August, 1874.

[L. S.]

JAMES B. PADDON, *Clerk.*

**(8.) By-Laws of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.**

I.

*Officers.*

The Officers of the "Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York," shall be a President, who shall be the Bishop of the Diocese; a Secretary and Treasurer; and an Executive Committee of three,—all members of the Board of Trustees.

II.

*Duties of Officers.*

The duties of the Officers shall be such as usually pertain to officers so named. The Executive Committee, of which the Bishop shall be Chairman, shall from time to time receive applications for Bibles and Prayer Books from within the Diocese, consider the same, and act upon them; in no case, however, granting any gifts or incurring any expense which shall reduce the principal, or original amount of the endowment, without the consent of the Board.

III.

*The Treasurer and the Executive Committee.*

The Treasurer and the Executive Committee shall invest or deposit the endowment in such a manner as they shall deem expedient, with full securities, and shall be prepared to exhibit their accounts annually to the Examining Committee of the Diocese. They shall also provide a Depository of the books in the city of Utica.

IV.

*The Secretary.*

The Secretary shall prepare and present to each Annual Convention of the Diocese a report of the proceedings of the Board.

V.

*Meetings.*

There shall be a yearly meeting of the Board, notified by the Secretary, on the Second Thursday in June, when the officers may be elected. Special Meetings may be called at any time by the Bishop.



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## VI.

*Vacancies.*

A vacancy occurring in the Board may be filled by vote of the Board at any meeting.

(9.) *Incorporation of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund.*

We, George J. Gardner, of Syracuse, N. Y.; J. Dean Hawley, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Richard F. H. Ledyard, of Cazenovia, N. Y.; William S. Andrews, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Edward N. Wescott, of Syracuse, N. Y., being of full age, citizens of the United States and citizens and residents of the State of New York, associate ourselves together and form a corporation for benevolent and charitable purposes under the provisions of Chapter 319 of the laws of 1848, and the acts amendatory thereof, and do hereby certify:

1. The name of such corporation shall be the Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York.

2. Its business and its objects shall be to provide for and assist pecuniarily, so far as practicable, disabled clergy and the widows and orphans of deceased clergymen of the Diocese of Central New York. The locality of such business and the office where it shall be carried on, shall be in Syracuse, in the county of Onondaga and State of New York.

3. The number of the Trustees of said Corporation shall be five, and their names for the first year are as follows: George J. Gardner, of Syracuse, N. Y.; J. Dean Hawley, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Richard F. H. Ledyard, of Cazenovia, N. Y.; William S. Andrews, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Edward N. Wescott, of Syracuse, N. Y.

Witness our hand and seals this 20th day of October, 1888.

GEORGE J. GARDNER,  
J. DEAN HAWLEY,  
RICHARD F. H. LEDYARD,  
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,  
EDWARD N. WESCOTT,

[L. S.]  
[L. S.]  
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STATE OF NEW YORK, )  
County of Onondaga, ) ss.

On this 20th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, before me, the subscriber, personally appeared George J. Gardner, William S. Andrews, J. Dean Hawley and Edward N. Wescott, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate of incorporation, and who severally duly acknowledged that they executed the same.

W. J. HART.

*Notary Public for Onondaga County.*

STATE OF NEW YORK, )  
County of Madison, ) ss.

On this 19th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, before me, the subscriber, personally appeared Richard F. H. Ledyard, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing certificate of incorporation, and who duly acknowledged that he executed the same.

FRANK J. PULFORD,

*Notary Public for Madison County.*

I hereby consent to the filing of the foregoing certificate of incorporation and approve the same.

IRVING G. VANN,  
*Justice Supreme Court.*

*Form of Bequest. Assessments and Apportionments. Clerical Changes.*

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

It is hereby certified, That the certificate of incorporation of Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York, with acknowledgment thereto annexed, was filed and recorded in this office on the 31st day of October, 1888.

Witness my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this 31st day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.  
FREDERICK COOK,  
Secretary of State.

Also filed in Clerk's office of Onondaga County.

(10.) Form of Bequest.

*I give, devise and bequeath unto "The Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York," or unto ("The Trustees for the Management and Care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Central New York") or unto ("The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York") the sum of..... Dollars.*

Assessments and Apportionments.

By the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions from July 1, 1893, to July 1, 1894.

First District,	Assessed	\$1,200.	Apportioned	\$1,900.
Second District,	"	2,850.	"	2,150.
Third District,	"	2,250.	"	1,300.
Fourth District,	"	2,600.	"	1,700.
Fifth District,	"	1,400.	"	1,600.
Sixth District,	"	1,250.	"	2,150.

Apportionment for the Mission to Deaf Mutes, the Associate Mission Syracuse, and St. Joseph's, Rome, \$1,200.

Clerical Changes Since the Convention.

- The Rev. H. M. DENSLOW resigned Trinity Church, Seneca Falls.
- The Rev. WILLIAM B. CLARKE from Cortland to Seneca Falls.
- The Rev. A. W. EBERSOLE to Trinity Church, Fayetteville.
- The Rev. HERBERT M. CLARKE to Zion Church, Fulton.
- The Rev. DAVID L. FERRIS to Horseheads and Big Flats.



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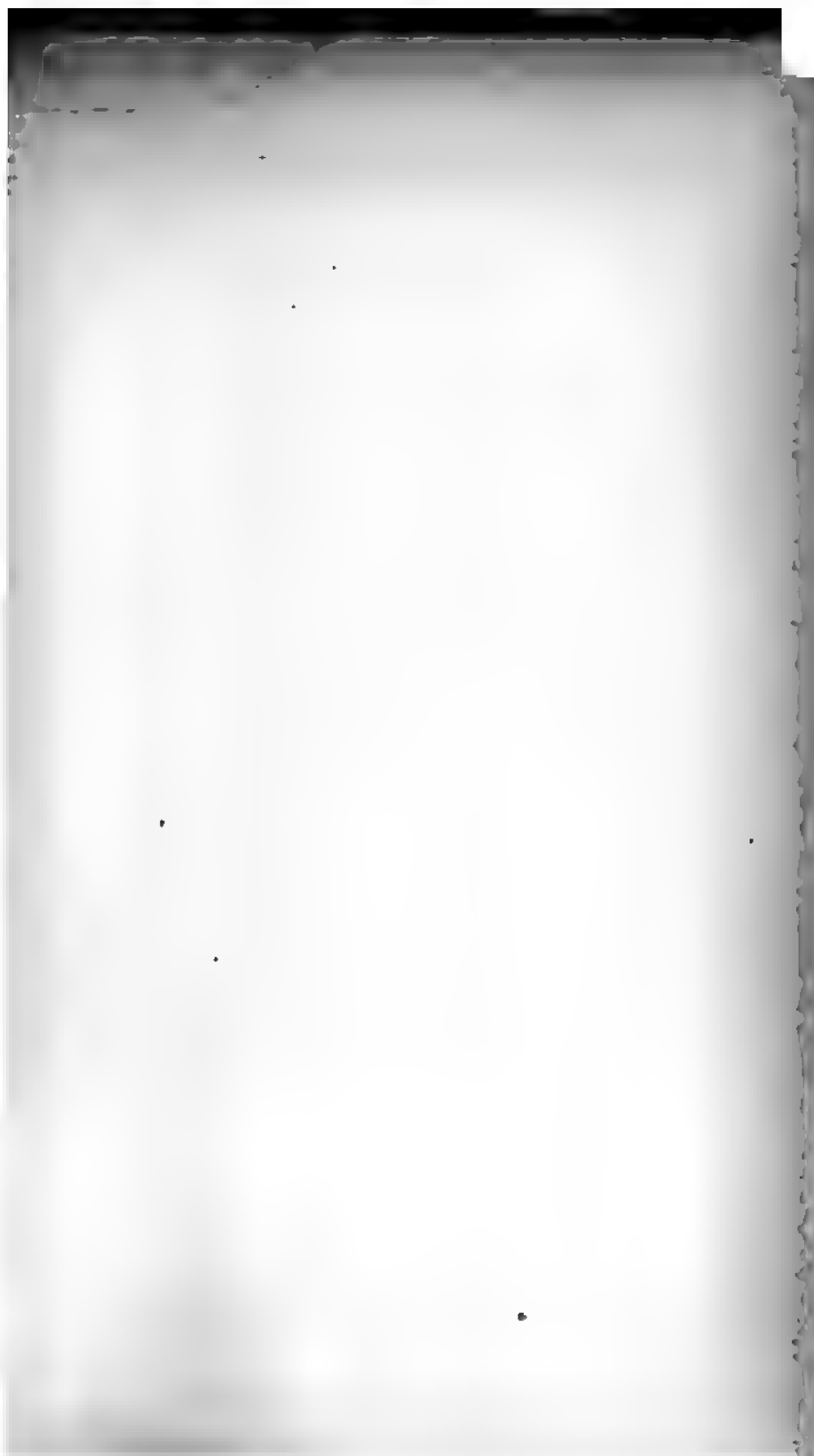
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## Canonical Ordinances.



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FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS.—*On a Sunday in Epiphany.*

FOR THE INCREASE OF THE MINISTRY.—*On the Feast or Offering of the Holy Spirit.*

FOR THE BIBLE AND PRAYER BOOK SOCIETY.—*On the Sunday.*

FOR DOMESTIC MISSIONS.—*On the Third Sunday in Lent.—An offering for the destitute and Sufferers in the Place of the Poor.*

FOR THE BISHOP'S RELIEF FUND.—*At the Epiphany Vestry.*

FOR THE DECEASED.—*On a BAPTISM FEAST.—On the Feasts of Ascension, Pentecost, and September.*

FOR THE MENDICANT.—*On the Feast of the Holy Trinity.*

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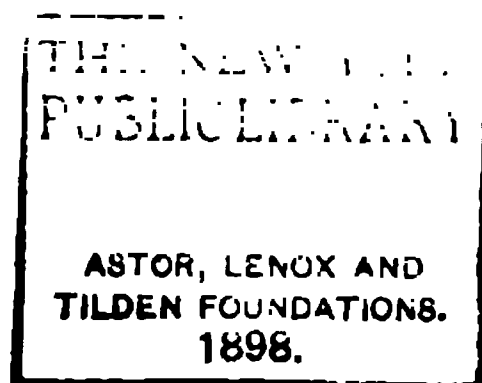
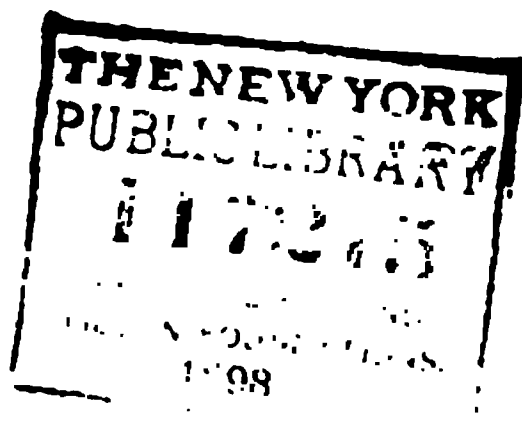
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*IV. On the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund.*

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# List of the Clergy.

In the order of Present Canonical Residence.

The year attached to the name indicates the beginning of former residence in the Diocese.

## BISHOP.

**THE RIGHT REV. FREDERIC DAN HUNTINGTON, S.T.D., LL.D., L.H.D.,**

Consecrated April 8th, 1860.

## PRESBYTERS.

- The Rev. William D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Received December 1, 1844.**
- The Rev. William Thomas Gibson, D. D., LL. D., Ordained Dec. 18, 1853.**
- The Rev. William Roberts, Ordained Nov. 21, 1858.**
- The Rev. Alfred Bailey Goodrich, D. D., Received August 17, 1859.**
- The Rev. Nathan F. Whiting, D. D., Received August 12, 1862.**
- The Rev. William Martin Beauchamp, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 21, 1862.**
- The Rev. Almon Gregory, (1847) Received June 8, 1863.**
- The Rev. John Brainard, D. D., Received Dec. 14, 1863.**
- The Rev. Joshua Law Burrows, Ph. D., (1858) Received 1864.**
- The Rev. George Gustavus Perrine, Ordained July 2, 1865.**
- The Rev. Henry Roswell Lockwood, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 22, 1867.**
- The Rev. James Holwell Kidder, Received Sept. 26, 1868.**
- The Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., Received Aug. 9, 1869.**
- The Rev. Alexander H. Rogers, (1861) Received Dec. 2, 1870.**
- The Rev. Thomas L. Randolph, Received Dec. 24, 1870.**
- The Rev. Robert Paul, Received Sept. 25, 1871.**
- The Rev. Charles Babcock, Received Dec. 20, 1872.**
- The Rev. Joel Davis, Received Jan. 20, 1873.**
- The Rev. Robert George Quennell, Received Nov. 1, 1874.**
- The Rev. Frederick P. Winne, Ordained Sept. 23, 1875.**
- The Rev. James A. Robinson, (1852) Received Oct. 14, 1875.**
- The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., (1857) Received Nov. 4, 1875.**
- The Rev. William DeLancey Wilson, Ordained Jan. 25, 1876.**
- The Rev. Charles Seymour, Received 1876.**
- The Rev. Frederick Beverly Cossitt, Ordained June 6, 1876.**
- The Rev. William H. Casey, Ordained June 6, 1876.**
- The Rev. Bernard Schulte, S. T. D., Received June, 1876.**
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- The Rev. Charles P. Jennings, S. T. D., Received May, 1877.**
- The Rev. John H. Egar, D. D., Received Feb. 18, 1881.**
- The Rev. Charles W. MacNish, Ordained May 31, 1881.**
- The Rev. Samuel Wesley Strowger, Ordained May 31, 1881.**
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- The Rev. John Everett Johnson, Received Jan. 24, 1882.**
- The Rev. John Woodworth Craig, Received Feb. 27, 1882.**
- The Rev. William Ernest Allen, Received June 16, 1882.**
- The Rev. William B. Coleman, Jr., Received June 27, 1882.**
- The Rev. Robert Murray Duff, S. T. D., (1864) Received Aug. 24, 1882.**

*List of Clergy in the order of Canonical Residence.*

- The Rev. Oliver Owen, Received Jan. 13, 1883.  
 The Rev. Moses Coit Tyler, LL. D., Ordained April 29, 1883.  
 The Rev. Thomas Lewis Banister, Received May 14, 1883.  
 The Rev. William Cooke, Ordained May 18, 1883.  
 The Rev. George H. Kirkland, Received Dec. 31, 1883.  
 The Rev. Gustav E. Purucker, Received March 3, 1884.  
 The Rev. Charles Tyler Olmsted, S. T. D., Received June 1, 1884.  
 The Rev. Ezekiel Wilson Mundy, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
 The Rev. Frank Nash Westcott, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
 The Rev. George Bowen, Jr., Ordained June 25, 1884.  
 The Rev. James Kellogg Parker, Ordained Dec. 18, 1884.  
 The Rev. Stephen Henry Synnott, Received April 10, 1885.  
 The Rev. Henry V. Gardner, Received Jan. 4, 1886.  
 The Rev. John Arthur, Ordained April 2, 1886.  
 The Rev. James Ferdinand Taunt, (1878) Received March 29, 1887.  
 The Rev. George L. Neide, Received May 10, 1887.  
 The Rev. William Bours-Clarke, Ordained May 20, 1887.  
 The Rev. John Scott, Received Oct. 4, 1887.  
 The Rev. John T. Rose, Received Jan. 18, 1888.  
 The Rev. Edwin W. Colloque, Received May 4, 1888.  
 The Rev. William Higgs, Ordained May 27, 1888.  
 The Rev. William Edgar Wright, Received Oct. 2, 1888.  
 The Rev. Samuel Hanson Coxe, S. T. D. (1854) Received April 23, 1889.  
 The Rev. Phillip Nelson Meade, Received May 13, 1889.  
 The Rev. Henry Dows Stebbins, Ordained May 29, 1889.  
 The Rev. Herbert Guibord Coddington, Ordained Dec. 11, 1889.  
 The Rev. James Jones Burd, Received Dec. 31, 1889.  
 The Rev. Arthur Cleveland Clarke, Ordained June 4, 1890.  
 The Rev. James B. Murray, D. D., Received Oct. 6, 1890.  
 The Rev. Charles H. Tindell, (1881) Received Jan. 3, 1891.  
 The Rev. Samuel D. Day, Received Jan. 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. Antoine G. Singsen, Received April 25, 1891.  
 The Rev. Anson J. Brockway, Received April 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles D. Atwell, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
 The Rev. William Gordon Bentley, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
 The Rev. Edwin Cheney-Alcorn, Received June 5, 1891.  
 The Rev. Joseph Morison Clarke, D. D., (1852) Received Nov. 27, 1891.  
 The Rev. Charles Donohue, Ordained Dec. 18, 1891.  
 The Rev. John Frederick Esch, (1868) Received Jan. 19, 1892.  
 The Rev. Robert Hudson, Ph. D., Received April 10, 1892.  
 The Rev. Walter E. Bentley, Ordained Sept. 21, 1892.  
 The Rev. Frank P. Harrington, Received Dec. 26, 1892.  
 The Rev. William T. Tierkel, Received Dec. 26, 1892.  
 The Rev. William Henry Bown, Received March 30, 1893.  
 The Rev. Frank P. Tompkins, Ordained May 18, 1893.  
 The Rev. Orin A. Sands, Ordained May 18, 1893.  
 The Rev. C. N. Clement Brown, Received May, 1892.  
 The Rev. William Price James, Received June 14, 1893.

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*List of Clergy in the order of Canonical Residence.*

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Good Eaton Herrick, D. D., Received June 16, 1893.  
 Ram W. Ebersole, (1880) Received June 19, 1893.  
 Robert M. Clarke, Ph. D., Received Aug. 19, 1893.  
 Sanders Reed, Received September 25, 1893.  
 Henry LaRoche, Received Nov. 6, 1893.  
 Jos Watkins. Received Nov. 15, 1893.  
 George E. Jenner, Received D. c. 4, 1893.  
 Henry Kenyon, Ordained Dec. 21, 1893.  
 Andrew Harper, Jr., Received March 10, 1894.

DEACONS.

Henry Riley Fuller, Ordained Jan. 8, 1888.  
 Daniel Daly, Ordained March 9, 1890.  
 Albert Cusick, Ordained Oct. 1, 1891.  
 Charles Orvis Dantzer, Ordained March 10, 1892.  
 George N. Smith, Ordained Sept. 23, 1892.  
 George Henry Ottaway, Ordained Sept. 23, 1892.  
 Charles Tefft Raynor, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 Arthur Lester Byron-Curtiss, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 John Smiley, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 Eph Hyppkin Brown, Ordained March 9, 1893.  
 Ward Burdick Doolittle, Ordained March 9, 1893.  
 David L. Ferris, Ordained June 11, 1893.  
 Charles Winfred Douglas, Ordained Oct. 15, 1893.  
 Parker Fenno, Ordained Oct. 15, 1893.  
 George Wharton McMullin, Ordained Oct. 15, 1893.  
 Charles E. S. Rasay, Ordained Oct. 15, 1893.  
 George Fletcher Potter, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 David Benton Matthews, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 Christopher John Lambert, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 Albert Edward Bentley, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 William Harman Van Allen, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 George Maxwell, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 Orr Miller Wheeden, Ordained June 17, 1894.

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**Candidates for Holy Orders.**

Wesley Bates,	Mathew Irving Hunt,
Winslow Clarke,	Charles H. McKnight,
Henry Fox,	Frederick Brymer Keable,
My Burdette Hamblin,	Gilbert William Laidlaw,
Elijah Hubbard,	Francis William Maccaud,

Dwight A. Parce.

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**Postulants.**

Vestlake Bowman,	Ernest Frederick George,
Adelbert Davison,	John P. Kirtland, Jr.,
Jacob Christler,	Guy H. Purdy,
William Earl Stillwell,	



## Alphabetical List of the Clergy.

**THE RIGHT REV. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S.T.D., LL.D., L.H.D.,**  
**BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE, SYRACUSE.**

- Allen, William E., Rector of Christ Church, Sherburne.  
Alcorn, Edwin C., in charge of Grace Mission, Earlville. P. O. Utica.  
Arthur, John, Rector of St. John's Church, Oneida.  
Atwell, Charles D., in charge of Emmanuel Mission, Elmira, (P. O.) and Christ Church, Wellsburgh.  
Babcock, Charles, Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.  
Babcock, Theodore, D. D., Rector of Christ Church, Manlius, (P. O.) and St. Mark's Church, Jamesville.  
Banister, T. Lewis, Rector of St. Stephen's Church, New Hartford.  
Beauchamp, William M., S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Baldwinsville.  
Bentley, Albert E., Minister of Christ Church, Jordan.  
Bentley, Walter E., Rector of Christ Church, Clayton.  
Bentley, William G., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Constableville, (P. O.) and St. Mark's Church, Port Leyden.  
Bowen, George, Jr., Waverly.  
Bown, William H., Rector of Grace Church, Watertown.  
Brainard, John, D. D., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Auburn.  
Brockway, Anson J., Rector of Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor.  
Brown, C. N. Clement, Rector of St. John's Church, Auburn.  
Brown, Joseph H., Minister of St. Paul's Church, Antwerp.  
Burd, James J., Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, Utica.  
Burrows, Joshua L., Ph. D., Ashtabula, Ohio.  
Byron-Curtiss, Arthur L., Minister of St. Joseph's Church, Rome.  
Casey, William H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Aurora, (P. O.) Grace Church, Union Springs, and St. Luke's Church, Cayuga.  
Clarke, Joseph M., D. D., Bishop's Chaplain, Syracuse.  
Clarke, William B., Rector of Trinity Church, Seneca Falls.  
Clarke, Arthur Cleveland, Chaplain of St. John's School, Manlius.  
Clarke, Herbert M., Ph. D., Rector of Zion Church, Fulton.  
Coddington, Herbert G., Rector of Grace Church, Syracuse.  
Coleman, William B., Jr., Rector of St. George's Church, Utica.  
Colloque, Edwin W., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Oxford.  
Cooke, William, Assistant Minister of Grace Church, Utica.  
Cossitt, Frederick B., Waterville.  
Coxe, S. Hanson, S. T. D., Utica.  
Craig, John W., Englewood, N. J.  
Cusick, Albert, Missionary, Onondaga Reservation.  
Day, Samuel D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.

*Alphabetical List of the Clergy.*

- 7, Daniel, Missionary at Lacona, Redfield and Sandbank. P. o. Lorraine.  
 tzer, Charles O., Missionary to Deaf Mutes. (P. o.) Syracuse.  
 is Joel, Schenectady, N. Y.  
 little, Edward B., Minister of St. John's Church, Clayville, and Missionary  
 at Bridgewater (P. o.) and Brookfield.  
 l, Robert M., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo.  
 rsole, Abram W., Rector of Trinity Church, Fayetteville.  
 r, John H., D. D., Rector of Zion Church, Rome.  
 1, John F., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Smithboro.  
 no, Parker, Minister of Calvary Church, Homer.  
 is, David L., Minister of St. John's Church, Big Flats, and St.  
 Matthew's Church, Horseheads, P. o.  
 er, Henry R., Assistant Minister of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.  
 iner, Henry V., East Aurora, N. Y.  
 ion, William T., D. D., LL. D., Chaplain of the N. Y. S. Hospital, Utica.  
 drich, Alfred B., D. D., Rector of Calvary Church, Utica.  
 gory, Almon, Syracuse.  
 ding John R., Rector of Trinity Church, Utica.  
 per, Andrew, Jr., Rector of St. John's Church, Whitesboro.  
 rington, Frank P., Rector of St. Thomas' Church, Hamilton.  
 rick, Osgood E., D. D., Assistant Minister of Trinity Church, Watertown.  
 gs, William, Missionary at McDonough.  
 lson, Robert, Ph. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Syracuse.  
 es, W. Price, Rector of Trinity Church, Boonville.  
 ner, A. George E., Rector of the Church of the Evangelists, Oswego.  
 ings, Charles P., S. T. D., Shelbyville, Indiana.  
 ison, J. Everett, in charge of Calvary Church, Syracuse, and Emmanuel  
 Mission, East Syracuse.  
 ler, James H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Owego.  
 land, George H., Rector of St. Andrew's Church, New Berlin.  
 bert, Christopher J., Missionary at Jamesville.  
 on, Earl H., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Adams.  
 >che, J. H., Rector of Trinity Church, Binghamton.  
 Wood, Henry R., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.  
 hews, David B., Missionary at East Syracuse.  
 well, George, Missionary at North Watertown, Brownville, and Wood's  
 Falls. P. o. Watertown.  
 ight, George H., D. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Elmira.  
 ullin, George W., Missionary at Van Etten.  
 Fish, Charles W., Missionary at Ovid (P. o.) Hayt's Corners and Willard.  
 e, Philip N., Rector of Christ Church, Oswego.  
 . John, M. D., Merrickville, Ontario, Canada.  
 ly, Ezekiel W., Syracuse.  
 ay, James B., D. D., Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Moravia.  
 , George L., Rector of St. James' Church, Cleveland.  
 ed, Charles T., S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Utica.

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- Owen, Oliver, Rector of St. James' Church, Clinton.
- Ottaway, George H., Missionary at Canastota (p. o.) and Chittenango.
- Parker, James K., Rector of Grace Church, Waterville.
- Paul, Robert, Rector of St. James' Church, Pulaski.
- Perrine, George G., Rector of Christ Church, Guilford.
- Purucker, Gustav E., Geneva, Switzerland.
- Potter, George F., serving in the Associate Mission, Syracuse.
- Quennell, Robert G., Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton.
- Randolph, Thomas L., Alameda, California.
- Raynor, Charles T., Minister of Grace Church, Copenhagen.
- Rasay, Charles E. S., Minister of Grace Church, Carthage.
- Reed, J., Sanders, Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown.
- Robinson, James A., Rector of Grace Church, Whitney's Point.  
p. o. Cortland.
- Rogers, Alexander H., Rector of Zion Church, Greene.
- Roberts, William, in England.
- Rose, John T., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Cazenovia.
- Sands, Orin A., Dansville, N. Y.
- Schulte, Bernard, S. T. D., Rector of St. Luke's Memorial Church, Utica.
- Scott, John, in charge of the Indian Mission, Onondaga Reservation.
- Seymour, Charles, Nyack, N. Y.
- Singsen, Antoine G., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge.
- Smiley, John, Minister of St. James' Church, Theresa, (p. o.) and St. Peter's  
Church, Redwood.
- Smith, George N., officiating in St. Andrew's Mission, Utica.
- Stebbins, Henry D., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Norwich.
- Strowger, Samuel W., Rector of St. John's Church, Cape Vincent.
- Synnott, Stephen H., Rector of St. John's Church, Ithaca.
- Taunt, James F., New York City.
- Tompkins, Frank P., Syracuse.
- Tindell, Charles H., Rector of Trinity Church, Lowville.
- Tyler, Moses Coit, LL. D., Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.
- Tierkel, William T.
- Van Allen, William H., serving in the Associate Mission, Syracuse.
- Watkins, Amos, Rector of Grace Church, Cortland.
- Weeden, Burr M., Minister of Christ Church, Sacketts Harbor.
- Westcott, Frank N., Rector of St. James' Church, Skaneateles.
- Whipple, Benajah E., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Paris Hill.
- Whiting, Nathan F., D. D., Cape Vincent.
- Wilson, William D., D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Dean of St. Andrew's Divinity  
School, Syracuse.
- Wilson, William DeL., Rector of St. Mark's Church, Syracuse.
- Winne, Frederick P., Assistant Minister of Trinity Church, Watertown.
- Wright, William E., Rector of Grace Church, Elmira.

st of Parishes, Chapels and Missions.

With the Names of Ministers and Date of Organization.

ing Parishes in SMALL CAPITALS. Not admitted to Union in *italics*.

BROOME COUNTY.

CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
S.....CHRIST CHURCH..	Rev. R. G. Quennell ....	1810
.....TRINITY .....	" J. H. LaRoche. ..	May 12, 1886
.....GOOD SHEPHERD..	" S. D. Day .....	Feb. 3. 1873
Forks.....St. John's .....	" R. G. Quennell . .	Nov. 20, 1880
e.....St. Luke's .....	" A. G. Singsen.....	April 15, 1799
Point... Grace .....	" J. A. Robinson ....	Dec. 19, 1870
.....Zion .....	.....	August, 1842

CAYUGA COUNTY.

.....St. PETER's .....	Rev. J. Brainard, D. D.,	July 1, 1805
.....St. John's.....	" C. N. C. Brown ..	April 13, 1868
.....St. Paul's.....	" W. H. Casey ....	Feb. 11, 1885
.....St. Luke's .....	" " .....	July 5, 1871
.....St. Matthew's ..	" J. B. Murray, D.D.,	July 14, 1823
.....St. Paul's .....		1849
ngs.....Grace .....	" W. H. Casey .....	Feb. 9, 1867
.....St. John's .....		Feb. 26, 1866

CHEMUNG COUNTY.

... ..St. John's .....	Rev. D. L. Ferris.....	1862
.....TRINITY .....	" G.H. McKnight,D.D.	June 12, 1833
... ..GRACE . . . . .	" W. E. Wright. ....	June 20, 1864
.....Emmanuel Mis'n	" C. D. Atwell .....	
.....St. Matthew's...	" D. L. Ferris .....	
... ..St. Mark's Mis'n	" W. H. Hawken ...	1862
.....Christ Church...	" C. D. Atwell.....	1871

CHENANGO COUNTY.

.....St. Ann's .....	Rev. A. G. Singsen .....	1860
.....St. Peter's .....	" " .....	1825
.....Zion .....	" A. H. Rogers.....	1833
.....Christ Church...	" G. G. Perrine .....	Sept. 9, 1830
1.....Calvary Mission.	" W. Higgs . . . . .	
.....Grace .....	" G. G. Perrine.....	April. 1833
N. ....St. ANDREW'S...	" G. H. Kirkland....	June 22, 1814
.....EMMANUEL . . . .	" H. D. Stebbins ...	Sept. 17, 1832
.....ST. PAUL'S.....	" E. W. Colloque....	1814
.....CHRIST CHURCH..	" W. E. Allen.....	July, 1828

CORTLAND COUNTY.

.....Grace .....	Rev. A. Watkins.....	Oct. 14, 1847
. . . . .Calvary .....	" P. Fenno.....	June 6, 1831

*List of Parishes and Missions—Jefferson—Lewis—Madison—Oneida.***JEFFERSON COUNTY.**

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
Adams.....	Emmanuel.....	Rev. E. H. Kenyon.....	Feb., 1849
Alexandria Bay....	St. Lawrence....		
Antwerp.....	St. Paul's.....	" J. H. Brown .....	Jan. 19, 1869
Brownville .....	St. Paul's.....	" G. Maxwell .....	August, 1826
Cape Vincent.....	St. John's.....	" S. W. Strowger ....	1841
CARTHAGE.....	GRACE.....	" E. S. Rasay .....	1862
Champion.....	St. John's.....	" C. T. Raynor.. ....	April, 1867
Clayton .....	Christ Church...	" W. E. Bentley.....	1868
Dexter ... ..	All Saints'.....	" B. M. Wheeden ....	1839
Ellisburgh.....	Christ Church...	" A. J. Brockway....	1879
Evans Mills.....	Mission.. ..		
Erederick's Corners.	Mission. ....	" A. J. Brockway....	
Great Bend... ..	Trinity Chapel..		
LaFargeville.....	St. Paul's.....	" W. E. Bentley.....	1891
North Watertown..	Redeemer.....	" G. Maxwell.....	
PIERREPONT MANOR.	ZION.....	" A. J. Brockway... ..	Jan. 4, 1836
Redwood ... ..	St. Peter's.....	" J. Smiley... ..	August, 1850
Sackett's Harbor ..	Christ Church...	" B. M. Wheeden ....	1822
Theresa... ..	St. James' .....	" J. Smiley.....	1848
WATERTOWN .....	TRINITY .....	" J. S. Reed.....	May, 1828
" .....	GRACE.....	" W. H. Bown. ....	August, 1867
Wood's Falls .....	St. Andrew's...	" G. Maxwell.....	

**LEWIS COUNTY.**

Constableville.....	St Paul's.....	Rev. W. G. Bentley.....	1817
Copenhagen.....	Grace.....	" C. T. Raynor.....	Dec. 12, 1879
Greig.....	Mission.....	" W. G. Bentley ....	
LOWVILLE.....	TRINITY .....	" C. H. Tindell .. ..	Sept. 24, 1838
Port Leyden.....	St. Mark's.....	" W. G. Bentley.....	June 14, 1865

**MADISON COUNTY.**

Brookfield.....	St. Timothy's....	Rev. E. B. Doolittle.....	
CAZENOVIA.....	ST. PETER'S ..	" J. T. Rose.....	1845
Canastota .....	Trinity Mission..	" G. H. Ottaway.....	
Chittenango .....	St. Paul's .....	" " .....	1855
Earlville.....	Grace Mission...	" E. C. Alcorn .....	
HAMILTON.....	ST. THOMAS'...	" F. P. Harrington ..	Sept. 21, 1835
ONEIDA.....	ST. JOHN'S.....	" J. Arthur.....	May 6, 1843
Perryville... ..	St. Stephen's....		1816

**ONEIDA COUNTY.**

Augusta.....	St. Andrew's....		1866
Boonville.....	Trinity.....	Rev. W. P. James.....	1857
Bridgewater.....	Christ Church..	" E. B. Doolittle.....	Oct. 1839
Camden.....	Trinity.....		1843
Chadwicks.....	St. George's....	" T. L. Banister .....	
Clarks Mills.....	St. Mark's.....	" O. Owen.....	1863
Clayville... ..	St. John's.....	" E. B. Doolittle.....	1849
CLINTON .....	ST. JAMES'.....	" O. Owen.....	May 19, 1862
Durhamville.....	Mission.....	" J. Arthur.....	
Forestport.....	Christ Church...	" W. P. James .....	1857
Holland Patent ....	St. Paul's.....		June 21, 1821
NEW HARTFORD ...	ST. STEPHEN'S...	" T. L. Bannister ..	Sept. 1, 1834
New York Mills....	St. James'.....	" A. Harper, Jr.....	1890
Oriskany .....	St. Peter's.....		May, 1830
Oriskany Falls.....	Good Shepherd..		
Paris Hill.....	St. Paul's.....	" B. E. Whipple ....	1795
ROME.....	ZION.....	" J. H. Egar, D. D....	1827
" .....	St. Joseph's....	" A. L. B. Curtiss....	
UTICA.....	CALVARY.....	" A. B. Goodrich, D.D.	Dec. 16, 1850
" .....	GRACE.....	" C. T. Olmsted, D.D.	May 21, 1838
" .....	HOLY CROSS .....	" J. J. Burd....	April 19, 1890
" .....	ST. GEORGE'S....	" W. B. Coleman, Jr.	May 19, 1863

*List of Parishes and Missions—Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins.*

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
JITICA.....	ST. LUKE'S.....	Rev. B. Schulte, D. D....	April 14, 1878
" .....	TRINITY.....	" J. R. Harding .....	1798
" .....	St. Andrew's....	" G. N. Smith .....	
VATERVILLE.....	GRACE.....	" J. K. Parker .....	Aug. 10, 1840
Vestmoreland.....	Gethsemane.....	" O. Owen.....	1842
Whitesboro .....	St. John's.....	" A. Harper, Jr.....	1845
ONONDAGA COUNTY.			
BALDWINVILLE.....	GRACE.....	Rev. W. M. Beauchamp, D. D.	July 27, 1835
East Syracuse.....	Emmanuel Mis'n	" J. E. Johnson.....	
DAYETTEVILLE.....	TRINITY.....	" A. W. Ebersole .....	1830
amesville.....	St. Mark's.....	" C. J. Lambert.....	July 12, 1831
ORDAN.....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" A. E. Bentley.....	Nov. 30, 1840
lanlius .....	Christ Church...	" T. Babcock, D. D..	Jan. 16, 1811
larcellus .....	St. John's. ....		1824
onondaga.....	Indian Mission..	" J. Scott.....	
KANEATELES.....	ST. JAMES'... ..	" F. N. Westcott.....	Jan. 4, 1816
YRACUSE.....	Calvary .....	" J. E. Johnson.....	1881
" .....	GRACE .....	" H. G. Coddington..	Mar. 27, 1811
" .....	St. JAMES'.....		Aug. 14, 1848
" .....	St. John's....		1889
" .....	St. Luke's Miss'n	" J. E. Johnson.....	
" .....	ST. MARK'S.....	" W. DeL. Wilson ...	Jan. 10, 1832
" .....	ST. PAUL'S.....	" H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.	May 22, 1826
" .....	TRINITY .....	" R. Hudson, Ph. D..	March 3, 1856
OSWEGO COUNTY.			
eveland .....	St. James' .....	Rev. G. L. Neide.....	July 22, 1867
ulton.....	Zion.....	" H. M. Clarke.....	June 23, 1835
acona .....	Mission.....	" D. Daly .....	
exico .....	Grace. ....		Dec. 4, 1848
SWEGO.....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" P. N. Meade.....	1817
" .....	EVANGELISTS....	" A. G. E. Jenner....	August, 1850
alaski.....	St. James' .....	" R. Paul.....	1846
edfield .....	Grace Mission...	" D. Daly.....	
indbank .....	Mission.....	" "	
SENECA COUNTY.			
SENECA FALLS.....	TRINITY .....	Rev. W. B. Clarke.....	1831
ey's Landing.....	St. Andrew's....		
ayt's Corners.....	Calvary Mission.	" C. W. MacNish.....	
erusalem.....	Mission.....		
vid .....	Trinity Mission..	" C. W. MacNish....	
omulus .....	St. Stephen's....		
ATERLOO .....	ST. PAUL'S .....	" R. M. Duff, D. D....	October, 1817
illard.. .....	Mission .....	" C. W. MacNish.....	
illowdale .....	Grace.....		
TIOGA COUNTY.			
ndor.....	St. Mark's.....		1831
VEGO.....	ST. PAUL'S.....	Rev. J. H. Kidder.....	Feb. 10, 1834
ithboro .....	Emmanuel.....	" J. F. Esch.....	1871
encer.....	Mission.....	" G. W. McMullin ...	
n Etten.....	Mission... ..		
Verly.....	Grace .....		1854
TOMPKINS COUNTY.			
ACA .....	ST. JOHN'S.....	Rev. S. H. Synnott....	1822
Lean .....	Zion.....	" P. Fenno.....	1833
edsville.....	St. John's.....	" C. W. MacNish ...	
erville.....	Mission.....	" M. C. Tyler, LL. D.,	Jan. 6, 1871
mansburgh.....	Epiphany.....		

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" C. D. Atwell,	" G. H. Kirkland,
" Theo. Babcock, D. D.,	" E. H. Kenyon,
" T. L. Banister,	" J. H. LaRoche,
" W. M. Beauchamp, S. T. D.,	" H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,
" W. E. Bentley,	" G. H. McKnight, D. D.,
" W. G. Bentley,	" C. W. MacNish,
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" G. Bowen, Jr.,	" John Muir, M. D.,
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" C. N. C. Brown,	" Oliver Owen,
" J. J. Burd,	" J. K. Parker,
" W. H. Casey,	" Robert Paul,
" J. M. Clarke, D. D.,	" G. G. Perrine,
" W. B. Clarke,	" G. E. Purucker,
" A. C. Clarke,	" R. G. Quennell,
" H. M. Clarke, Ph. D.,	" J. Sanders Reed,
" H. G. Coddington,	" J. A. Robinson,
" W. B. Coleman, Jr.,	" A. H. Rogers,
" E. W. Colloque,	" J. T. Rose,
" William Cooke,	" B. Schulte, D. D.,
" Joel Davis,	" A. G. Singsen,
" C. Donohue,	" John Scott,
" R. M. Duff, S. T. D.,	" H. D. Stebbins,
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" O. E. Herrick, D. D.,	" F. P. Winne,
" W. Price James,	" W. E. Wright.

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" A. Cusick,	" Parker Fenno,
" Daniel Daly,	" H. R. Fuller,
" C. O. Dantzer,	" G. W. McMullin,
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### BROOME COUNTY.

AMTON, *Christ Church*—ARTHUR S. MINER.

' *Trinity*—R. H. ROSE, B. F. WELDEN, JOHN ANDERSON.

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N, *St. Peter's*—A. N. HOLLISTER.

*St. John's*—W. A. HOLMES.

IA, *St. Matthew's*—WING T. PARKER.

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*Grace*—L. L. BARNEY, EUGENE LAING, C. F. RIDDLE.

### CHENANGO COUNTY.

, *St. Ann's*—HARRISON R. CASWELL.

E, *Zion*—WILLIAM J. RUSSELL.

ORD, *Christ Church*—WILLIAM O. NASH.

BERLIN, *St. Andrew's*—H. O. MOSS.

CH, *Emmanuel*—W. F. JENKS, D. E. COMSTOCK.

D, *St. Paul's*—C. W. BROWN, F. G. CLARKE, J. R. VANWAGENEN.

URNE, *Christ Church*—CHARLES S. KERSHAW.

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AND, *Grace*—HENRY B. HUBBARD, GEORGE J. MAGER.

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IVILLE, *St. Paul's*—JOHN COOK.

AGE, *Grace*—ARTHUR C. ROOT.

EPONT MANOR, *Zion*—W. M. WHITE, J. A. BEMIS, W. E. FOREMAN.

ETOWN, *Trinity*—A. H. SAWYER, J. M. TILDEN, H. H. BABCOCK.

" *Grace*—J. L. NEWTON.

### LEWIS COUNTY.

LLE, *Trinity*—HENRY C. NORTHAM.

### MADISON COUNTY.

OVIA, *St. Peter's*—J. H. TEN EYCK BURR, WILLIAM WATKINS, C. P.

### MARSHALL.

TON, *St. Thomas'*—J. J. TAYLOR.

A, *St. John's*—C. W. MOTT, JOSEPH BEAL, E. F. JEWELL.



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AUGUSTA, *St. Andrew's*—EDWIN S. HAMBLIN.  
 BRIDGEWATER, *Christ Church*—C. V. J. DOOLITTLE, M. D.  
 CAMDEN, *Trinity*—A. W. ABBOTT.  
 CLAYVILLE, *St. John's*—H. P. BURT.  
 NEW HARTFORD, *St. Stephen's*—J. V. H. SCOVILL, WILLIAM M. OSBORNE.  
 ORISKANY, *St. Peter's*—ANDREW J. NILES.  
 PARIS HILL, *St. Paul's*—EDWARD DOOLITTLE.  
 ROME, *Zion*—GEORGE BARNARD, EDWARD LIVINGSTON STEVENS.  
 UTICA, *Calvary*—E. F. ESMAY, W. W. NICHOLSON.  
 “ *Grace*—WILLIAM M. WHITE, W. H. WATSON, M. D., C. S. SYMONDS.  
 “ *Holy Cross*—EDWARD D. BRANDEGEE, JAMES EAGAN.  
 “ *St. George's*—WILLIAM M. GIBSON, M. D.  
 “ *St. Luke's*—HENRY HOPSON, GEORGE E. WHEELHOUSE.  
 “ *Trinity*—W. M. STORRS, J. B. WILD, H. F. MANSFIELD.  
 WATERTOWN, *Grace*—WALLACE BURCH, WILLIAM CAREY SANGER.

## ONONDAGA COUNTY.

BALDWINVILLE, *Grace*—RICHARD RICHARDSON.  
 JAMESVILLE, *St. Mark's*—O. H. BOGARDUS.  
 MANLIUS, *Christ Church*—HORACE NIMS, ELIJAH STANTON.  
 MARCELLUS, *St. John's*—A. M. SEYMOUR.  
 SKANEATELES, *St. James'*—WILLIAM MARVIN, JOHN D. BARROW.  
 SYRACUSE, *Calvary*—JOSEPH OSBORN, ARTHUR W. ARNOLD.  
 “ *Grace*—GEORGE JACK.  
 “ *St. James'*—D. O. SALMON, GEORGE J. GARDNER, WILLIAM PRIME.  
 “ *St. John's*—S. H. RIKER, F. H. BARTH, G. H. DE PERRIER.  
 “ *St. Mark's*—CYRUS D. AVERY.  
 “ *St. Paul's*—W. D. DUNNING, H. G. WHITE, G. M. BARNES.  
 “ *Trinity*—W. H. STANSFIELD, J. L. KLING, H. J. STEVENS.

## OSWEGO COUNTY.

FULTON, *Zion*—JOHN C. WELLS.  
 OSWEGO, *Christ Church*—C. H. BUTLER, GEORGE B. SLOAN, P. C. M. TRIBLE.  
 “ *Evangelists'*—CHARLES J. MATTISON.  
 PULASKI, *St. James'*—CHARLES EDWIN LOW.

## SENECA COUNTY.

SENECA FALLS, *Trinity*—LANSING S. HOSKINS, WILLIAM V. VAN RENSSELAER.

## TOMPKINS COUNTY.

ITHACA, *St. John's*—HERMON V. BOSTWICK.

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## FIRST DAY.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL, SYRACUSE, {  
Tuesday, June 12th, 1894. }

This being the day appointed for the meeting of the Twenty-sixth Annual Convention of the Diocese of Central New York, the Right Rev. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of the Clergy and Laity, assembled in St. Paul's Cathedral, in the city of Syracuse, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

Evening Prayer was said by the Rev. J. Sanders Reed and the Rev. A. G. Singsen.

At the conclusion of Divine Service, the Rt. Rev. the President took the chair and called the Convention to order.

The Secretary called the roll of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, when seventy-eight answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 16.*)

The credentials of Lay Delegates were presented and referred to a committee consisting of the Rev. R. G. Quennell, Mr. J. V. Needham, and the Secretaries.

On the report of the committee the roll was called, when sixty-two delegates, representing thirty-eight parishes, answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 17.*)

A quorum of the Clergy and of the Lay Delegates being present, the Rt. Rev. The President declared the Convention to be duly organized and ready for business.

The Convention proceeded to the election of a Secretary, when, on motion, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and the Rev. Alfred B. Goodrich, D. D., was chosen.

On nomination of the Secretary, the Rev. James K. Parker was appointed Assistant Secretary.

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*Committees—Clergy Invited to Seats.*

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The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following committees:

*On the Admission of Churches into Union with the Convention*—The Rev. A. H. Rogers; Messrs. Howard G. White and C. H. Butler.

*On Unfinished Business*—The Rev. W. B. Coleman; Messrs. James Egan and Harrison Caswell.

*On the Report of the Missionary Board*—The Rev. T. L. Banister; Messrs. H. V. Bostwick and J. V. H. Scovill.

*On the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society*—The Rev. John Arthur; Messrs. W. H. Watson, M. D., and E. F. Esmay.

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, the Rules of Order were suspended for the present to facilitate the business of the Convention.

On motion of Mr. W. T. Parker, it was

*Resolved*, That all Clergy of this Church, and of any Church in communion with this Church, not canonically resident in this Diocese, and also all Candidates for Holy Orders, and representatives of missionary stations, who may be present, be admitted to honorary seats in this Convention.

Under this resolution there were present the Rev. W. S. Hayward and the Rev. G. H. Fenwick, of the Diocese of Albany; the Rev. Robert H. Neide, of the Diocese of Connecticut; the Rev. George P. Huntington, of the Diocese of New Hampshire; the Rev. F. Ward Dennis, the Rev. Karl Schwartz, and the Rev. George Hebbard, of the Diocese of New York; the Rev. W. D'Orville Doty, D. D., the Rev. Charles W. Hayes, D. D., and the Rev. W. H. Long, of the Diocese of Western New York; the Rev. C. J. Shrimpton, of the Diocese of Massachusetts; and the Rev. Edward M. Duff, of the Diocese of Michigan.

The Convention then, on motion, took a recess until 7.30 o'clock this evening.

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TUESDAY EVENING, 7.30 o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the chair.

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*Report on Redistributing the Dioceses of the State.*

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Mr. George J. Gardner read his Report as Treasurer of the Diocese, and the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund. (*See Appendix I. F. G.*)

On motion it was

*Resolved*, That, in accordance with the recommendation of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, it be referred to the Committee on the Constitution and Canons to prepare and report an amendment to Section 6 of Canon XII, so that the terms and conditions on which loans shall be made shall be similar to those relating to the Episcopate Fund.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Babcock, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and Mr. George J. Gardner was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

Mr. Gardner said he would hold his acceptance in abeyance and announce his decision later.

The Bishop delivered his Annual Address.

The Rev. Dr. Lockwood read the Report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. (*See Appendix I. A.*)

The Bishop stated that in accordance with a resolution adopted at a meeting of representatives of the five Dioceses of the State of New York, he had nominated the Rev. Dr. Goodrich and Judge Charles Andrews as members of a committee to consider the expediency of a redistribution of the territory of the State into six or more dioceses. At the request of the Bishop, the Rev. Dr. Goodrich presented a report of the proceedings of the committee as follows:

A meeting of the committee appointed by the Federate Council to consider the expediency of redistributing the Dioceses of the State of New York, was held at the Diocesan House, New York city, on the 7th of June, 1894. There were present, the Bishops of Western New York, Long Island, Albany and New York; the Rev. B. E. Backus, D. D., and Mr. Douglass Merritt, of the Diocese of New York; the Rev. J. W. Ashton, D. D., of the Diocese of Western New York; the Rev. H. C. Swentzel and Hon. J. A. King, of the Diocese of Long Island; the Rev. C. C. Edmunds, Jr., and Mr. S. E. Marvin, of the Diocese of Albany; and the Rev. A. B. Goodrich, D. D., and Judge Charles Andrews, of the Diocese of Central New York. The Bishop of Western New York presided, and Mr. Douglass Merritt was appointed secretary. The Bishop of New York explained the object of the meeting. After discussion, the following resolutions, offered by the Bishop of New York, were unanimously adopted:

*Report on Support of an Assistant Bishop.*

*Resolved.* That in the judgment of this committee, it is expedient that so much of the existing territory of the State of New York, as now composes the Dioceses of New York, Western New York, Albany, and Central New York, be so rearranged, redistributed, or otherwise apportioned, whether by the division of existing dioceses, or by the creation, by detaching portions of existing dioceses, of new jurisdictions, as to erect at least two additional dioceses within the boundaries of this State.

*Resolved,* That a sub-committee of five be appointed to consider and mature a plan or plans, by which such a result may be accomplished and to report to this committee.

*Resolved,* That the same committee be instructed to communicate such report to the bishops, and other members of this committee, so soon as prepared, and in advance of its communication to the committee as a whole.

The chair appointed the following members of the sub-committee: Chairman, the Bishop of Albany; the Rev. Drs. Ashton and Goodrich; Messrs. Andrews, Marvin and Merritt.

The sub-committee will meet at the call of the chairman some time in September next.

The Rev. Dr. Brainard, for the committee appointed to devise ways and means for the support of an Assistant Bishop, presented the following

## REPORT:

The committee appointed at the last Diocesan Convention to devise ways and means for the support of an Assistant Bishop respectfully submit the following report:

Three meetings have been held during the year, extended correspondence kept up between the president and members of the committee, with frequent interchange of views with clergymen and laymen in different parts of the diocese to secure, as far as possible, the sentiments of our people on this important subject. The financial condition of the country discouraged any attempt at raising funds for increased Episcopal services, or for maturing any plan for the increase of our diocesan endowment, out of which an Assistant Bishop, when elected, might receive his support. It seemed to be a well nigh universal feeling that the assignment of duties to an Assistant Bishop, when elected, made by the Bishop of the Diocese, was not likely to secure the services of such an Assistant Bishop as the Diocese would approve as the Bishop's successor, and that therefore any attempt to elect an Assistant Bishop would not be deemed expedient at the present time.

The satisfactory arrangement made with the Bishops of Maine and Montana during the year lead your committee to believe that it would be best to continue such methods of relief for the present, at any rate during the period of our financial distress.

We offer, therefore, the following resolution:

*Resolved,* That the present plan of securing Episcopal relief be continued, and that the Treasurer of the Diocese be instructed to pay to the Bishop from time to time during the coming year for Episcopal assistance, and for other relief in his official and educational duties, the sum of \$1,500, or such portion thereof as the Bishop may deem needful.

All of which is respectfully submitted in behalf of the Committee.

JOHN BRAINARD, *Chairman.*

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*Notices of Deceased Clergy—Missionary Appropriation.*

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The Rev. W. E. Allen moved as a substitute for the resolution of the Committee "that the thanks of the Convention be extended to the Committee on the support of an Assistant Bishop for their labors, that their report be laid on the table and a Committee of five, consisting of three clerical and two lay members be appointed by the Chair to consider the same subject and report to this Convention," and the motion was lost.

The resolution offered by the Committee was then, on motion, adopted.

On motion of the Rev. Oliver Owen, it was,

*Resolved*, That a Committee of three, one of which shall be the Secretary of the Convention, be appointed to revise and continue to date the notices of deceased clergy first printed in the Convention Journal of Western New York in 1866, and to have the same printed as an appendix to the Journal this year.

The Chair appointed as such Committee the Secretary of the Convention, the Rev. Dr. Gibson and Mr. George J. Gardner.

The Rev. Dr. McKnight moved that a Committee consisting of the Deans of the Convocations and one clergyman and one layman from each district be appointed to consider the question of the Missionary Canon and report at the next Annual Convention, and the motion was lost.

On motion, it was

*Resolved*, That this Convention nominates George J. Gardner to the Trustees of the Christmas Fund for election to fill the vacancy in the Board of Trustees caused by the expiration of his term of office.

The Rev. W. B. Clarke, on behalf of the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions, offered the following resolution, which, on motion, was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the sum of \$11,200 be set apart for the missionary work of the Diocese for the ensuing year.

The Rev. Dr. Babcock offered the following amendment to Canon X, which, on motion, was referred to the Committee on the Constitution and Canons:

*Resolved*, That Section V. 3, of Canon X be amended by striking out the clause "by the Treasurer of the District."

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*Anniversary Services.*

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On motion of the Rev. Dr. Egar, the reading of the report of the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions was dispensed with, and it was ordered that the report be printed in the Journal.

Mr. William M. White reported that about \$4,000 had thus far been raised as a testimonial to the Bishop on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his consecration.

The Convention then, on motion, adjourned until ten o'clock to-morrow morning.

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SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1894.

The Convention met, pursuant to adjournment, at ten o'clock A. M.

The Bishops, Clergy and Choir entered the church in procession, singing the 422d Hymn.

The Sentences, Lord's Prayer and Versicles were said by the Rev. A. B. Goodrich, D. D. The Rev. R. M. Duff, S. T. D., read the First Lesson, the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D., the Second Lesson, and the Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., the Nicene Creed and the Prayers.

The Holy Eucharist was celebrated by the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, the Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of New York, reading the Epistle, and the Rt. Rev. A. Cleveland Coxe, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of Western New York, the Gospel.

The Sermon was preached by the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of New York.

The Post Communion was said by the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, pronouncing the Benediction.

At the conclusion of Divine Service the Rt. Rev. the President called the Convention to order, and, on motion, a recess was taken until three o'clock this afternoon.

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*Treasurer's Acceptance—Resolutions of Federate Council.*

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, three o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the chair.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

On calling the names of members not present yesterday, seven clergymen and thirty-seven lay delegates appeared and took their seats. (*See pp. 16, 17.*)

The Secretary read the following communication from Mr. George J. Gardner:

*Rev. A. B. Goodrich, D. D., Secretary of the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

Will you please communicate to the Convention, that at the earnest solicitation of many personal friends, and in view of the unanimous action of the Convention in re-electing me for the twenty-seventh time Treasurer of the Diocese, I will accept the office, trusting that in doing so, and making a sacrifice on my part, I may be instrumental, in whatever degree, in establishing peaceful relations between the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese and the parish with which for more than forty years I have been intimately connected.

In the bonds of Christian fellowship.

GEO. J. GARDNER.

The Secretary read the following communication from the Secretary of the Federate Council, which, on motion was referred to a Committee consisting of the Rev. J. H. Egar, D. D., the Rev. J. E. Johnson, and W. H. Watson, M. D.

BROOKLYN, (Flatbush,) L. I., May 30, 1894.

*Rev. A. B. Goodrich, D. D., Secretary of the Diocese of Central New York:*

MY DEAR SIR:—At a meeting of the Federate Council, held in the city of New York, on the 24th of January, 1894, the following resolutions were adopted, in reference to the proposed Act on the Organization of Parishes and the Election of Vestries:

*Resolved.* That the Secretary print the perfected Act and send it to the members of the Council and to the Secretaries of the five Dioceses.

On motion of the Bishop of Albany, it was

*Resolved.* That under the powers assured to this Body by the Canon of the General Convention, the Federate Council is competent to take such action as it may deem necessary to secure any legislative enactments which the common interests of the Church in the State may require.

*Resolved.* That having due regard to the relations of the Dioceses to the Federate Council, and to the history of the discussion in regard to the proposed changes in the Act of Incorporation, the Secretary be instructed to notify the action of the Federate Council to the Convention of each Diocese in the State of New York, with the earnest request that each Convention will take final action in regard to that subject at its next session.

Attest:

T. STAFFORD DROWNE,

*Secretary.*



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*Act of Incorporation of Parishes.*

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The Secretary read a communication from the Secretary of the Diocese of Western New York, transmitting resolutions of the Council of that Diocese, on the subject of the amended law relating to the incorporation of churches, which, on motion, were referred to the same committee.

The Convention proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. The Rt. Rev. the President appointed as tellers to receive the votes of the Clergy, the Rev. W. E. Allen and Mr. C. J. Mattison, and to receive the votes of the Laity, the Rev. C. D. Atwell and Mr. C. W. Mott.

The Rev. F. P. Harrington read the report on Christian Education. (*See Appendix I, E.*)

The Rev. Dr. Egar, from the Committee to whom were referred the communication from the Secretary of the Federate Council and the resolutions of the Council of the Diocese of Western New York, presented the following

### REPORT:

The Committee to whom was referred the proposed Act of Incorporation of Parishes, beg leave respectfully to offer the following resolutions:

**Resolved,** That the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York, approves the amended Act of Incorporation of Religious Societies, as adopted at the last meeting of the Federate Council of the State of New York, and unites with the other Dioceses of the State in asking for its enactment by the Legislature as soon as possible, *provided* that the verbal discrepancies, if any, between the copy of the Act furnished to this Convention, and the action of the Federate Council, be properly reconciled.

**Resolved,** That the Secretary of the Convention be instructed to call the attention of the Secretary of the Federate Council to the above errors as noted in the copy under consideration by this Committee.

J. H. EGAR,  
J. E. JOHNSON,  
W. H. WATSON.

On motion the resolutions offered by the Committee were adopted.

The Rev. Dr. Egar offered the following as a substitute for Canon X, which, on motion, was referred to the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, to be reported on at the next annual Convention.

*Amendments to Canon X*

CANON X.

*Of Diocesan Missions and Offerings.*

SECTION 1. The Church in the Diocese of Central New York is the Diocesan Missionary Society, and every member of the church in said Diocese is a member of said Diocesan Missionary Society.

SEC. II. The Convention of the Diocese with the Bishop is the Missionary Authority of the Diocese, and its regulations shall be carried out by the Board of Missions and the several Convocations hereinafter provided.

SEC. III. 1. The Board of Missions, of which the Bishop is *ex officio* President, shall consist of the Deans of Convocations hereinafter provided for, and of one clergyman and two laymen from each Missionary District, to be elected annually by the Convocation thereof, at the first meeting after the adjournment of the Annual Convention. The Treasurer of the Diocese, who shall be also Treasurer of the Missionary Fund, shall be *ex officio* a member of the Board. In the vacancy of the Episcopate, or in the absence of the Bishop, the Board shall elect one of its members to preside.

2. Immediately before the annual meeting of the Convention in each year the Board of Missions shall hold a regular meeting, at which the Missionary work and expenditures for the year ending May 1st preceding shall be received and a report adopted, to be presented through its Secretary to the Convention. The said report shall contain a full exhibit of the Missionary work, with the receipts and expenditures of the year, and an estimate of the sum required for the ensuing year from August 1st to August 1st; with such recommendations as shall seem good to the Board. To this report shall be appended a table, by districts, of all the parishes and missions of the Diocese, the amount given by each parish and station for the Missionary Fund; and the sum apportioned to each district, and to each of the stipendiary parishes and mission stations. All which shall be submitted to the Convention for such action as it shall see fit to take. After transacting the business of this meeting the Board shall adjourn until the close of the Convention, when it shall reassemble; and if the Convention have made an assessment for Diocesan Missions, it shall determine what portion of the assessment shall be paid by each district; and it shall make the appropriation to each district of the sum found to be available for the work in that district.

3. The Board of Missions shall also hold a regular meeting in the month of November in each year, at which the Dean of each Convocation shall present a full report of the work and expenditures in his district, together with the proceedings of Convocation since the last meeting of the Board. And at such meeting, if it appear needful by reason of an unexpended balance in some districts, or greater necessity in other districts, the Board may change the appropriations; and if it appear that the proportionate sum contributed for Missions is such that unless they increase there is likely to be a deficiency, the Board may take such action as is necessary. *Provided*, that any unexpended balances remaining at the end of the year shall be held for the Board of Missions, and taken into account in making the estimates for the ensuing year.

SEC. IV. 1. For missionary purposes the Diocese shall be divided into six districts, as follows:

First District—Jefferson and Lewis counties.

Second District—Oneida county and Madison county, except the village of Canastota, and the townships including the parishes of Cazenovia, Chittenango and Perryville.

Third District—Broome and Chenango counties.

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*Amendments to Canon X.*

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Fourth District—Onondaga, Oswego and Cortland counties, and the part of Madison county not included in the Second District.

Fifth District—Cayuga and Seneca Counties.

Sixth District—Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins counties.

2. The Convocation of each district shall consist of the clergy canonically settled in the district, together with two lay delegates from each parish and mission therein. It shall be the duty of every clergyman in charge of a parish or mission to attend the meetings of the Convocation of his district; and the clergy attending, with the lay delegates present, shall be a quorum for the transaction of business.

3. The principal officer of the Convocation shall be the Dean, who shall preside at all meetings, the Bishop not being present, and who, under the Bishop, shall have the supervision of the missionary work of the district. The Deans shall be appointed at the Convention by the Bishop on the nomination of the Convocation, in such manner that the terms of the Deans of two districts in rotation shall expire every year. A vacancy shall be filled by election of the Convocation until the next Annual Convention. There shall also be a Secretary and Treasurer of Convocation, who shall perform the duties of those officers, and shall be elected for one year, at the first meeting after the Annual Convention.

4. There shall be two stated meetings of Convocation in each year, in the last week of the months of April and October, at which there shall be public services, with the celebration of the Holy Communion, sermons, missionary meetings, and such other exercises as may be profitable, together with the transaction of missionary business. And there shall be also two business meetings in each year, in the last week of the months of January and July.

5. At the business meeting in July of each year the Dean shall report to the Convocation the amount of the assessment (if the Convention have made one) upon the District for missionary purposes for the current year; and also the amounts appropriated to the district: whereupon the Convocation shall ascertain or estimate the amount which may be expected from each parish and mission for the Missionary Fund for the year. And the Convocation shall also at the same meeting make the appropriation for the parishes needing assistance, and for missionaries working where there are not parishes, such appropriation to run from August 1st to August 1st of the ensuing year. *Provided* that no appropriation shall be paid unless there is a clergyman doing the duty for which the appropriation is made, and only for the time for which said duty is done.

6. At the other meetings of the Convocation changes in appropriations, and new appropriations, may be made as the circumstances require. *Provided*, that the stipend of no clergyman shall be reduced during the current year without his consent.

7. At each meeting of Convocation, both stated and business, it shall be the duty of each clergyman receiving a stipend from the Board to make a report of his work, on receipt of which the Convocation shall authorize the Dean to draw upon the Treasurer of the Board for the stipend due the Missionary, the same to be paid by the Treasurer to the Missionary.

8. At least two weeks before the Annual Convention, and after the April meeting, the Secretary of each Convocation shall make a report of the year's work to the Secretary of the Board of Missions, to enable him to make up the annual report of the Board of Missions to the Convention of the Diocese.

SEC. V. 1. The Missionary Fund of the Diocese shall consist of the offerings made for that purpose and of the income of the Permanent Missionary Fund held by the Trustees of the Parochial Fund for that purpose.

*Amendments to Canon X.*

. It shall be the duty of every clergyman in charge of a parish or mission to make the canonical offerings for missions on the Sundays appointed; and see that they are sent to the Treasurer of the Board of Missions without delay; and also to be diligent in instructing his people concerning the duty and the privilege of giving for missions, and in exhorting them to liberality in doing.

. The Missionary Fund shall be in the custody of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions, who shall receive the same and pay it out under the direction of the Board.

. The Missionary Fund may be used for

- a. The sustentation of feeble parishes.
- b. The support of missionaries in places where parishes do not exist.
- c. The necessary expenses of the Convocation.

SEC. VI. When an organized parish which is unable of itself to furnish a support to its minister shall desire to be assisted from the Missionary Fund, application in writing (which shall be renewed every year) shall be made to the Convocation through the Dean. It shall be signed by order of the Vestry, and shall state the facts necessary to a full understanding of the case, and particularly the amount pledged or secured in the parish itself for the support of the minister. The first application of such parish shall be sent to the Bishop for his endorsement of approval before being presented to the Convocation. The Convocation shall take such action thereon as may seem to be proper on a review of the circumstances. An organized parish so assisted shall not forfeit the right secured to it by its charter or by the Act of Incorporation, of electing its own minister. *Provided*, that during a vacancy the stipend shall be suspended unless the services are continued by a duly qualified minister. And *provided* further, that if the vacancy is not filled within three months it shall be the duty of the Vestry to elect the clergyman nominated by the Bishop; otherwise the stipend shall cease altogether. And *provided* also that in consideration of the stipend allowed by the Convocation, the Convocation, with the consent of the Bishop, may require that two contiguous parishes unite on the same minister, who shall serve both. Or the Convocation, with the consent of the Bishop, may assign the clergyman to missionary duty in some station in the neighborhood which he can serve either with his parochial cure. And when it shall appear that by contiguous parishes uniting together a support can be obtained for a minister to serve both, the Convocation may require such contiguous parishes to unite in electing the same minister.

SEC. VII. 1. It shall be the duty of the Convocation to seek out and inform itself of the towns, villages and communities within the District where there are no organized parishes; to confer, through the Dean, with the Bishop concerning them; and to provide, as the means will allow, for the establishment and support of missions in such places.

2. To entitle the clergyman employed as a missionary in such places to a stipend from the Convocation, he must be nominated by the Bishop to the Convocation, and elected by the Convocation; whereupon he shall become a missionary of the Board, and be recognized as a missionary under the ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese.

3. The Convocation, with the approval of the Bishop, may assign the missionary to work as an itinerant within the district, or in some specified portion of the same; or it may, with the approval of the Bishop, assign him to duty in a mission station consisting of one town or village, or of two or more contiguous villages or communities where congregations may be gathered.

*Amendments to Canon X.*

4. The Convocation may, if it so elect, assume the whole support of the missionary; but in that case it shall be the duty of the missionary to take an offering for the Missionary Fund at one service every Sunday in every place where he officiates within his mission. The proceeds of such offertory shall be transmitted monthly by the missionary to the Treasurer of the Convocation. He shall specify the sum which has been contributed on the third Sunday in the month, which sum shall be reckoned as the contribution of the mission to the Missionary Fund of the Diocese; and the Treasurer of the Convocation shall account for it as such to the Treasurer of the Diocese. The remainder shall be held as a special fund of the Convocation to assist in making up the stipend of the missionary. When a mission is organized, as hereinafter provided, the Convocation may require, as the condition of its assuming the support of the missionary, the pledge of a stipulated sum, to be agreed on beforehand, to be paid in the same manner to the Treasurer of the Convocation; and it shall be the duty of the Executive Committee of such organized mission to see that the pledge is redeemed, and to take up a subscription, if necessary, and to collect the same, and to pay over the stipulated amount, in quarterly installments to the Treasurer of the Convocation at least one week before the meeting of Convocation.

5. It shall be the duty of every missionary of the Board having charge of two or more congregations, to instruct some one or more male communicants within his cure in reading the service, and to appoint one of them to read the service in each congregation in his absence while ministering to the other congregations under his charge; so that the service may be held regularly in all the congregations of his cure.

6. The Convocation may, where it shall seem best, assign the care of a mission station to the minister of a self-supporting parish in the immediate vicinity, and may, when necessary, assign a stipend for the care of such mission, and the extra service, and expense of travel to and fro.

SEC. VIII. 1. When a congregation in a Mission Station gives evidence of permanence and growth, but has not the strength to be organized into a parish, it may become an organized mission as follows: The missionary in charge, after taking the voice of the congregation at a meeting called for that purpose, shall present to the Dean the names of not less than three persons, who, when appointed by the Dean, shall be the Executive Committee of the Mission; and this presentation and appointment shall be renewed every year, immediately after Easter. The Executive Committee shall have a Secretary and Treasurer, and shall keep minutes of its proceedings.

2. It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee, of which the missionary in charge shall be *ex-officio* chairman, to care for the property, to administer the financial affairs of the mission, to see that all things are provided for Divine Service, to obtain the pledges for the support of the minister, and to collect the subscriptions so pledged, if the same have not been presented at the offertory; to secure the means by subscription or otherwise for the other expenses of the mission; and in general to take charge, under the missionary, of the affairs of the congregation.

3. The real estate of an organized mission shall be held in trust for the use of the mission by the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

SEC. IX. Offerings shall be made in the parishes and missions of the Diocese as follows:

For the Communion Alms on the first Sunday in the month.

For Domestic Missions on the third Sunday in December.

For Foreign Missions on the third Sunday in June.

For Diocesan Missions on the third Sunday in each month except December and June.

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*Report on Diocesan Missions.*

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r the Christmas Fund on Christmas Day.  
r the Bible and Prayer Book Society on Whitsunday, not being the third  
ay in the month.  
r the General Fund on the fifth Sunday in the month when there is one.  
r the Bishop's Relief Fund, at the Episcopal Visitation.  
r the Mission among Deaf Mutes on the twelfth Sunday after Trinity.  
expected also that an offering be made for the Increase of the Ministry  
or the Church Building Fund of the Diocese on some Sunday in each

r. D. O. Salmon, lay delegate from St. James' parish,  
cuse, asked permission to read a communication, and the  
est was granted by the Chair.

he Rev. T. L. Banister, from the Committee on the Report  
he Missionary Board, presented the following

**REPORT:**

ur Committee have examined the Report of the Board of Missions, and  
ess their pleasure at the prosperous working of the new Canon, and con-  
n of the mission work of the Diocese. It seems, however, that in some  
hes the canonical collection required to be taken on the third Sunday of  
month is not promptly forwarded to the Treasurer. The committee  
d emphasize the fact that the offering of this Sunday does not belong to  
arish, but to the mission funds, and the withholding it is not only a  
tion of canonical obligation, and a positive injustice done to the Board,  
also entails a hardship on the parish in the necessity it imposes of making  
bulk a deficiency, if the parish is to meet its obligation. Too much  
s cannot be laid upon this matter; and we would urge more faithful  
vance of the obligation resting on the parish in this matter. Your com-  
ee would also suggest to the Board that in each Convocation the  
orities should be careful not to include or mention as "missions" points  
h, though having separate houses of worship, are really integral parts of  
hes, under the general canons of the church; under the entire spiritual  
ge of the rectors thereof, not in any way supported by the Board of  
ions, or reporting to it, but contributing as parts of the parishes to the  
ort thereof, represented in the vestries, and having their internal  
omy arranged and subsisting by arrangement with their rectors and  
ies thereof. The naming them as missions in any sense connected with  
Board is an infringement of the rights of the rectors, and a violation of  
anons of the church. The friction resulting from such action in any  
ocation has a tendency to dampen the zeal of rectors in meeting the  
irements of the Board for its proper mission fields. A little considera-  
in this direction will be beneficial to the interests of the Board. Your  
nittee is well satisfied with the working of the Canon, and believe that  
modifications which experience suggest, it can be made nearly perfect in  
peration.

draft of a Canon submitted to the Second District Convocation by the  
Dr. Egar, and which will probably come before the Convention, appears  
eet conditions where there is defect in the present Canon.

Respectfully submitted,

T. LEWIS BANISTER,  
H. V. BOSTWICK,  
J. V. H. SCOVILL.

ne 13, 1894.

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*Standing Committee—Election of Officers.*

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The Tellers presented their report, from which it appeared that the following named persons had received a majority of all the votes given, and they were therefore declared duly elected.

## STANDING COMMITTEE

The Rev. John Brainard, D. D.,  
The Rev. Henry R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,  
The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D.,  
The Rev. Alfred B. Goodrich, D. D.

Mr. Thomas D. Green,  
Mr. Azariah H. Sawyer,  
Mr. John R. Van Wagenen,  
Mr. George Jack.

Mr. Andrew H. Green presented the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund. (*See Appendix I. J.*)

A vote by ballot being taken, the Secretaries acting as tellers, Mr. Andrew H. Green and Mr. William Marvin were declared duly elected Trustees of the Parochial Fund for three years from September 1, 1894, and Mr. Edward D. Brandegees a Trustee of the said fund, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Miles C. Comstock.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson, for the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, recommended that the proposed amendments to Canon X, offered by the Rev. Dr. Babcock and the Rev. Mr. Banister, be laid over till the next Convention, and it was so ordered.

Mr. H. O. Moss, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, presented the following

## REPORT:

The Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund make report, that its members have, in connection with the Treasurer, examined the statement of the Trustees, giving in detail the items of receipts of principal and income of the Fund and also of disbursements of same by the Treasurer, and, as would be expected, found the same correct. The securities, consisting mainly of bonds and mortgages, and on which no indorsements of principal or income are unusually made, were examined, and their amounts found to correspond with same as stated in the report of the Trustees.



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*Reports of Committees.*

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They also examined as to the securities of the DeLancey Fund and found them to be as stated in the report of the Trustees.

H. O. MOSS,  
T. R. PROCTOR,  
E. S. HAMBLIN.

Utica, May 22, 1894.

The Rev. W. B. Coleman, from the Committee on Unfinished Business, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee appointed for the purpose have examined the Journal of the last Convention and find that on page 27 a motion of the Rev. Mr. Banister to recommit the amendments to be reported on at this Convention has not been carried out. The amendments referred to are stated on page 27, relating to Canon X. Also on page 29 a motion of the Rev. C. T. Olmsted calling for the report of a committee of three at this Convention, regarding the Bible and Prayer Book Society of this Diocese, has not been executed.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. COLEMAN,  
H. R. CASWELL,  
JAMES HAGAN.

The Rev. Mr. Arthur, from the Committee on the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee on the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society respectfully report that they have examined the same and find it correct.

JOHN ARTHUR,  
W. H. WATSON,  
E. F. ESMAY.

Mr. J. R. Van Wagenen read his report as Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund. (*See Appendix I. K.*)

On motion of the Rev. Oliver Owen, it was

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the Diocese be instructed to assess with the General Fund, the sum of \$1,500, allowed by the action of the Convention yesterday for the Bishop's assistance.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Egar it was

*Resolved*, That a Committee consisting of eight clergymen and eight laymen be appointed by the Bishop to represent this Diocese in any meeting of representatives of the five dioceses that may be called during the ensuing Conventional year.



*Amendments to Canon XII and XIII.*

The Bishop appointed as Examining Chaplains the Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D., and the Rev. William M. Beauchamp, D. D.

The Rev. Dr. Brainard offered the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the thanks of this Convention be presented to the Rt. Rev. Henry C. Potter, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of New York, for his discourse delivered this morning, and that he be requested to consent to the publication of the same.

On motion the resolution was amended so as to include the addresses to be delivered at the anniversary services this evening, and the resolution as amended was adopted unanimously.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson, for the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, to whom were referred proposed amendments to Canons XII and XIII, offered the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That section 6 of Canon XII be amended so as to read: "All moneys belonging to the fund and not needed for present relief, shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon security upon real estate to an amount not exceeding seventy per cent. of the appraised value of the property, inclusive of buildings, with proper insurance on the buildings, the appraisal to be made by an appraiser appointed by the Trustees for the purpose; or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State, or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the Fund; and they shall have the power from time to time to change such securities or investments."

*Resolved*, That section 2 of Canon XIII be amended by striking out the words "three appraisers," and inserting instead thereof the words "one appraiser."

W. D. WILSON,

*For the Committee.*

On motion the amendments were adopted, two-thirds of each order concurring therein.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

*On Christian Education*—The Rev. F. P. Tompkins, the Rev. Herbert M. Clarke, the Rev. J. E. Johnson; Messrs. William Verbeck and W. P. Sawyer.

*On the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., the Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., the Rev. John H. Egar, D. D.; Messrs. George B. Sloan and John D. Barrow.

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*Standing Committees—Report of the Secretary.*

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*On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Messrs. F. G. Clarke, John Anderson and Charles E. Smith.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund*—Messrs. Horace O. Moss, T. R. Proctor and E. S. Hamblin.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Messrs. W. M. White, W. M. Storrs and W. M. Gibson, M. D.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Messrs. John Lyman, E. L. Stevens and C. D. Avery.

*On the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Fund*—The Rev. H. D. Stebbins; Messrs. W. J. Russell and C. W. Mott.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. McKnight it was

*Resolved*, That the members of this Convention desire to express their cordial thanks to the Rector and officers of St. Paul's Church, and also to the Rectors and members of the other parishes in the city of Syracuse who have so generously entertained them during the meetings of the Convention.

The Secretary of the Convention presented the following

### REPORT:

The undersigned respectfully reports that since the last Convention the following contributions to the Diocesan Archives have been received:

From the Bishop of the Diocese 52 Convention Journals and other pamphlets.

From the Rev. George W. Southwell, a complete file of the *Churchman* for the years 1870 to 1892 inclusive, those for the years 1870 to 1884, being bound; also the *Churchman* for 1892. The *Kalendar* of Western New York, a complete set, for ten years. A complete set of the *Orbit* of Western New York, 1876 to 1878. The *Church Messenger* of Western New York, 1889, and 11 Convention Journals.

From Mr. J. R. Van Wagenen, of Oxford, 16 bound volumes of the *Spirit of Missions* from volume II to XXVI; Church Almanacs, 1837, 1841-42, 1844, 1849, 1851, 1853-1858, 1861, 1870, 1881-1889. 1881-2, 1884.

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. GOODRICH.

Utica, June 12, 1894.

On motion, it was

*Resolved*, That 1,300 copies of the Journal of this Convention, together with the Constitution and Canons, and various forms and legislative acts of incorporation, be printed under the direction of the Secretary and distributed as directed by Canon V.

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*Adjournment.*

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The Convention then, on motion, resolved to adjourn after the reading of the minutes and the usual devotions.

The minutes of this day's session were read and approved.

The Bishop offered prayers and pronounced the Benediction, and the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON,  
*President of the Convention.*

ALFRED B. GOODRICH, *Secretary.*  
JAMES K. PARKER, *Assistant Secretary.*

# THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS

## To the Twenty-Sixth Annual Convention.

It is doubtless in your minds already that in the public arrangements made and accepted for the observance of this twenty-sixth anniversary of the Diocese, with commemoration and thanksgiving, we ought to use a reasonable discretion in our necessary proceedings, by taking pains to be prompt and attentive, postponing or omitting matters of minor importance, compressing speech and dispatching business, so far as it may be done without injury to the interests with which we have to deal. This economy appears to be the more practicable because of the providential prosperity which has been continued to us, the even course of our ecclesiastical history, and the absence of any special exigency or question demanding immediate or legislative consideration. I shall accordingly have no occasion to present to you much beyond the statistical facts requisite for your information.

Since our last annual Convention I have ordained to the Priesthood Joseph Marchant Hayman, William Herbert Hawken, Herbert E. Bowers, Frank Miller Baum and Earll Henry Kenyon.

I have ordained Deacons, Charles Winfred Douglas, Charles E. S. Rasay, Parker Fenno and George Wharton McMullen.

By Letters Dimissory I have received into canonical residence Rev. Osgood E. Herrick, D. D., Rev. Abram W. Ebersole, Rev. Herbert M. Clarke, Ph. D., Rev. Harry A. R. Cresser, Rev. J. Sanders Reed, Rev. J. Henry LaRoche, Rev. Amos Watkins, Rev. A. George E. Jenner and Rev. Andrew Harper, Jr.

I have given Letters Dimissory to Rev. H. M. Denslow, for the Diocese of Ohio; Rev. J. M. Hayman, for Albany; Rev. F. M. Baum, Rev. H. E. Bowers and Rev. W. H. Hawken, for Western New York; Rev. W. N. Gilbert for Maryland; Rev. J. H. Young and Rev. Harry A. R. Cresser, for Florida; Rev. G. W. Southwell, for the Missionary District of Southern Florida; Rev. J. B. Avirett, for North Carolina; Rev. A. H. Redding and Rev. A. H. Ormsbee, for New York, and Rev. W. D. Maxon, for Pittsburg.

We have now nineteen candidates for Holy Orders, and seven Postulants, whose names will appear in the Journal. One candidate, Henry A. Dexter, has been transferred to Washington Territory, and Charles A. Smith, F. F. Llewellyn and

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Arthur L. Mowry have been removed from candidateship at their own request.

The Rev. C. N. C. Brown was instituted as the Rector of St. John's Church, Auburn, November 26.

On September 29, 1893, at the request of the Ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese of Massachusetts, I consecrated the Church of the Holy Name at Swampscott.

The corner-stone of the Church of St. Thomas, at Slaterville, was laid by the Rev. Dr. Clarke, at my appointment, August 22, 1893.

I have joined two couples in holy matrimony and baptized one infant.

There have been confirmed 779 persons, of which 18 were of the Diocese of Massachusetts. The number, less than I have been usually able to report, has probably been somewhat reduced by my inability in health to make my visitation journeys. How far this may have tended to hinder the preparation of candidates, or to diminish the classes presented, I am not able to tell. But I am under a very large obligation, and we all owe a debt we cannot pay, to the Rt. Rev. Bishop of Maine and the Bishop of the Jurisdiction of Montana, for the very efficient and everywhere acceptable service which they have consented to render in many parishes and missions when travel was not altogether convenient, and when their other labors were abundant.

My official consent has been given to the consecration of Dr. Lawrence as Bishop of Massachusetts, Dr. Hall as Bishop of Vermont, Dr. Capers as Assistant Bishop of South Carolina, Dr. Gailor as Assistant Bishop of Tennessee and Dr. Cheshire as Assistant Bishop of North Carolina.

There have been no losses or calamities to put on record in the regular and fruitful ongoing of our institutions in education, in various forms of charity, in the active work of guilds, the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, the Girls' Friendly Society and the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. The conference of the Brotherhood held last month at Utica deserves special and grateful mention for its animating and inspiring influence.

Our amended missionary canon has been tested in a year of so much financial and commercial depression that it is perhaps difficult to judge fairly of the experiment by its visible results. Probably both its merits and defects may be more justly estimated after a longer trial. The particulars of its pecuniary operation will be exhibited to you in the reports of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions and of the Diocese, and you will learn from them a great deal respecting the condition of our pastoral and

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parochial undertakings, and of the efforts of Bishop, Deans, clergy and laity towards the extension of the Kingdom of God within our bounds, which would otherwise form part of this address.

With no intention to display the results of what we have achieved in the first quarter of a century of our history as a diocesan family, but as showing some of the grounds for our great gratitude to God, it is proper for me to include here a summary of such gains as can be most easily reckoned.

Priests ordained, 94; Deacons ordained, 116; churches consecrated, 70; corner stones of churches laid, 85; confirmations, 27,900; amount of money given for church purposes, \$5,846,221 to June, 1893.

Enough has been already said by others of the aims and features of the quarter-century of Episcopal administration now closed. I wish to refer now to only one of them. Sometimes I have submitted to experiment proposed methods to which some wise and good churchmen could hardly be expected to give a cordial support, though they have, so far as I know, withheld opposition. There is, it seems to me, a difference between measures new to us which are in themselves essentially unchurchly, and others which a scrupulous and apprehensive churchmanship holds back from, simply because they are unfamiliar. As to these latter there are naturally two parties—the more and the less venturesome. In both are churchmen of equal intelligence, conscience and zeal. Such measures are parochial missions, retreats, auxiliaries, guilds, voluntary associations to promote temperance, purity, ecclesiastical unity, Sunday School education. The surest and commonly a harmless mode of testing their value, when they are recommended or asked for, has appeared to me to be to let them be tried. Provided they are in principle within the universally recognized bounds of the Kingdom of God on the earth, sensible clergymen may be trusted to prove them in practice. They may fail because they ought to fail. They may be found useful, even greatly beneficial to the cause of righteousness. The two great laws, of Catholic authority and liberty, are fixed. In modern Christian effort we are known to stand for authority. I believe I have sought, in a right dividing of the worth of Truth, to maintain and defend it. Doing that according to my ability I have remembered also that to carry it beyond its scriptural and constitutional limits is to wrong the liberty wherewith an Apostle declares Christ the Head has made us free. We may thus cut off offered bestowments of the Holy Spirit; we may blind the forward look by binding one another in the backward

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look; we may hinder the purposes of a gracious Providence. I have seen instances, Parish ministries, where each of the two opposite errors has been unhappily illustrated. An acute English student of the history of morals has pointed out that "there is no better criterion of the political genius of a nation than the power it possesses of adapting old institutions to new events." Whatever the full interpretation of St. Paul's meaning may be when he justifies as Christian the policy of becoming all things to all men by all means to save some, he must be taken, I presume, to signify lines of thought and feeling, at a given period, no less than men; to reprove a narrow uniformity, to open paths into a varied evangelizing and shepherding activity, and to encourage fortitude and patience in dealing with those customs and drifts of sentiment which must change with the times and habits of a changing world. So far as this our experimenting may go, I think, without breaking with the wisdom of the past or much danger of radical innovation.

My dear friends, never quite so dear as now, by the benevolent ingenuity of our efficient committee of arrangements we have two commemorations where our elder sisters, of Long Island and Albany and Western New York, have put all their rejoicings into one. Whatever part in them might have fallen to me—belonged, I suppose, to the 8th of April, when, instead of answering your salute I ran away. To-day's festival is not the observance of an individual event, whether personal or official; individuals come and go: it marks the birth of a Diocese, an institution which is to have a perpetuated life, gathering up into itself the life of thousands of souls, and which is to be greater in honor and more abundant in blessings in the years to come than it has been or could be in the little period that is past.

One of the gracious ways of the Providence which brings the new out of the old is to turn endings into beginnings, so shifting the conditions for a better future. We should be dull scholars in the school of life if we should let our jubilee slip by without a resolute purpose of more strenuous labor and a larger harvest than can be reported yet. Our thanksgivings ought to have in them, ought they not? an accent of hope and a pledge of better fidelity. We should be as those who only halt at a bright spot for an Elim of refreshment, ready to gird ourselves to-morrow for the great errand on which we are sent, knowing certainly what the calling is, and Who it is that has called and sends us.

This is not exactly the occasion for proposing particular plans. But it certainly is a fit time to join with congratulation over our

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successes the foresight of wider and nobler work to be done as clergy, as laymen, as parishes, as a diocese that is missionary in the completest sense, as workmen and workwomen for the Master to whom we owe all the gladness and honor and plenty of the feast. I for one can see distinctly lines of advance where I am sure He would have us go forward. God grant that we may be ready for every toil and every sacrifice they may require!

You will not wonder, I am sure, after what you have heard, if I remind myself, with some searchings of heart, of the dangers of a favor that is partial and praise that is undeserved. I suppose it is natural enough to speak of those who have been thrown somehow into places of comparative prominence or leadership as if they were proper or safe objects of unqualified laudation,—as if the leaders after all did not owe their position to other causes than their actual merits. Whatever credit may be due to captains or to Bishops, no conquest is achieved without those who serve with them with equal hardship, equal cheerfulness, and perhaps greater self denial. It is certainly so here. I am mindful of it every day I live. I dare say, for I believe, that the world would on the whole be better if we praised more and blamed less. Not that I imagine men of sense are likely to have their deliberate judgment of themselves materially affected by the kind or flattering things said of them on festive occasions like this, when everybody is amiable and compliments are easier than discrimination. Our self-estimates must be made up, I suspect, on firmer ground, the result of more lasting reflection and a much sadder experience. The best way is to take these over-generous expressions as the promptings of an impulsive friendship, not as a judicial measure of our merits, which are not, if all were known, of much real account.

Impressions of European travel are so copiously given to the public, with descriptions and pictures, that any account of my only and short excursion thither would be scarcely other than impertinent. Making the best use of my time, the surface of things, places and persons, was the most that I could acquaint myself with, neither institutions nor characters being apt to let us know what is most vital or valuable in them at a glance. There was in this instance much to see, to enjoy and to learn; nothing to lessen by comparison the attachments or appreciations of our home inheritance with its duties and prospects.

So far as I could observe, the preaching power of the English Church is on this side of the sea rather under-rated. I heard no distinguished preacher, and none on any signal occasion. But all the sermons were direct and vigorous in style, sound in doctrine, well-constructed, and not without literary accuracy



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and finish. One at Temple Bar was up to the traditional high repute of that pulpit. The University discipline tells evidently on minds of even moderate native ability. There is there, as here, no one Theological School pre-eminent in resources. Many Bishops prefer that their candidates should be trained under their supervision in their own Dioceses. I was confirmed in a belief which I have long held that the range of examinations of candidates for Orders is too indiscriminating, includes too many grades of knowledge, and has therefore a double defect. It tends to lower the standard for the best scholars, and it puts the less capable upon studies where they will never attain more than a superficial proficiency. We want in the Priesthood men of larger and more thorough learning on the one hand, and on the other we want ministers with a practicable education adapted to men of promising gifts, clear convictions, energy, tact in affairs, quick sympathies, and the indispensable spiritual mind, fitting them for pastoral and homiletical service to congregations, such as we shall long have among us, where they will be welcome and efficient, and where no others can be had. It seems to me worth considering whether a distinction like this between two classes of reverend ambassadors of Christ, the Great Shepherd, might not be canonically marked by extending the permanent diaconate, or by an authorized certificate, or by an honest title, or in some other way not inconsistent with the dignity of the sacred office.

It certainly yields a high satisfaction, and it is confirmatory of personal faith, to be even for a short time in the territory and communities of a powerful nation where the Church which we love and revere above all else in our heritage, save its Divine Head, is a commanding and pervading concern to all classes of people and in all the departments of government, education and business, from the throne to the cottage; where the power and sanctity of this Church are manifest every day in seats of law and courts of justice; where its worship, its authority and its majesty are confessed in the manners and conversation of men and women and in the training of children: where the history of that Church from the beginning is held to be interwoven with the whole progress, sufferings, triumphs and glories of the national life; and where it is not held to be incongruous with the manliest manhood of statesmen, scholars, soldiers or masters in affairs, to kneel down, in any presence or company, in prayer, to bow at the name of Christ, or to render something more than a half apologetic and shamefaced homage to the venerable and adorable goodness of the King of Kings, the Father of all Christian homes and the Comforter of every trusting heart.

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king reverently at twelve worshipful cathedrals, and  
 g the stately but never florid worship of several of them,  
 veneration is mingled with thanksgiving and admiration  
 passed only by wonder, I can testify in all sincerity that a  
 ervice in any one of our least elaborate churches or mission  
 s of our own diocesan domain touches a tenderer place in my  
 ons, and wakens a warmer personal sympathy, than the  
 and arches, the marble and gold, the carvings and  
 ial tablets of the grandest of them. History and art,  
 literally and visibly grooved by the knees of adoring  
 rs gone hundreds of years ago to Paradise, the echoes of  
 nthems, the fame of prelates and martyrs, are wrought  
 ie grace and majesty of those marvelous structures. Yet  
 something in myself, which the Lord of an unseen glory  
 anted there, that makes every humble sanctuary built and  
 for by those who are dear as a household, and on whose  
 my hands have laid God's gracious benediction, more  
 as to my heart than any costlier temple where His honor  
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*Confirmations.***Confirmations.**

Adams .....	6	Oriskany .....	11
Antwerp .....	5	Oswego, Christ Church,....	12
Auburn, St. John's .....	6	"    Evangelists.....	13
Baldwinsville .....	5	Owego .....	1
Binghamton, Christ Church ..	13	Paris Hill .....	5
"    Trinity, .....	28	Pierrepont Manor .....	5
"    Good Shepherd,....	23	Port Byron .....	5
Bridgewater .....	1	Port Leyden.....	1
Brookfield .....	3	Redfield .....	3
Canastota .....	3	Redwood .....	10
Cayuga .....	2	Rome, Zion.....	11
Cazenovia .....	4	Romulus .....	4
Carthage .....	5	Sacketts Harbor.....	4
Clayville .....	5	Sand Bank .....	6
Clinton.....	8	Seneca Falls .....	13
Clayton .....	3	Sherburne .....	4
Cortland .....	10	Smithboro .....	3
Dexter .....	2	Syracuse, Calvary .....	23
East Syracuse.....	16	"    Grace .....	12
Elmira, Grace. ....	35	"    St. John's .....	9
Fayetteville .....	14	"    St. Paul's .....	23
Fredericks Corners .....	1	"    Trinity.....	14
Fulton .....	7	Theresa .....	16
Greene .....	12	Utica, Calvary .....	26
Guilford.....	11	"    Grace.....	31
Holland Patent .....	19	"    Holy Cross .....	24
Hayts Corners .....	4	"    St. George's .....	11
Horseheads .....	5	"    St. Luke's .....	52
Ithaca .....	21	"    Trinity .....	13
Lacona .....	4	Van Etten.....	11
LaFargeville.....	3	Watertown, Trinity .....	16
Lowville.....	15	"    Grace .....	3
Manlius, Christ Church.....	4	Waverly.....	10
"    St. John's School .....	6	Whitesboro .....	4
Marcellus.....	7	Willard .....	9
Mexico .....	2	Willowdale .....	7
Norwich.....	4		
Oneida .....	12		

## APPENDIX 1.

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# REPORTS OF OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES,

With Accompanying Papers.

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## A. Report of the Standing Committee,

FOR THE CONVENTIONAL YEAR 1893-94.

The Standing Committee respectfully report that during the Conventional year 1893-4, they have held six meetings, the first in Grace Church, Utica, and the other five in St. Paul's Cathedral, Syracuse.

At the first meeting, held June 14th, 1893, all the clerical members, and Messrs. Salmon, Sawyer and Van Wagenen, were present, and the Committee was organized by the election of the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., President, and the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Secretary. The Treasurer submitted his estimate of expenses of the Diocese for the ensuing year as follows: Printing of Journal of Convention, and other printing, \$400; appropriation of Convention for the Bishop's traveling expenses, \$300; rent of the Episcopal residence, \$600; Secretary of Convention and Assistant Secretary, \$250; making a total of \$1,550. It was ordered that this sum be charged upon the parishes, and that they be severally notified of the amount of their assessment for the same. The President and Secretary were appointed to prepare a table to be sent to the Treasurer assigning the portion to be raised in each of the Missionary Districts of the sum of \$1,500 appropriated by the Convention for the Relief of the Bishop.

At the second meeting, held September 19th, 1893, the Rev. Drs Brainard, Babcock and Lockwood, and of the laity Messrs. Salmon, Sawyer and VanWagenen were present. Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Joseph Blount Cheshire, D. D., as the Assistant Bishop of North Carolina. Testimonials were signed by all present, recommending that Messrs. Charles E. S. Rasay, Charles Winfred Douglas, George Wharton McMullin and Parker Fenno be admitted by the Bishop to the Order of Deacons.

The third meeting was held December 11th, 1893, all the clerical members, and Messrs. Salmon, Green and Van Wagenen being in attendance. A communication was received from the Bishop stating that in the case of postulants asking to be made candidates the term of their candidateship should in future date from the passing of their papers by the Standing Committee. Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Arthur C. A. Hall, as Bishop of Vermont. The proper testimonials having been presented, the Rev. Messrs. William Herbert Hawken, Earle Henry Kenyon and Frank Miller Baum, Deacons, were recommended to the Bishop to be advanced to the order of Priests, and Mr. Francis Wm. Maccaud was recommended to be admitted a candidate for Holy Orders. The application to the cases of Mr. Hawken and Mr. Baum of the provisions of Section 4, Canon 9, Title I, as to term of

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candidateship was advised and consented to. Action upon papers presented by the Rev. Charles T. Raynor, Deacon, asking to be recommended for advancement to the Priesthood, was postponed, such action at the present time being, in the judgment of the Committee, not in accord with Section 3, of Canon 9. The Rev. Herbert E. Bowers, having recently removed to this Diocese from Mississippi, and applying for advancement to the Priesthood, it was voted that, in the opinion of the Committee, his ordination would be consonant with the Canons, on presentation of a certificate from the Bishop or Secretary of the Standing Committee of Mississippi, stating that the canonical requirements for such ordination had been fulfilled in that Diocese.

At the fourth meeting, held February 6th, 1894, all the clerical members and Messrs. Salmon, Green, and Sawyer were present. The proper testimonials having been presented, Mr. Burr Miller Weeden was recommended to be admitted a Candidate for Holy Orders. Papers presented by the Rev. Messrs. Charles Tefft Raynor, Edward Burdick Doolittle, and Joseph Hypkin Brown, being, in view of Canon 10, Section I, paragraph (a) considered premature at the present time, action upon them was deferred. The Secretary was instructed to place upon record the appointment of the committee by the Bishop to represent the Diocese in the Council of the five Dioceses of the State, and their attendance at such Council in the city of New York on the 24th of January, 1894. Mr. William D. Dunning acted by appointment in the place of Mr. Thomas D. Green, and Dr. Gibson and Mr. Salmon were unable to be present.

At the fifth meeting, held May 8th, 1894, all the clerical members, and Messrs. Salmon and Green were in attendance. On presentation of the proper testimonials, papers were signed recommending for ordination to the Diaconate, Messrs. Burr M. Weeden, George Maxwell, George Fletcher Potter, Christopher John Lambert, David B. Matthews and Albert E. Bentley, the Committee consenting and advising by vote of all present that the shortening of the term of candidateship allowed by Canon 7, Section III, be granted in the case of Mr. Weeden. Messrs. Frederick B. Keable and Henry E. Hubbard were recommended to be received as Candidates for Holy Orders. Consent was given to the Consecration of the Rev. John B. Newton, M. D., as Assistant Bishop of Virginia.

The sixth meeting was held June 12th, 1894. All the members were present. The proper testimonials having been received, Mr. William Harnan Van Allen was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Diaconate. The following minute was ordered to be entered on the records and the Secretary was instructed to send a copy of it to the Bishop of the Diocese.

In recognition of the completion of the twenty-five years of our Diocese's existence, it being also the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Consecration of our honored and beloved Bishop, the Right Reverend Frederic Dan Huntington, S. T. D., LL. D., we desire hereby to express our sense of the goodness of Almighty God, as manifested not only in many signal blessings conferred upon our Diocese during the passing of this quarter of a century, but especially in putting it into the hearts of the founders of the Diocese to make choice for the first Bishop of Central New York of one so eminently fitted for the sacred duties of the Episcopal office.

In the multiplication of parishes, the building of churches, the founding of institutions of mercy and of Christian learning, and in manifold like tokens of the prosperity and growth which have characterized our Diocesan history hitherto, a growth and prosperity to many not conversant with the facts surprisingly disclosed in the many valuable historical sermons recently preached throughout the Diocese, we gratefully recognize visible and striking proofs of the wisdom of that primary choice, calling to the foundation work in this fertile section of our Lord's Kingdom, the indefatigable zeal and

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industry, the extraordinary intellectual gifts, the devoted spirit, the consecrated life of our distinguished and revered Father in God.

May the divine favor which has vouchsafed us during the whole of our existence thus far so illustrious and efficient a leader, grant that he may still, for many years to come, go in and out among us, discharging as hitherto the gracious functions of his holy office as a Bishop in the Church of God.

The Secretary's report of proceedings during the year was approved and ordered to be presented to the Convention.

All which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the Committee.

H. R. LOCKWOOD,

*Secretary.*

**B. Missions of the Diocese.**

**(1) Report of the Board of Managers.**

The Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions of the Diocese of Central New York respectfully report:

Two meetings have been held during the year. On June 14th, 1893, the Twenty-fifth Annual Convention of the Diocese being then in session, the Board met in the chapel of Grace Church, Utica, and the following assessments and apportionments were ordered:

First District, Assessed.....	\$1,500	Apportioned....	\$1,900
Second District, " .....	2,850	" ....	2,150
Third District, " .....	2,250	" ....	1,300
Fourth District, " .....	2,600	" ....	1,700
Fifth District, " .....	1,400	" ....	1,600
Sixth District, " .....	1,250	" ...	2,150

The sum of \$1,200 was voted to be apportioned, at the discretion of the Bishop, to the Church mission to deaf mutes in the Diocese, the Associate mission, Syracuse, and St. Joseph's Church, Rome.

A second meeting of the Board was held, on call of the Bishop, in the chapel of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse, on Tuesday, June 12th, 1894. The Treasurer presented his report, which is herewith submitted, and the subjoined reports from the different districts were read and ordered to be presented to the Convention.

**FIRST DISTRICT.**

The first Missionary District of the Diocese comprises the counties of Jefferson and Lewis. The mission parishes and stations are: In Jefferson County, Adams, Fredericks Corners, Antwerp, Evans Mills, Brownville, Woods Falls, North Watertown, Cape Vincent, Millens Bay, Clayton, LaFargeville, Pierrepont Manor, Ellisburgh, Sacketts Harbor, Dexter, Redwood, Theresa, Champion and Great Bend; in Lewis County, Copenhagen, Constableville, Port Leyden and Greig.

The officers of the District are: The Rev. W. H. Bown, Dean; the Rev. Wm. G. Bentley, Secretary; Mr. J. M. Tilden, Treasurer; the Rev. F. P. Winne and Mr. J. M. Tilden, Delegates to the Board of Managers.

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	Assessment from July, 1893, to July, 1894.	Paid from May, 1893, to May, 1894.	Stipend granted.
Adams .....	\$61 75	\$43 65	\$300 00
Fredericks Corners.....	3 80	3 37	
Antwerp .....	42 75	42 60	200 00
Evans Mills.....	10 83	15 56	
Brownville ... ..	28 50	26 09	200 00
Wood's Falls .....	4 75	4 00	
North Watertown .....	17 00	20 82	
Cape Vincent .....	50 35	94 40	150 00
Millens Bay .....		2 41	
Clayton.....	83 12	85 48	200 00
LaFargeville .....	24 22	22 50	
Pierrepont Manor .....	24 13	20 18	100 00
Ellisburgh ... ..	4 37	7 06	
Sackett's Harbor.....	54 91	48 43	150 00
Dexter .....	3 80		
Redwood.....	22 70	28 39	200 00
Theresa .....	19 00	30 76	
Copenhagen .....	23 75	22 77	200 00
Champion .....	4 75	5 80	
Constableville .....	48 07	51 82	250 00
Port Leyden .....	15 96	16 19	
Greig .....		1 49	
Great Bend .....	2 37		
Lowville .....	95 00	66 82	
Watertown, Trinity, .....	485 16	668 28	
“ Grace .....	285 00	192 26	
Carthage .. ..	97 09	79 20	
	<hr/> \$1,513 13	<hr/> \$1,600 33	<hr/> \$1,950 00

The arrangement of Adams and Frederick's Corners as indicated has been in operation since February 1st, 1894, only. Previous to that time, the Rector of Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor, had charge of the mission at Worth, and his stipend was \$100 more than at present. Adams then received \$200 stipend and had no mission attached.

The work of the District has been on the whole gratifying. It has gone quietly but steadily in spite of difficulties. Services have been maintained on the greater part of the year in all the mission stations. The Dean has devoted much time and attention to the details which his duties involved. He has his reward in the satisfaction derived from increased offerings and a growing interest manifest in several fields of missionary effort.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. BOWN, *Dean,*

W. GORTON BENTLEY, *Secretary*

## SECOND DISTRICT.

The Second Missionary District comprises Oneida County and Madison County, except the townships including the parishes of Cazenovia, Canastota, Chittenango and Perryville.

The mission parishes and stations are: In Oneida County, Augustus, Oriskany Falls, Boonville, Clayville, Bridgewater, Camden, Clark's Mills, Westmoreland, Durhamville, Holland Patent, New York Mills, St. Joseph's, Rome, Whitesboro, Oriskany, Paris Hill and Forestport; in Madison County, Brookfield and Earlville.

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The officers of the district are: The Rev. Oliver Owen, Dean; the Rev. James J. Burd, Secretary; Mr. Chas. S. Symonds, Treasurer; members of the Board of Managers, the Rev. C. T. Olmsted, D. D., and Mr. J. V. H. Lovill.

Sum assessed on this district by the Board of Missions,..	\$2,850 00
Sum allowed the district for its own use .....	2,250 00
Sum appropriated to the parishes and missions.....	2,200 00
Sum paid to the stipendiaries .....	1,941 66
Offerings for the year as given in the District Treasurer's Report of April 25th, 1893, .....	1,967 39
Offerings for same time plus balance carried over from last year .....	2,695 93
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer of the Board of Missions from this district .....	754 27

It is believed that small sums of money were sent from a few parishes direct Mr. Gardner. which are not credited to the District in the report. In cases where we have learned of the amount, we have added it to the Treasurer's report.

The following table is taken from the report of the Treasurer of the district of date April 24th. It will be seen that some few parishes paid little or no heed to their canonical obligation in the matter of taking regular offerings for Diocesan Missions, yet the average has been fairly well maintained by the general faithfulness of the others.

	Yearly Assessment.	Assessment Paid.	Appropriation.	Appropriation Paid.
{ Augusta .....	\$12 00	\$11 00	\$150 00	\$150 00
{ Oriskany Falls.....	30 00	19 26		
Boonville .....	27 00		125 00	62 50
{ Clayville .....	15 00	13 45		
{ Bridgewater.....	15 00	15 97	300 00	225 00
{ Brookfield.....	8 00	2 56		
Camden.....	36 00	29 83	125 00	125 00
{ Clark's Mills .....	12 00	12 00	300 00	300 00
{ Westmoreland .....	36 00	29 90		
Clinton .....	96 00	89 61		
Durhamville .....	6 00	3 10		
Earlville .....	18 00	12 20	250 00	125 00
Forestport .....	27 00	5 36	200 00	150 00
Holland Patent.....	30 00	24 05	200 00	204 16
Hamilton .....	60 00	44 52		
New Hartford.....	60 00	41 75		
Oneida.....	96 00	55 67		
{ New York Mills .....	15 00	5 69		
{ Whitesboro ...	54 00	37 23		300 00
{ Oriskany.....	36 00	20 16		
Paris Hill.....	28 00	28 00	250 00	250 00
Rome, Zion .....	290 00	188 27		
" St. Joseph's....	12 00	5 60		25 00
Utica, Trinity .....	267 00	181 03		
" Grace .....	810 00	842 90		
" Calvary.....	267 00	106 00		
" St. George's....	84 00			
" St. Luke's .....	180 00	7 74		
" Holy Cross.....	85 00	85 40		
" St. Andrew's,..	6 00	10 00		
Waterville .....	120 00	61 18		

For clerical services in the District, \$25.



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The Rev. E. B. Doolittle cares for Bridgewater, Clayville and Brookfield. The missionary reports a great revival of church life in Bridgewater and Clayville. Particulars will be found in the parochial reports of these parishes. Brookfield is a comparatively speaking new work in a section of Madison County where the Church is little known. But the work there is not without hope. Services are held regularly by the missionary, and when owing to severity of the weather or other causes he is not able to be present, Capt. Mayne reads the service very acceptably. The neat chapel is estimated to be worth about \$1,500, and nearly \$500 have been spent in improving it, leaving a debt of \$178 and a mortgage of \$500 on the original purchase. The Rev. R. E. Whipple, of Paris Hill, by arrangement with the Convocation, occasionally administers the Holy Communion in these places.

The Rev. Charles T. Raynor in charge of Augusta and Oriskany Falls reports little change in the work from other years. The mission services at Hatfield school house were discontinued last October, as Mr. Hamlin, the lay reader, who had for so long rendered faithful service there, removed to St. Andrew's, Syracuse; however, many who used to attend the school services have been induced by the missionary to attend the services at Oriskany Falls. Many improvements have been made in the interior of the church, and a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary and also a branch of the Junior Auxiliary have been organized in this mission.

The Dean of the Convocation, with the assistance of two lay readers, students in Hamilton College, takes care of Westmoreland and Clark's Mills.

Forestport and Boonville—the last parish without any regular services during the year—will be in charge of the Rev. W. Price James, beginning June 1. It is a great source of satisfaction to the Convocation to know that these two promising parishes will have the spiritual care of a resident priest. We will look for abundant fruits from these interesting portions of the Lord's vineyard.

Oriskany, Whitesboro and New York Mills lost a faithful and devoted pastor and priest when the Rev. J. K. Parker accepted a call to Grace Church, Waterville, but happily for the work there the vacancy was promptly filled by the appointment of Rev. A. Harper, Jr. Mr. Parker left New York Mills mission with a neat church, well furnished and free from debt, as some of the apparent fruit of his patient and devoted services in that field.

St. Joseph's, Rome, since the Rev. Mr. Hayman resigned, has been supplied with lay services from Syracuse.

Durhamville is in charge of Rev. John Arthur, rector of St. John's Church, Oneida, who is assisted by the faithful lay reader, Mr. D. Ward Clarke, who for twenty years has conducted services there. He reports the attendance good notwithstanding removals. There have been received gifts of embroidered altar linen, new cushions for the pews, and a handsome silver communion service. The church building has been recently painted.

The Rev. E. C. Alcorn is in charge of Earlville.

In this report mention is made only incidentally of the parishes receiving stipends, and then only in connection with some mission grouped with them. For particulars the parochial reports must be sought.

Considering that the last conventional year saw a serious business depression in many of our parishes, the offerings for diocesan missions have been very generally fairly well sustained.

A marked revival of interest is found in our several Convocation meetings. This must result ultimately in a healthy increase in offerings.

Our Convocation, therefore, closes this report in a spirit of thankfulness to God for His blessing on our labors during the past year and in a spirit of joyful hopefulness for the future.

OLIVER OWEN, *Dean.*  
JAMES J. BURD, *Secretary.*

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THIRD DISTRICT.

The Third District Missionary Convocation embraces the counties of Broome and Chenango, in which the mission parishes and stations are : Afton, Bainbridge, Chenango Forks, Guilford, Harpursville, McDonough, Mount Upton, Whitney's Point and Windsor.

The officers of the District are : Rev. R. G. Quennell, Dean : Rev. Antoine G. Singsen, Secretary ; Mr. Joseph Juliand, Treasurer ; the Rev. Alex. H. Rogers and Mr. Horace O. Moss, delegates to the Board of Managers.

St. Ann's Church, Afton, in charge of the Rev. Mr. Singsen, has suffered during the year from deaths and removals. So much so indeed that it is improbable the people will be able to do as much toward the maintainance of services as heretofore, but on the other hand St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge, Mr. Singsen's other charge, has been gathering strength during the past twelve months, so that the loss in the one it is hoped may be cancelled by a gain in the other parish. The church building at Bainbridge has been repaired and made beautiful, choir stalls have been introduced and at Easter a vested choir of thirty-five voices sang for the first time, adding greatly to the beauty of the service. With a minister so acceptable and so earnest and energetic as Mr. Singsen, the work in this field cannot but prosper, and while there is still reason for the expression of a hope that Bainbridge will soon be able to relinquish the aid which it has received for so many years from the missionary fund of the Diocese, it is perfectly proper to say that the money used in this field is well spent, and yields fruit.

St. John's Church, Chenango Forks, has been closed during the greater part of the year; the Dean of the District found it impossible to continue his visits to this place, without interfering materially with his own work, and so the only services held were for about three months last summer, when a theological student took up his residence there and supplied regularly every Sunday and on Friday evenings. If this mission could be joined with Whitney's Point, something might be done, but until then it seems likely that only an occasional service can be given.

Under the wise and gentle oversight of the Rev. G. G. Perrine, the parish at Guilford has prospered during the year. Notwithstanding the monetary depression from which the country generally has suffered beyond anything known heretofore to the present generation, everything has kept along here and flourished more than in past times. The offerings for missions have been large, while the interests of the parish itself have not been forgotten. At the present time the work of repairing the parish church is in progress. A new roof of slate is being put on, and the building is not only being improved but enlarged, the money to do the work is in hand and by the fall it is expected that a most convenient, comfortable, as well as beautiful place of worship will show the results of the energy and zeal of Mr. Perrine and his people. The services have been maintained and attended as usual, large congregations being present as a rule. The Parish Chapter of the St. Andrew's Brotherhood has been revived and its numbers largely increased. And at a recent visitation of the Bishop of Maine eleven persons were confirmed. In the face of this report it is plain to be seen that the missionary money used to aid this field is profitably bestowed.

Grace Church, Mt. Upton, the other part of Rev. Mr. Perrine's field, gives but little sign of improvement. A few persons always come out to divine service, but they are a "feeble folk" in this place, and the prospect of growth or of activity is very slight. All is being done there that can be done, and the "Fenno Tudor" endowment is a great help in defraying the expenses of the work.

The oldest parish in the District, St. Luke's Harpursville, continued under the charge of the Rev. Mr. Howells, of the Diocese of Albany until the early fall when

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he left his work at Sidney. Since that time it has been found impossible to fill the place, separated as it has been from Windsor, and the church has been closed excepting when some neighboring clergyman could make it convenient to officiate. The Rev. Mr. Singsen has given one Sunday service; the Rev. Dr. Clover, of the Diocese of New York, two Sunday services; the Rev. Mr. Sands, of Windsor, officiated on five week nights during Lent; and since then the Dean of the District has given several week night services which will be continued until something better can be done, which seems more likely than heretofore, since the occurrence of a vacancy in the parish at Windsor. The Harpursville people are very anxious to have a clergyman among them, and will try to do their utmost toward his support when one shall be sent to them. (Since this report was drawn up arrangements have been made for services during the summer in both Windsor and Harpursville.)

In Calvary Mission, McDonough, under the care of the Rev. William Higgs, the work goes on encouragingly. There is little of special interest to report, but the offerings for Diocesan missions have increased not a little. The church property has been insured for three years. The mission is free from debt and everything is well kept up. At a recent meeting of the trustees it was resolved to adopt the envelope system for parochial support, and it is earnestly hoped that by this instrumentality the mission will be able to help itself more than it has done heretofore. The services are well and regularly attended by the people of the mission, and the drift of the outlying population is Churchward.

The Rev. James A. Robinson continues to labor diligently and acceptably at Whitney's Point. This mission is not a strong or flourishing one by any means, but yet it shows that the fostering care bestowed upon it has not been in vain. The services are maintained with systematic regularity and the people seem to appreciate the blessing of the Church. The mission offerings are regularly made and seem to be commensurate to the ability of the people.

The Rev. Mr. Sands continued his most acceptable and faithful services at Zion Church, Windsor, notwithstanding the hindrance of impaired health until the first of April, when he was compelled to relinquish his work for a time and seek recuperation in perfect rest. At the expiration of a month his physician advised him to give up entirely for at least a year, which he has decided to do, and has taken up his abode in Dansville, in the Western Diocese. His removal creates a vacancy at Windsor which it is earnestly hoped may be speedily filled, and if the Harpursville parish can be reunited with it, and the generous contribution towards the support of a minister by a parishioner of Windsor be continued, the support will be sufficient to secure the services of some clergyman who will be able to take care of the whole field embraced in the two parishes.

At the meeting of the Board of Managers in June, 1893, the Dean of this District volunteered to make the effort to raise \$2,250 of the whole sum required to carry on the missionary work during the year, but the parishes of the District having stated to him pretty generally the utter impossibility of raising more than the amounts assessed on them the previous year, those amounts were continued; and as Madison county was at the last Convention taken away from this District, the assessments in that county were deducted, and it was found that the sums for which the District should be assessed amount to \$1,085. It is also found by reference to the report of the Treasurer of the District that the amount actually raised during the year was \$1,730.60. In view of the fact that this year has been one of unexampled monetary depression, it seems as though this District ought to be congratulated upon having done so well, and if the Diocese with its 16,045 communicants has done as well, then \$11,800 have been contributed for missions in the Diocese during the past year.

R. G. QUENNELL, *Dean.*  
ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, *Secretary.*

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FOURTH DISTRICT.

The Fourth Missionary District comprises Onondaga, Oswego and Cortland counties, and the townships of Madison county not included in the second district.

The mission stations are: In Onondaga county, the Associate Mission, Syracuse, the Indian Reservation and Manlius with Jamesville—Marcellus has received no stipend this year; in Oswego county, Cleveland with Constantia, Fulton, Lacona with Redfield and Sandbank, Mexico and Pulaski; in Madison county, Canastota with Chittenango.

The officers are: Dean, the Rev. P. N. Meade; Secretary, the Rev. W. DeL. Wilson; Treasurer, Mr. George J. Gardner; members of the Board of Managers, the Secretary and Mr. George C. McWhorter.

The Associate Mission, consisting of Calvary, Syracuse, Emmanuel, East Syracuse, and St. Luke's Mission, Syracuse, is under the charge of the Rev. J. E. Johnson, with Messrs. George Maxwell and D. B. Matthews, candidates for Holy Orders, as assistants.

The Sunday School at Calvary is reported as reaching a larger number of children than in previous years, and so bringing them under the influence of the church. At St. Luke's there is a flourishing Sunday School; there is also evening prayer and sermon Sundays, with a good attendance, mostly of young people.

Emmanuel, East Syracuse, reports increased interest in the congregation, evidenced by attendance and provision for the enlargement of the church building.

The stipend provided by the Diocese is \$400. The offerings have been, Calvary, \$18.75; Emmanuel, \$7.52. The assessments, \$25 and \$10.

The Rev. John Scott and the Rev. Albert Cusick, native deacon, minister faithfully and effectively to the spiritual needs of the red man at the Reservation. The services of the church are maintained with regularity, and there is some gain from year to year in the membership of the mission. This mission is also supported by funds not controlled by the Convocation.

The Rev. Dr. Babcock, of Manlius, with Mr. C. J. Lambert, candidate for Holy Orders, maintain regular services at Christ Church, Manlius, and St. Mark's, Jamesville. The faithful women and young girls of Manlius deserve especial notice for their missionary zeal shown in their labors. The director of the Junior Auxiliary, Miss Mary Babcock, has published a most excellent history of the church in this Diocese, in the form of a catechism for the instruction of young churchmen. The stipend appropriated is \$200; the offerings, Manlius, \$40, Jamesville, \$25, against assessments of \$50 and \$20.

The venerable Robert Paul, of St. James, Pulaski, reports that he has held the full complement of services in the parish church, though advancing years forbid his attempting missionary work in other towns. He reports also many proofs of love and sympathy from his devoted flock, and that there is some increase in souls and offerings, in spite of the drift of population to the larger towns. The stipend is \$200, the offerings \$36.01, the assessment \$30.

The Rev. George L. Neide, of Cleveland, reports regular services, good congregations, seven persons received from the Roman communion and the payment in full of Diocesan assessments. The stipend is \$300, the offerings \$25, the assessment \$25.

Zion, Fulton, is in most encouraging condition under the Rev. H. M. Clarke, Ph. D., and hopes soon to become self-supporting again. The congregations are increasing and the financial condition is good. The stipend is \$200, the assessment \$55, and has been paid.

Mexico has been served by Mr. Webbe, of St. Andrew's Divinity School, who reports united effort on the part of the flock, good attendance at the services and increase in the Sunday School. The stipend is \$100, the assessment \$30, the offering \$27.08.

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The Rev. Daniel Daly has been appointed over the united missions of Lacona, Redfield and Sandbank. With his well known zeal he covers the ground and makes the church known wherever he goes. The stipend is \$250; the offerings have been: Sandbank, \$10.18; Kasoag, \$4.15; Lacona, \$2.62. The assessment is \$10.

Calvary, Homer, receives no stipend from the Fourth District, as it is assisted in supporting the deacon in charge, the Rev. Parker Fenno, by the mission at McLean. The offerings are \$2.75, the assessment \$25.

The Rev. George H. Ottaway, deacon in charge of Canastota and Chittenango, reports regular services, increasing congregations and Sunday School, and Lenten week-day services at Canastota. The stipend is \$150, the offerings have been \$14.40 and \$9.46, the assessments \$15 and \$10.

Mr. G. A. Davidson, a postulant for Holy Orders, reports interesting work at Cigarville, where he is acting as superintendent of a Sunday School assembled in a Lutheran Church. The Prayer Book is used for the services, and the people are willing to accept the teaching and service of the Catholic Church, but not its name.

The assessments and offerings not included above are as follows:

	Assessment.	Offerings.
Grace, Baldwinsville,.....	\$90 00	\$ 53 30
Trinity, Fayetteville .....	60 00	23 37
Christ Church, Jordan,.....	25 00	8 40
St. James', Skaneateles,.....	225 00	181 60
Syracuse, Grace,.....	70 00	25 64
“ St. James’,.....	100 00	.....
“ St. John’s,.....	70 00	41 45
“ St. Mark’s, .....	65 00	35 00
“ St. Paul’s, .....	650 00	417 55
“ Trinity .....	100 00	9 30
Oswego, Christ Church, .....	365 00	227 88
“ Evangelists’.....	50 00	20 00
Grace, Cortland,.....	75 00	76 59
St. Peter’s, Cazenovia .....	150 00	159 64
St. John’s, Marcus,.....	25 00	7 30

P. N. MEADE, Dean.  
W. DEL. WILSON, Secretary.

FIFTH DISTRICT.

The Fifth Missionary District comprises the counties of Seneca and Cayuga. The mission parishes and stations are: In Seneca county, Willoughdale, Dey’s Landing, Romulus, Jerusalem, Willard and Hayt’s Corners; Cayuga county, Aurora, Union Springs, Cayuga, Moravia, Weedsport, Port Byron, and St. John’s Church, Auburn.

The officers are: The Rev. R. M. Duff, S. T. D., Dean; the Rev. C. W. MacNish, Secretary; Mr. A. N. Hollister, Treasurer; members of the Board of Managers, the Secretary and Treasurer.

St. Stephen’s Church, Romulus, reports: During the year ending May 1, 1894, 113 services have been held, at four of which the Holy Communion was administered. There have been four infants baptized and two adults. At the Episcopal visitation of Bishop Neely, of Maine, acting for Bishop Huntington, four candidates were confirmed. A Sunday School was started last fall with two classes, an infant class and a Bible class. Since then another class has been formed for children between the ages of ten and fifteen years. Regularly every third Sunday in the month an offering has been made for Diocesan Missions. During the year two new “ Rochester ” lamps have

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been placed in the church, giving much better light. The growth of the church, though not large, has been healthy. All seem to be striving to do their best. The mission lost during the year Mr. Dwight A. Parce, who had faithfully served there as lay reader for more than two years. He has left behind him many firm friends. The present lay reader is Mr. H. H. Fox, a student at Hobart College.

Miss M. E. Halsey, faithful and devoted as ever, reports as follows, from November, 1893, to May, 1894: Grace Church, Willowdale: Offerings—Diocesan Missions \$17.38. Bishop's Relief Fund \$2.87, General Fund \$4, Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund \$2.40, the Bishop's Anniversary \$4; Missions to Jews 75 cents. Twenty-six Sunday and eight week day services have been held. The Holy Communion has been celebrated six times in public and twice in private. There have been four baptisms and seven persons confirmed. St. Faith's Guild reports seventeen meetings from November, 1893, to May, 1894, quantities of clothing repaired and given away, and much literature distributed.

During the same period St. Andrew's, Dey's Landing, has given \$2.20 for Diocesan Missions, and twenty-six Sunday services have been held there with one celebration of the Holy Communion.

Jerusalem mission reports twenty-four Sunday services during the six months ending April 30th, and offerings for Diocesan Missions and the Bishop's Anniversary of \$2.34.

St. Barnabas Mission, Seneca County House, reports from November, 1893, to May, 1894, visits and prayers with inmates four, candy and oranges for Christmas treat, \$5. A special appeal in behalf of the inmates was made before the Board of Supervisors on November 24th. Miss Halsey adds, "I feel constrained to appeal to the Board of Missions for an appropriation to help carry on these missions and charitable organizations. We need some money very much, and as we constantly make offerings for Diocesan objects, we do not hesitate to ask for it."

Rev. C. N. C. Brown, rector of St. John's, Auburn, has been quite successful during the past year in building up the congregation and increasing the offerings. Mr. W. H. Nagell, a communicant in this parish and a member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, reported that a mission had been started by the Brotherhood at Spring Lake with flattering success. The services are largely attended and much interest is manifested. Forty-six services have been held and \$60 contributed towards the support of the work. In a building now being erected a hall is to be set apart for the use of the mission.

At St. Matthew's, Moravia, the work is going on prosperously under the efficient rectorship of the Rev. Dr. Murray. Services at stated intervals were also held by him at Kelloggsville with a goodly attendance.

The work at Port Byron has gone on during the last year with steady growth and many signs of Christian devotion under the services of Mr. L. J. Christler, a lay reader.

Rev. Dr. Duff, the efficient Dean of the Convocation, in addition to his arduous duties as rector of St. Paul's parish, Waterloo, has visited the missions at Willowdale, Dey's Landing, Romulus, and Jerusalem during the year, and during the visits has administered Holy Baptism to eight souls, and celebrated the Holy Communion on several occasions.

The Rev. C. W. MacNash reports as to the work in his cure that the prospects have never looked brighter. At Hayt's Corners he has baptized three and presented twelve for confirmation. At Willard he has baptized nine and presented a class of ten for confirmation.

The Dean reports that during the year he has visited eight mission stations, baptized five adults and three infants, and celebrated the Holy Communion three times.



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	Assessment.	Offerings from May, 1893, to May, 1894.	Offerings from July, 1893, to May, 1894 -
St. Peter's, Auburn,.....	\$340 00	\$332 00	\$272 00
St. John's, ".....	32 50	29 00	25 00
St. Matthew's, Moravia.....	75 00	77 93	62 93
Grace, Union Springs, .....	39 00	29 80	23 50
St. Luke's, Cayuga,.....	26 00	28 70	24 50
St. Paul's Aurora, .....	58 50	54 50	49 00
Weedsport .....	10 00	4 59	1 48
Port Byron, .....	5 00	2 02	41
Willard .....	85 00	91 16	72 01
Hayt's Corners, ....	21 50	21 58	18 46
Romulus .....	35 00	32 74	32 74
Dey's Landing.....	13 00	6 65	5 96
Willowdale.....	32 50	29 85	28 45
Jerusalem (Mission)....	6 00	5 63	4 64
Waterloo .....	217 00	204 26	173 76
Seneca Falls,.....	300 00	259 11	232 11
Kidder's Ferry,.....	10 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$1,306 00	\$1,209 47	\$1,027 96

R. M. DUFF, *Dean.*  
C. W. MacNISH, *Secretary.*

SIXTH DISTRICT.

The Sixth Missionary District comprises Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins counties. The mission parishes and stations are: In Chemung county. Big Flats, Horseheads, Emmanuel, Elmira, Wellsburg, and Millport; in Tioga county, Candor, Smithboro, Spencer, Van Etten and Waverly; in Tompkins county, McLean, Slaterville, Speedsville and Trumansburg. The officers are the Rev. G. H. McKnight, D.D., Dean; the Rev. Charles Donohue, Secretary; Mr. H. V. Bostwick, of Ithaca, Treasurer. Members of the Diocesan Board of Managers, the Rev. Charles Donohue, and Mr. Luther Barney, of Elmira.

The Rev. D. L. Ferris is at Big Flats and Horseheads. Two services are held each Sunday at the latter place and one at the former. Interest in the Church has revived considerably in both places.

The Rev. C. D. Atwell is at Emmanuel, Elmira, and Christ Church, Wellsburg. At Emmanuel, Elmira, the attendance at the services has much increased, and the faithfulness of the people is quite marked; but as most of the parishioners are wage earners, and have been employed much less regularly than usual during the past year, the offerings have not been as large as formerly.

The Wellsburg mission has grown during the year and is in good condition.

The Rev. W. H. Hawken is at St. Mark's, Millport. He has held one service each Sunday, and several week-day services. Nine persons have been confirmed and twelve have been baptized. Over \$300 have been raised towards a pipe organ and the church is quite prosperous.

The Rev. J. F. Esch holds regular services at Candor and Smithboro.

The Rev. G. Wharton McMullen is at Van Etten and Spencer. The church at Van Etten grows steadily. Mission services were held in Septuagesima week by the rector, assisted by the neighboring clergy. Eleven have been confirmed.

A service is held in the Town Hall in Spencer every Sunday afternoon and occasionally on week days. The congregations are increasing in size.

The Rev. Charles Donohue is at Waverly. In every way there has been

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improvement during the year. The congregations are much larger than they have been and the coming year bids fair to be more prosperous than the past.

The Rev. Parker Fenno, besides the regular fortnightly Sunday service, holds a service at McLean on Thursdays fortnightly, followed by a teachers meeting. The result has been good attendance and renewed interest. Regular weekly services have not been given this parish since it had a resident rector some thirty years ago.

The Rev. C. W. MacNish holds services at Slaterville and Speedsville, assisted by a lay reader. A comfortable church has been recently built at Slaterville, and is now ready for consecration. Both missions have given liberally to Diocesan Missions. The Rev. Moses Coit Tyler, LL. D., has rendered most valuable and acceptable services at Slaterville.

Trumansburg has had no clerical services during the year and has made no report of services to the Convocation. The parish is out of debt and hopes soon to have a rector.

The Rev. J. H. Kidder, of Owego, reports occasional missionary services at the Glen Mary Home in that village.

The Rev. G. H. McKnight, D. D., reports missionary services at the Reformatory and the Arnot-Ogden Hospital in Elmira.

The sum assessed to this district is \$1,250. The appropriation to it is \$2,150.

	Assessment July, 1893, to July, 1894.	Amount paid May, 1893, to May, 1894.	Stipends	Paid for Stipends April, 1893, to April, 1894.
Trinity, Elmira .....	\$300 00	\$237 81		
St. John's, Ithaca.....	300 00	255 87		
Grace, Elmira.....	100 00	85 66		
St. Agnes, Elmira.....	10 00			
St. Paul's, Owego.....	70 00	72 55		
Grace, Waverly.....	35 00	29 63	\$300 00	\$300 00
Emmanuel, Elmira .....	30 00		500 00	500 00
Epiphany, Trumansburg ..	75 00	8 13	200 00	
St. Mark's, Candor.....	30 00	25 50	150 00	125 00
St. Matthew's, Horseheads..	25 00	26 65	200 00	150 00
St. Mark's, Millport .....	20 00	20 00	150 00	162 50
Zion, McLean .....	20 00	13 01	100 00	45 83
St. John's, Spencer .....	10 00	8 68		
St. Thomas, Van Etten ...	20 00	13 26	200 00	200 01
Christ Church, Wellsburg..	10 00	13 15	100 00	100 00
Emmanuel, Smithboro ....	10 00	7 25	150 00	150 00
St. John's, Big Flats.....	15 00	14 00	200 00	150 00
St. John's, Speedsville ....	5 00	1 20		
Slaterville.....	10 00	20 05		
Now in 4th District ..	3 82			
Grace, Cortland .....	28 92			
Total.....	\$1,095 00	\$885 14	\$2,250 00	\$1,883 34

In addition to the above the Rev. W. E. Wright, of Grace Church, Elmira, says that \$125 of the assessment upon his parish in the year July 1, 1892, to July 1, 1893, will be paid.

At the Convocation meeting in May, 1894, stipends were asked for Spencer, Slaterville and Speedsville, and the matter was laid over until July meeting.

G. H. McKNIGHT, *Dean*.  
CHARLES DONOHUE, *Secretary*.



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A comparison of these reports with those of the preceeding year gives cause for profound gratitude that, in a year when people generally have reduced their expenses along all possible lines, the offerings for the Missions of the Diocese have fallen off so little. Under more favorable financial conditions it is probable that the offerings during the past year would have aggregated a sum larger than ever before.

Respectfully submitted for the Board of Managers

WM. BOURS CLARKE, *Secretary*.

## (2.) Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers.

## DISTRICT No. 1.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
{ Emmanuel, Adams .....	\$61 75	\$43 65	\$300 00
{ Frederick's Corners .....	3 80	3 37	
{ St. Paul's, Antwerp.....	47 75	42 60	200 00
{ Evan's Mills .....	10 83	15 56	
{ St. Paul's, Brownville,.....	28 50	26 09	200 00
{ Wood's Falls .....	4 75	4 00	
{ Redeemer, North Watertown,	17 00	20 82	
{ St. John's, Cape Vincent,.....	50 35	94 40	150 00
{ Millen's Bay.....		2 41	
Grace, Carthage,.....	97 09	79 20	
{ St. John's, Champion,....	4 75	5 80	200 00
{ Grace, Copenhagen,.....	23 75	22 77	
{ Christ Church, Clayton,.....	83 12	85 48	200 00
{ Grace, La Fargeville, .....	24 22	22 50	
All Saints, Dexter,.....	3 80		
Christ Church, Ellisburgh, ...	4 37	7 03	100 00
Zion, Pierrepont Manor, .....	24 13	22 00	
{ St. Peter's, Redwood, ...	22 70	28 39	200 00
{ St. James', Theresa, .....	19 00	30 76	
Trinity, Great Bend, ...	2 37		
Christ Ch., Sackett's Harbor, .	54 31	48 43	150 00
Grace, Watertown, .....	285 00	192 26	
Trinity, " .....	485 16	628 24	
{ St. Paul's, Constableville, ....	48 07	51 82	250 00
{ St. Mark's, Port Leyden,.....	16 96	16 19	
{ Greig .....		1 49	
Trinity, Lowville,.....	95 00	66 82	
	<u>\$1,519 13</u>	<u>\$1,562 15</u>	<u>\$1,950 00</u>

## DISTRICT No. 2.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
St. Andrew's, Augusta,.....	\$12 00	\$11 00	
Trinity, Boonville,.....	27 00		\$125 00
Christ Church, Bridgewater...	15 00	15 97	150 00
Trinity, Camden, .....	36 00	29 83	125 00
St. Mark's, Clark's Mills,....	12 00	12 00	150 00
St. James', Clinton,.....	96 00	89 61	

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	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Church, Forestport,....	\$27 00	\$5 36	\$200 00
ul's, Holland Patent,...	30 00	19 05	200 00
ephen's, New Hartford,.	60 00	31 75	
ter's, Oriskany, .....	36 00	20 16	150 00
Shepherd, Oriskany Falls	30 00	19 26	150 00
ul's, Paris Hill,.....	28 00	28 00	250 00
Rome, .....	290 00	188 27	
seph's, Rome,.....	12 00	5 00	86 00
ry, Utica,.....	267 00	106 00	
, Utica,.....	810 00	842 90	
Andrew's, Utica, .....		10 00	
Cross, Utica, .....	85 00	79 49	
ike's, Utica,.....	180 00	7 74	
y, Utica, .....	267 00	181 03	
George's, Utica,.....	84 00		
, Waterville, .....	120 00	61 08	
emane, Westmoreland,..	36 00	29 90	150 00
hn's, Whitesboro, .....	54 00	37 23	150 00
hn's, Clayville, .....	15 00	13 45	150 00
George's, Chadwicks, .....	15 00		
mes', N. Y. Mills,.....	15 00	5 69	
, Earlville,.....	18 00	13 20	250 00
omas', Hamilton,.....	60 00	48 37	
hn's, Oneida,.....	96 00	55 67	
field .....	6 00	2 56	
eld .....		1 13	
umville .....	6 00	3 10	
	<u>\$2,845 00</u>	<u>\$1,973 80</u>	<u>\$2,236 00</u>

DISTRICT No. 3.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Church, Binghamton...	\$400 00	\$288 17	
Shepherd, Binghamton..	60 00	41 51	
y, Binghamton.....	250 00	251 10	
ike's, Harpursville.....	30 00	10 44	\$150 00
Windsor.....	35 00	44 40	150 00
in's, Afton .....	35 00	12 39	
ter's Bainbridge.....	50 00	51 52	200 00
hn's, Chenango Forks ..	25 00	1 09	100 00
Greene .....	225 00	250 95	
Church, Guilford.....	60 00	83 62	
Mt. Upton.....	5 00	6 05	200 00
Andrew's, New Berlin ....	180 00	176 89	
nuel, Norwich ... ..	85 00	93 16	
ul's, Oxford .... ..	250 00	334 77	
Church, Sherburne ....	75 00	74 93	
Whitneys Point.....	50 00	21 74	200 00
y, McDonough .....	20 00	25 40	300 00
	<u>\$1,805 00</u>	<u>\$1,768 23</u>	<u>\$1,300 00</u>

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DISTRICT No. 4.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends—
St. Peter's, Cazenovia.....	\$150 00	\$159 64	
{ Trinity, Canastota. ....	15 00	14 40	
{ St. Paul's Chittenango .....	10 00	9 46	\$150 00
Kasoag .....		4 15	
St. James', Cleveland .....	25 00	25 00	300 00
Zion, Fulton ... ..	55 00	55 00	200 00
Grace, Mexico.....	30 00	27 03	100 00
Christ Church, Oswego.....	365 00	228 35	
Evangelists, Oswego, .. . . .	50 00	20 00	
St. James', Pulaski .....	30 00	36 01	200 00
Grace Baldwinsville.....	90 00	52 30	
Trinity, Fayetteville.....	60 00	23 37	
St. Mark's, Jamesville .....	20 00	25 00	200 00
Christ Church, Jordan .....	25 00	3 40	
Christ Church, Manlius .....	50 00	40 00	
St. John's Marcellus .....	25 00	7 30	
St. James', Skaneateles .....	225 00	181 60	
St. James', Syracuse.....	100 00	1 00	
St. Paul's Syracuse .....	650 00	417 54	
Trinity, Syracuse .....	100 00	9 30	
Grace, Syracuse .....	70 00	25 64	
Calvary, Syracuse .....	25 00	18 75	
St. John's, Syracuse .....	70 00	41 45	
St. Mark's, Syracuse.....	65 00	35 00	
Lacona .....		2 62	250 00
Emmanuel, East Syracuse....	20 00	7 52	
Grace, Redfield .....			160 00
Grace, Cortland .....	75 00	76 59	
Calvary, Homer .....	25 00	2 75	
Sandbank.....	104 00	10 18	
" Church Identified," .....		10 50	
	\$2,519	\$1,570 90	\$1,560 00

FIFTH DISTRICT.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends —
St. John's, Auburn, .....	\$32 50	\$29 00	\$200 00
St. Peter's, " .....	340 00	332 00	
{ St. Paul's, Aurora,.....	58 50	51 50	450 00
{ St. Luke's, Cayuga,.....	26 00	28 70	
{ Grace, Union Springs, .....	39 00	29 80	
St. Matthew's, Moravia,.....	75 00	77 93	300 00
Jerusalem .....	6 00	5 63	
St. John's, Weedsport, .....	10 00	2 84	
St. Paul's, Port Byron,....	5 00	96	
Trinity, Seneca Falls, . . . . .	300 00	259 11	
St. Paul's, Waterloo, .....	217 00	204 27	
St. Andrew's, Dey's Landing,	13 00	6 65	
Grace, Willowdale, ....	32 50	29 85	
{ Calvary, Hayt's Corners, ....	21 50	21 53	
{ Christ Church, Willard,.....	85 00	91 16	500 00
Romulus, St. Stephens,.....	35 00	33 74	150 00
Convocation .....		2 81	
Kidders Ferry, .....	10 00		
	\$1,306 00	\$1,210 48	\$1,600 00

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SIXTH DISTRICT.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
St. John's, Big Flats, .....	\$15 00	\$14 00	
Grace, Elmira, .....	100 00	85 66	
Trinity, Elmira.....	300 00	257 81	
Emmanuel, Elmira .....	30 00		\$500 00
St. Matthew's Horseheads....	25 00	26 65	400 00
St. Mark's, Candor .....	30 00	25 50	300 00
St. Paul's, Owego .....	40 00	72 55	
Grace, Waverly.....	35 00	29 63	300 00
St. John's, Ithaca.....	300 00	255 86	
Zion, McLean .....	20 00	13 01	100 00
St. John's, Speedsville .....	5 00	1 20	
Epiphany, Trumansburgh ...	75 00	8 55	200 00
Emmanuel, Smithboro .....	10 00	6 83	150 00
Christ Church, Wellsburgh ...	10 00	10 00	100 00
St. Mark's, Millport .....	20 00	20 00	150 00
Spencer .....	10 00	8 68	
Van Etten .....	20 00	13 26	200 00
Slaterville.....	10 00	20 05	
Convocatton.....		3 15	
St. Agnes .....	10 00		
	<u>\$1,065 00</u>	<u>\$872 39</u>	<u>\$2,400 00</u>

RECAPITULATION.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
First District.....	\$1,519 13	\$1,562 15	\$1,950 00
Second District.....	2,845 00	1,973 80	2,236 00
Third District.....	1,805 00	1,768 23	1,300 00
Fourth District.....	2,529 00	1,570 90	1,560 00
Fifth District .....	1,306 00	1,210 48	1,600 00
Sixth District ...	1,065 00	872 39	2,400 00
	<u>\$11,029 13</u>	<u>\$8,957 95</u>	<u>\$11,046 00</u>

STATEMENT.

Amount authorized to be raised.....	\$2,000.
Average monthly, \$1,000.	
Amount actually contributed.....	\$8,957 95
Average monthly offerings, \$746.50,	
Amount expended .....	10,732 70
Expenditures over receipts..	\$1,774 75
Less amount to credit of six districts, May 1, 1893 .....	1,353 00
Total expenditures over receipts .....	\$ 421 75

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*Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.*


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### **C. Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.**

*To the Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese and the Diocesan Board of Missions,*

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Central New York report for the year ending May 1st, 1894, as follows:

*First District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$862.60; amount of money given \$324.95.

*Second District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$2,571.07; amount of money given, \$2,744.66.

*Third District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$510.00; amount of money given, \$261.47.

*Fourth District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$906.48; amount of money given, \$425.97.

*Fifth District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$460.39; amount of money given, \$266.41.

*Sixth District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$629.75; amount of money given, \$169.67.

Total value of boxes, \$5,940.29; total amount of money, \$4,193.13; total both boxes and money, \$10,133.42.

Report of the Junior Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary for year ending May 1st, 1894:

*First District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$192.08; amount of money given, \$110.25.

*Second District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$451.04; amount of money given, \$574.77.

*Third District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$247.71; amount of money given, \$102.00.

*Fourth District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$297.06; amount of money given, \$183.56.

*Fifth District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$89.00; no money.

*Sixth District.*—Value of boxes sent, \$63.50; amount of money given, \$9.50.

Total value of boxes, \$1,340.39; total amount of money, \$939.33; total both boxes and money, \$2,279.72.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA V. CHITTENDEN,  
*Diocesan Secretary.*

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*Report of the Girls Friendly Society.*

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## **Report of the Girls Friendly Society.**

Secretary's Report from June, 1893, to June, 1894.

On All Saints' Day, 1893, our Girls Friendly organization completed the sixth year of its existence. Considering the fact that during the past two years we have suffered an unusual number of losses from sickness and removal, our present condition is most favorable and encouraging. For instance, in one of our largest and most flourishing branches, where there are only five working associates, two are physically incapable of serving. In another, where a year ago there was a corps of seven working associates, two have married and left the Diocese, and two have removed from the parish, leaving only three to do the work of the society. Another of our largest and most influential branches has lost two of its most faithful helpers by death and removal, and what we have all felt most keenly has been the removal from active service of one who has been almost from the beginning at the helm, and who has steered our little bark through many troubled waters. When we have been disheartened, she was ever ready with words of encouragement and cheer; when we have needed advice in any perplexing dilemma, who so well as she could have given it to us? Her great heart and wise head were thoroughly enlisted in the enterprise, and even now, though through what seems to us a strange and mysterious Providence, we are deprived of her personal coöperation and ostensible leadership, yet we have great cause for thankfulness, for though called aside to "rest awhile," she has never for one moment lost her interest, nor ceased to pray for the work so near her heart. We have at present 12 branches, 86 working associates, 86 honorary associates, 355 members, and 264 candidates. During the past year one branch has suspended work, but this was owing to the fact that a faithful working associate who was the sole assistant and dependence of a most loyal and capable branch secretary gave out, making it utterly impossible for the branch to continue its work at present. But on the other hand a branch, the work of which had been suspended for the past two years, has again been organized under very favorable auspices. Another, which was temporarily given up for lack of helpers, has the prospect of being resumed in the autumn; and just now as this report is being prepared a new branch is being started through the influence of our older members, who having removed to a town where there was no Girls Friendly, has left no stone unturned until she has been able to arouse an interest in the society. Prospects are bright in several other localities, and we believe that the fall will witness the organization of several new branches in our Diocese.

It is an undoubted fact that wherever the Girls Friendly has been thoroughly and fairly tested, it has proved a most valuable help in parish work: and we feel sure that no rector, who has a healthy and well conducted branch, would be willing to dispense with it. But for some reason there seems to be a strange and unaccountable reluctance on the part of some of the clergy to consider its introduction into their parishes, or even to reply to letters written in its behalf; for in my brief experience as Diocesan Secretary, I confess that in two or three instances rectors of large and influential parishes have left earnest and respectful appeals entirely unanswered. But we are convinced that this is because the character and objects of our society are not understood. Each branch is subject to the direction and control of the rector, and is intended to aid him in his work of ministering to Christ's little ones. Many plead that there are too many religious societies at the present day, and this is certainly true in so far as they do not work on church lines, or conduce to the unity which is the true spirit of the Catholic Church. This, however, could not be urged against the Girls Friendly, and it is a fact that there is no other girls' society in the church that provides for or includes

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girls below the age of fifteen years. In it women and girls of all classes are banded together for mutual help, religious and secular. Think what the motto of our society involves—"The bearing of one another's burdens." It is no child's play, and that is why our Girls Friendly organizations demand the very pick and cull of our best educated, and most loyal churchwomen, to carry on the great work. There is no place in our ranks for those who are not willing to devote themselves conscientiously and wholeheartedly to the task which they undertake. Those who allow entertainments or unnecessary excuses to keep them from attending the weekly meeting are not apt either to feel any great interest in the society, or to possess any great influence over the members under their charge. But when the responsibility is conscientiously assumed and faithfully and prayerfully fulfilled, good results invariably follow, many of which are apparent, sooner or later, in the improved lives and conditions of the members as well as in the great advantage to the associates which such devotion and zeal invariably result in; and besides, there are the unseen results of our labors, which are unknown to any but God, and which will never appear until the great day "when the secrets of all hearts shall be revealed."

Let me give some interesting statistics in the review of the first five years' work in one of our branches, where the secretary and her associates have been unwearied in their efforts and faithful to their great trust. During that period ninety-three girls have been admitted to membership after a long and careful probation. Of this number two have died, six have married, three have been transferred to other branches, and four have resigned for various reasons. The branch has at present seventy members in good standing, and best of all, twenty-four have been baptized and confirmed since their admission to the society. Classes in arithmetic, geography and drawing have been regularly conducted by competent teachers, and lectures have been given the girls at different times on physiology and other practical subjects. Stereoptican exhibitions have also been given of the great cathedrals, and other pictures which are calculated to have an elevating and refining influence upon the members. A penny provident fund has also been successfully carried on in this branch for the past two years, and it also possesses a Girls Friendly Society library of over three hundred volumes. There is a candidate's class of over a hundred, which meets on Saturday afternoons, and divides its time between instruction in plain sewing and kitchen garden exercises. These young candidates range from six to twelve years of age. Very few realize what a missionary factor the Girls Friendly is, but aside from the home missionary influence which is at the root of all the society's workings, much surprise would be felt if it were known how much aid it really gives to our missionary societies, and how much it helps the poor in parishes where it exists. We often hear the remark from one of the clergy, "I am uncertain whether I prefer to have a branch of the Girls Friendly or a Junior Auxiliary." Without in any way wishing to undervalue the Junior Auxiliary, it is not more than fair that the public should know how much work that benefits those outside the society enters into our yearly routine. Although, owing to the fact that many of our girls come to the meetings utterly weary from their day's work in factory or store, sewing is never obligatory, yet a good deal is often accomplished in the course of the season. In the branch just mentioned there have been made 373 garments for various charitable and missionary purposes. In several of our branches the members have regularly devoted a part of their funds to missions of some sort, and on one occasion a sum of money was sent to the Rev. Mr. Partridge for his work in China; while I remember that at another time a goodly sum was given to the Japanese Girls' Scholarship in Philadelphia. In one parish, which is within my observation, yes, and in more than one, many hundreds of dollars have been raised by the Girls Friendly in aid of the churches to which the branches

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and many a time have our girls helped most generously in throwing the burden of debt. In this connection I will mention a young girl employed as a child's nurse, who improved her leisure moments in making flower-baskets, which she sold until she had earned ten dollars towards an offering, which was devoted to some especial purpose. But, after all, it remains that the primary object of the society is to reach out and to the young and often friendless girls for whom it is especially intended. The relation between associate and member is a peculiarly close one, if rightly understood and interpreted. Many a girl has been gathered in and sheltered and protected by kind friends, secured through her connection with the Girls Friendly Society. We have known many instances where good homes have been found for girls taken from some unwholesome and noisy factory. And when members have unconsciously occupied positions in stores or elsewhere when an older and more experienced eye could detect danger to the moral character, her associate has not rested until she has established a safe charge in a safe and suitable place of employment.

There is one thing more I wish to speak of. Though it is a well known fact that no girl of questionable reputation can remain in the Girls Friendly Society, yet, in two instances which I have known of during the past year, of girls who had at one time been members of Girls Friendly Society, but who had fallen away and fallen into sin, the loving and faithful care of their associates followed the erring ones, reaching out to aid them in their struggles, and finally helping and encouraging them to new efforts in the right path after their bitter experiences in sin and its consequences. I allude to these instances to show that, though girls who stray from the path of purity still have a place in this society, one great object of which is to prevent the temptations which are common to friendless young girls, if yet the bond between the associate and her young charge cannot be broken so as to deprive the associate of the deep interest which naturally results from so intimate a relationship.

In closing let me say one thing more. In some of our parishes there are men who are cultured and capable, well fitted to be working associates of the Girls Friendly, but who prefer to help in the Working Girls Clubs, and are so fruitful in many good results. Such churchwomen plead that the Working Girls Clubs are so much freer in their operations, and accomplish so much more results. The first assertion is undoubtedly true, but the second we emphatically deny—for what is so important or far reaching in a young girl's life as a definite faith such as none but the church, of which our working associates must be communicants, can furnish. It is for this that we are proud and thankful to go on in the Girls Friendly, which is after all older than the Working Girls Club, satisfied to do what we can on the church's lines, under the guidance of those who are her rightful leaders; glad if through our weak instrumentality any may be grafted into the body of Christ, and willing to leave the rest with God.

LUCY L. K. HART,

*Diocesan Secretary G. F. S. in C. N. Y.*



*Report on Christian Education.***E. Report on Christian Education.**

The Committee on Christian Education respectfully report to the Bishop, Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Central New York:

In view of the growing interest in Christian Education and the constantly increasing sense of the importance of method and organization in institutions designed for the preparation of the young for the duties of life, it has seemed good to your committee to limit this year's report to a brief discussion of what seems to us a very serious defect in the present organization and government of church boarding schools, a class of schools which do now and which must ever play an important part in Christian education. The principles herein advocated would apply equally well to girls' schools and mixed schools, but for the sake of brevity and convenience of treatment, we confine ourselves to the discussion of church boarding schools for boys.

The two prevailing sentiments in regard to such schools are: First That teaching the very young, involving as it does instruction in the "Three R's" and kindred subjects, is an occupation trivial in its nature, an employment lacking in dignity, one which any one may take up as a temporary makeshift, but which no one who can do anything else would care to make the business of a lifetime; of course excepting those who become heads of schools. Secondly: That the only possible organization for efficiency and good government in primary and secondary schools is the one which places absolute power and control in the hands of the head master. Both of these ideas are fallacious and the cause and defense of much evil.

In answer to the first proposition: all true educators feel and know the important bearing one's earlier education has on his subsequent life; they feel and know, what the general public does not perceive, that the earliest is the most important period of education, and that there is no nobler work on earth for humanity, for God, and His church, than the guidance and direction of the very young. One of our great church educators in the West said once to a member of this committee: "I would rather be at the head of Shattuck School than Bishop of any Diocese in the church. I say that to show you the value and importance I place on Christian education." And to show the justness of this view, one needs only to appeal to the consciousness of each one of us, that many of our mistakes in life, our failures, too often our sins, are due to misconceptions inculcated into us in childhood by injudicious and inexperienced teachers. Yet in spite of this universal experience, we go on thinking that the early education of our children may be and necessarily must be entrusted to mediocre persons, who being good for nothing else, are willing to undergo the drudgery for the miserable pittance usually paid to them. We blind ourselves to the fact that in teaching a boy to read or to write, or to learn the multiplication table, the method of instruction is of vastly more importance than the thing taught, and a proper teacher can and will inculcate along with it lessons in attention, perseverance, care and self control, mental habit and conscientious endeavor, that will operate most powerfully, not only on his future education, but on his whole future life and character. A right start mentally, morally, physically, is the grandest endowment that can be bestowed upon the young. The giving of one's life to that is one of the grandest works one can do for God, the church and the world, and yet, as has been said, the evil exists, that people in general regard the calling of primary teaching as trivial, and beneath the dignity of those who have capabilities for another pursuit. And even where there is a dim perception of the evil results of such a theory as applied in practice, there is an equally fallacious sentiment, that the defects in early education will be remedied in college, or in the experience of practical business life. The ordinary heedlessness and carelessness of early boyhood are regarded as facts which it is useless to contend against.

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The Jesuits, who have made themselves a distinguished name as educators, are wiser. Their educational dictum is: "Give us the earliest years and it matters little who teaches afterwards."

Our second proposition was, the prevalence of the delusive notion that the only possible organization for efficiency and good government in schools for the very young is the one which places absolute power and control in the hands of the head master. The object of this report is to deny this necessity and to suggest a better way. A church school proper should derive its origin and authority from the church. That is to say, in our American church, from the bishop, clergy and laity, in diocesan convention assembled. The teachers and subordinate officers, equally with the head master, should feel themselves responsible to the church for their own conduct, and for the well being of the institution. But, as a matter of fact, the church does not possess such schools. Most of our so-called church schools are in reality only private schools. They are church schools only in the sense that the head master is a churchman, possibly a clergyman, the chapel services and religious instructions are according to the church; the bishop comes once a year for confirmation, and once more on commencement day to address the graduating class and present the diplomas. Possibly the bishop is mentioned in the catalogue as "official visitor," but he has no right to ask questions of any one but the responsible head of the school. If the school is so far diocesan as to have, elected by the convention, a board of trustees, it too often happens that their conception of their responsibility goes no farther than the election of the head master and the management of property. They yield to the popular idea that autocratic government is an essential element of a good school. The limits of this report do not admit of detailed discussion, and it will be sufficient to point out a few of the evils resulting from this system.

The head master is presumably a man with a reputation as an educator; necessarily he must be a good administrator, otherwise his school will be financially and numerically a failure. And here let us call attention to a very important, but a very much unconsidered fact, that our present system in making it necessary for lifelong educators to be heads of schools, excludes from the profession all those men who, having no administrative ability, nevertheless possess all the qualities of eminent educators. The unscholastic mind does not realize how much the administrative part of a school separates the executive head from the educational part of it. The correspondence, the details of the household management, the social duties, a multitude of duties which cannot be enumerated, all combine to withdraw the head of the school from its primitive reason for existing, viz: that of education. Boys must eat, sleep and be clothed, and provided with recreation, etc., etc., and the head master must look after those things. Necessarily the greater part of the teaching work falls to others. Again, necessarily, except in rare cases, cases dependent on a very warm personal friendship between the head master and his subordinates, cases so rare they need not be considered, the head master's assistants must be novices or inferior men. The position of teacher in a boarding school is lacking in the conditions of permanency and dignity that alone could make it desirable for a life work. Young men, fresh from college, wishing to raise a few dollars to support themselves in future professional duties; young men desiring to make teaching a profession, and wanting some practical experience before taking a school of their own, are willing to take such situations for one, two or three years, but no really competent man would wish to contemplate such a position as a permanency. The result is that the so called faculties of so-called church schools, the men who do the bulk of the teaching and to whom the execution of the discipline is entrusted, consist of a succession of novices. The character of the school is an imperfect reflection of the head master; imperfect because of his other duties, and the impossibility of perfectly directing and controlling

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inexperienced subordinates; because, too, of the absurdity of expecting capable men, with brains behind their foreheads, to submit to absolute direction and control. These conditions render it impossible, even for a very great head master, to make his school a perfect reflection of himself. In case of the head master's death or removal, his successor usually makes a complete reversal of the policy and method of the school. There can of course be no development and growth of institutional character; there can be no permanency in the system of discipline, no consistency in the curriculum and method of instruction, none of those traditions so dear to the hearts of students, and so powerful in securing and retaining their devotion, and which cause fathers to send their sons to the school in which they themselves were educated. Our schools exhibit a succession of the policies and methods of different head masters, rather than a uniform growth and progress of their own, and this will ever be the case under the personal method of organization.

And here we feel we must interrupt our argument for a moment to express our happiness that we have in our own diocese a school for boys so excellent. We feel sure some of you have listened with impatience to the suggestion that any better kind of school is needed. All Central New York churchmen justly feel proud of St. John's, Manlius, under its present management. We glory in the reputation our school is making for itself. We hope and pray that its present prosperity will continue and we feel confident it will, but how long? There is the fatal question. There is no assurance for this diocese that the beneficial reforms and wise customs which are now making St. John's a great success will last a day beyond the present administration. A change might very easily overturn all the good work that is now being done. We are contending for a system that shall not be so dependent on the life and services of a single man.

Passing over many other evil results of the present system, we close the indictment with the mention of only two more.

All subordinates in a school, being employees of the head master, come to regard themselves simply as his servants, and, beyond their duty to him, they feel no sense of responsibility for the welfare and well being of the school. They feel no responsibility to the diocese and the church for a work which, nevertheless, persists in sheltering itself under a church name; and, furthermore, such subordinates having no stability of position, can never identify themselves and their life-work with the interests of the institution.

And, lastly, the church lends her name to a school, with all the great advantages it implies, and then, by giving this absolute power into the hands of the head master, cuts herself off from any reliable avenues of information in regard to what he may do or not do. The bishop, the trustees, the diocesan convention cannot properly ask questions of any but the head master; his assistant teachers are his employees, and cannot testify against their employer, and ought not to be asked to do so. This is a necessary condition of the system, and as a result it is notorious that flagrant abuses have frequently gone on for years unrebuked and unexposed.

These evils, and many like them, are inherent in the present organization of preparatory schools. The remedy for them lies in the power of the church alone.

Let the diocesan convention create a diocesan school. The convention will elect a board of trustees. The trustees will elect the head master and all assistant teachers. All positions will be permanent. Clergymen can properly accept them as being, like a college professorship, equal in dignity and honor to that of a parish priest. Under the present system even the chaplain is merely a teacher with a clerical function, subject to arbitrary removal, a position no clergyman should be asked to take. It is clearly in violation of the meaning and intent of Title I, Canon 8, Sec. III, of the Canons of General Convention, which prescribes what shall constitute a title for ordination to Priests' Orders. The Canon reads: "No person shall be ordained a priest unless he shall pro-

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to the Bishop a satisfactory certificate from some church, parish or congregation, that he is engaged with them, and that they will receive him as minister; or unless he be a missionary under the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese to which he belongs, or in the employment of some missionary society recognized by the General Convention; or unless he be engaged as a pastor, tutor, or instructor of youth in some college, academy, or other institution of learning, duly incorporated, or as a chaplain in the army or navy of the United States."

the other positions here enumerated are positions of dignity and permanance. The General Convention evidently intended to place the position of an instructor on a similar basis by specifying that he be employed in an institution "duly incorporated," that is, that he shall be a servant of a corporation not of an individual. No person, therefore, employed in a private school or in an incorporated school conducted on the same plan, can legitimately present to the bishop a certificate of such employment as a title for ordination, and such a position is not one which a bishop can properly accept.

organize preparatory schools on the lines of college organizations. Make the position of assistant such that it will be sought as the calling of a life-

Make the corps of assistants a real faculty, with a power and voice in the conduct and government of the institution. Let the men feel and know that they are responsible, not to the head master, but to the church: that their interests are bound up with those of the institution to which they belong; that the position will be one of dignity and honor even in old age; that the recognition they may make as educators, as authors of text-books, as writers on educational subjects, will redound to their own credit as well as to the credit and glory of their school.

It is the belief of your Committee that schools so organized would soon attract into their faculties a set of eminent specialists in the various departments of primary and secondary instruction, who would speedily make for themselves and the schools a national reputation; and whose accumulated experience would guide the interests of the schools in a manner far superior to the capabilities of any individual however great.

If should the question be raised, "where would the money come from to give these eminent men adequate salaries?" the answer is: "Their superior ability would produce the money." Such a school would give an education so vastly superior to all others that it could make its own rates of tuition, and attract its students from a multitude of rich applicants. But the organization of a church school should contemplate the interests of the poor as well as the rich.

Here again it is our belief, that such a school would soon be able to offer, not only a minimum rate of tuition, but a number of free scholarships, because our churchmen would bestow gifts and endowments on a really churchly institution, who are now restrained by a lack of confidence in the proper application of funds entrusted to a personally conducted institution.

In conclusion, church schools, organized as here outlined, ought to commend themselves to churchmen as a grand missionary agency. Most of our churchmen give a higher place to good secular education than they do to religious instruction. Let them know that the church gives them the best possible instruction and disciplinary training, and they will give their sons to the church to be educated, without objecting to the fact that they are incidentally become churchmen in the process.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK P. HARRINGTON,  
T. L. BANISTER,  
A. C. CLARKE,  
H. C. NORTHAM,  
MATTHEW I. HUNT.

*Report of the Treasurer of the Diocese.***H. Treasurer of the Diocese.**

SYRACUSE, C. N. Y., May 1, 1894.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

The Treasurer of the Diocese herewith presents his Twenty-Sixth Annual and final report:

A detailed statement of the receipts and disbursements, showing sources whence received and objects to which applied is hereto appended.

**DIOCESAN MISSIONS.**

The most important of the several funds is that for the support of missions within the Diocese and it becomes especially of interest at this time, because it exhibits the first full year's operations under the new Canon.

In accordance with the provisions of that Canon, there was assessed upon the six districts the aggregate sum of \$11,550. Of this amount so assessed only about three-quarters or \$8,957 has been received into the treasury, and there was apportioned to the respective districts, to be expended by them and for three specified objects the sum of \$12,100. Of this amount \$10,732 has been thus expended, showing an excess of expenditure over receipts of \$1,774 less a balance on hand at the commencement of the year to the credits of the respective districts of \$1,353 and leaving an excess of expenditure of \$421, all of which is shown in detail in report of Treasurer to Board of Managers.

**GENERAL FUND.**

As heretofore many parishes are delinquent in the payments of their assessments for this fund. For the first time during my incumbency in this office, two claims on the fund are suffered to go unpaid on account of this neglect. The usual statement of arrears in payments has been prepared and is subject to the action of the Convention.

**BISHOP'S CHAPLAIN FUND.**

At the Convention of 1892 it was resolved to raise the sum of \$1,500 for the service of the Bishop's Chaplain. There is still due from parishes the sum of \$340, \$200 of which has long been due to the appointee of that office.

**BISHOP'S ASSISTANCE FUND.**

At the Convention of last year, the sum of \$1,500 was appropriated for the relief of the Bishop, "to secure such Episcopal assistance as would relieve him from burdensome travel and wearisome visitations." Of this sum apportioned to the several districts, by the Standing Committee to be raised within said districts, but about half has been remitted to the Treasurer, the bulk of which has been paid on the Bishop's order to the Chaplain, and but \$50 for Episcopal services.

The unsettled monetary condition of the country has had a depressing effect on the financial condition of the Diocese. Many parishes have felt it a sore burden to meet the demand upon them, and with some it has been an impossibility. Most, if not all, have striven to meet their obligations, but their desires have not been accomplished. Under the circumstances none, to my mind, is deserving of censure.

The Standing Committee on the report of the Treasurer, have performed their duty and are prepared to report at the pleasure of the Convention.

And now my brethren of the Convention, pardon me if I indulge in a few

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emarks of a personal nature. For twenty-six years uninterruptedly many of us have come up to these annual gatherings to enjoy social converse and to deliberate upon matters appertaining to the welfare of the Diocese and church at large. We have missed many familiar forms and faces from our ranks since first we commenced our annual journeyings. Through the favors of a kind Providence, to me have been granted the pleasure and privilege of being present at every annual session, and of being able to present to you, in person, an account of my stewardship. During that long period that I have served you faithfully, is evidenced by the reports of the examining Committee submitted by them and approved by you annually.

My long term of service is about to close and my official relation to you will soon be severed. Whether in the future we shall meet as in the past is known only to Him, to whom the future is as an open book.

In being released from official cares and responsibilities, which have grown to be burdensome, I shall receive a relief long sought. Six years ago I asked you to place the burden upon other and younger shoulders. No heed has since been taken to my request. I say the office has become burdensome. This you can appreciate when I state that there is not a secular day in the year but that something needs to be done.

During my long official term nearly a million and a half dollars have passed through my hands. No demand has ever been refused, even at a cost at times when the fund drawn upon was inadequate to meet it. Many a self-sacrificing missionary has received his stipend from other sources than through an exhausted treasury.

I close this my final report feeling that our relations, so far as I am aware, have always been of the most cordial character and firm in the faith that the friendships here engendered during our long service for the welfare of the Diocese will ever be cherished by me with the warmest feelings of love and veneration.

Respectfully submitted.

GEORGE J. GARDNER,  
*Treasurer of the Diocese.*

GEORGE J. GARDNER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE DIOCESE OF CENTRAL NEW YORK.

RECEIPTS.

To balance from former report April 30, 1893, ..... \$ 3,174 18  
To amount received from May 1, 1893, to April 30, 1894,  
as follows, viz.:

FOR OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:

*Diocesan Missions:*

Received from First District .....	\$ 1,562 15
" Second District .....	1,973 80
" Third District .....	1,768 23
" Fourth District.....	1,570 90
" Fifth District .....	1,210 48
" Sixth District.....	872 30
Income Permanent Missionary Fund .....	973 49
Income VanWagenen Missionary Fund.....	125 00
Amount through Bishop's Chaplain .....	40 00
C. T. G. and S. A. G.....	5 00
	—————\$10,101 44



*Treasurer of the Diocese : Receipts.**General Fund :*

From Assessments on Parishes as per Canon ..... \$ 1,870 78

*Bishop's Chaplain Fund :*

From Parishes ..... \$ 355 70

*Bishop's Assistance Fund :*

From Parishes .. ..... \$ 652 82

*St. Andrew's Divinity School :*

From Parishes .....	\$ 231 65	
William Marvin. . . . .	100 00	
H. O. Moss . . . . .	250 00	
Income DeLancey Fund.....	194 10	
Through the Bishop .....	75 00	
E. T. G. and S. A. G. ....	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 852 75

*Episcopate Fund :*

Amount from Trustees .....	\$ 4,378 25	
From a parish.....	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,381 25

*Church Society for Deaf Mutes :*

Offering at Diocesan Convention .....	\$ 35 66	
Superintendent Junior Auxiliary....	49 05	
Junior Auxiliary, Second District, .....	5 00	
"    Fourth District,.....	41 00	
From sundry parishes .....	66 72	
	<hr/>	\$ 197 43

*Onondaga Indian Mission :*

Branch Woman's Auxiliary..... \$ 412 10

*Central New York Bible and Prayer Book Society :*

From Parishes .. .. .	\$ 83 63	
E. T. G. and S. A. G., \$2; Rev. A. G., \$1....	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 86 63

*Miscellaneous :*

Bishop's Relief Fund, from Parishes.....	\$ 39 87	
House Good Shepherd, Syracuse, E. T. G. and S. A. G.	2 00	
St. Joseph's, Rome, Parishes, \$61.74; a Clergyman, \$5,	66 74	
Bishop's Golden Wedding, Parishes.....	49 47	
Auburn City Hospital, St. Peter's, Auburn,.....	40 00	
In aid of Emmanuel Church, E. Syracuse, Cazenovia..	25 00	
In aid of Church at Marquette, Mich., Oxford,.....	10 00	
In aid of Church at Slaterville, from Parishes.....	75 71	
Church Building Fund, Parishes, \$36.25; Individuals, \$7	43 25	
	<hr/>	\$ 352 04

*Treasurer of the Diocese : Disbursements.*

**B OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:**

*Domestic Missions :*

. and Mrs. H. O. Moss.....	\$ 187 50	
T. G. and S. A. G., \$2; Rev. A. G., \$5; B.W.A., .40,	7 40	
om Parishes .....	1,391 37	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 1,536 27

*Foreign Missions :*

. and Mrs. Moss.....	\$ 37 50	
anch Woman's Auxiliary .....	42 80	
T. G. and S. A. G., \$2; Rev. A. G., \$1,.....	3 00	
om Parishes.....	744 35	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 827 65.

*Miscellaneous :*

merican Church Building Fund, Parishes .....	\$ 104 90	
nversion of Jews, Parishes .....	43 09	
Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society, Parishes and Indv.	39 91	
ergy Relief Fund, New Berlin, .....	17 55	
shop Brewer, Oxford. ....	20 00	
shotah, Oxford,.....	5 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 230 45

Total amount of receipts ..... \$24,531 49.

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

**B OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:**

*Diocesan Missions :*

id drafts of District Treasurers, viz.:

District No. 1,.....	\$ 1,958 35	
District No. 2, .....	1,987 50	
District No. 3,.....	1,305 17	
District No. 4,.....	1,423 81	
District No. 5, .....	1,704 17	
District No. 6, .....	2,034 20	
	<u>          </u>	\$10,432 70.

id orders Associate Mission ...	\$ 300 00	
id on account of VanWagenen Fund.....	125 00	
id interest on loan order of Board of Missions,		
April 30. 1893, .....	59 50	
id for envelopes for Diocesan Mission offerings .....	7 60	
id postage, envelopes, postal cards, &c., ....	8 38	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 500 48

*General Fund :*

d expenses Printing Diocesan Convention Journal...	\$ 352 80	
d rent of Episcopal Residence. ....	300 00	
d Bishop's expenses as per resolution of Convention,	300 00	
d Secretary of Convention and Assistant .....	250 00	
d printing maps for Journal.....	55 00	
d Rev. C. W. MacNish as per vote of Convention...	15 50	
d Childs & Son printing blanks. ....	14 50	
d Masters & Stone printing....	12 00	
d sundry expenses of Treasurer and postage and		
collections for year.....	18 06	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 1,317 86



*Christmas Fund : Report of the Trustees.**Miscellaneous :*

Paid Bishop on account of Episcopate Fund,.....	\$ 4,500 00
Paid Bishop's orders, St. Andrew's Divinity School, ...	772 92
Paid Rev. John Scott, Onondaga Indian Mission .....	366 66
Paid Rev. O. Dantzer, Deaf Mutes Fund .....	197 93
Paid Bishop's Chaplain and Bishop's Assistance Fund..	750 00
Paid in aid of Church at Slaterville .....	75 71
Paid Treasurer Auburn City Hospital .....	40 00
Paid in aid of Emmanuel, East Syracuse, .....	25 00
Paid Bishop's account of Relief Fund .....	19 25
Paid Mission at Sandbank .....	16 80
Paid Treasurer House Good Shepherd, Syracuse, .....	2 50
Paid Treasurer Shelter, Syracuse, .....	2 83
	<hr/> \$ 6,769 60

## OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:

Paid Treasurer Domestic and Foreign Missions .....	\$ 2,046 94
Paid Treasurer American Church Building Fund .....	138 39
Paid Church Mission to Jews .....	71 65
Paid Bishops Brewer, \$50; Tuttle, \$10; Hare, \$10. ....	70 00
Paid Church at Saginaw, \$5, and North Michigan, \$10,	15 00
Paid on account Mrs. Bulford's work .....	10 00
Paid Nashotah, \$5; Inc. of Ministry (Hartford) \$2. ...	7 00
Paid Retired Clergy Fund .....	17 55
	<hr/> \$ 2,376 53
Balance to new account .....	3,134 32
	<hr/> \$24,531 49

GEO. J. GARDNER,  
*Treasurer of Diocese.*

The Committee to whom was referred the report and account of the Treasurer of the Diocese beg leave to report that we have examined the accounts, comparing the receipts as published in the *Gospel Messenger*, and the disbursements as per vouchers on file, and find the same correct.

Respectfully submitted,

F. G. CLARKE,  
JOHN ANDERSON,

*Committee -*

June, 1894.

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## G. Christmas Fund.

### (1) Report of the Trustees.

SYRACUSE, C. N. Y., June 8, 1894.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York.*

The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York herewith submit their annual report.

A detailed statement of receipts and expenditures is hereto appended.

The number of stipendiaries and amount of Permanent Fund remain the same as reported last year.

Christmas Fund : Report of the Treasurer.

The trustees have been much embarrassed in making loans upon desirable security from the restrictions placed upon them by the Canon as to the terms and conditions upon which loans are to be made. They would recommend that it be referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons to prepare and report an amended form of Canon on this subject similar to that of section 2, Canon XIII, relating to the Episcopate Fund.

The Convention is called upon to nominate a member of the Board in the place of Geo. J. Gardner whose term as Trustee is about expiring.

The financial account and the securities of the Permanent Fund have been examined by the Committee appointed for that purpose and found correct, and their report is hereto appended.

Respectfully submitted,  
J. DEAN HAWLEY, *President*,

GEO. J. GARDNER, *Secretary*.

(2) Report of the Treasurer.

GEORGE J. GARDNER. TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CHRISTMAS FUND.

1893.	Dr.		
May	1, To Balance from former report.....	\$	2,327 98
July	1 To Interest Robinson bond and mortgage to date.....	\$	25 00
1894.			
Jan.	1, To Interest Robinson bond and mortgage to date.....		25 00
Apr.	30, To Interest loan to Board of Missions ... ..		60 00
"	" To Interest on deposits .....		348 94
		— — — — —	\$ 458 94
"	" To Amount of Christmas Offerings from Parishes and Mission Stations.....		1,015 15
			— — — — —
			\$ 3,802 07

1893.	Cr.		
July	1, By Paid two clergy stipends .....	\$	200 00
Oct.	1, By Paid nine widows stipends ... ..		575 00
1894.			
Jan.	1, By Paid two clergy stipends .....		200 00
Apr.	1, By Paid nine widows stipends .. ..		575 00
	By Balance to new account.....		2,252 07
		— — — — —	\$ 3,802 07

Amount of Permanent Fund \$12,200

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Treasurer*.

SYRACUSE, MAY 1, 1894.

UTICA, JUNE 7TH, 1894.

On behalf of the Committee to report on the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund I would report that I have examined and find the same

*Episcopate Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

correct. I also find the full amount of the Permanent Fund, viz., \$12,200, fully accounted for, and in my judgment the securities ample for amount loaned.

WILLIAM M. GIBSON.

Approved, W. M. WHITE.

### **B. Episcopate Fund.**

#### *To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

The Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, respectfully submit their annual report to May 1st, 1894, as follows:

#### Cash receipts to the principal:

1893.

May	1,	Balance on deposit Savings Bank of Utica .....	\$54 32
	16,	From Warren C. Snell account mortgage .....	500 00
July	10,	From Thomas S. Geary balance Hopkins mortgage ....	1,500 00

1894.

Jan.	3,	From Phoebe Westover account mortgage .....	1,500 00
	19,	From C. H. Ehresman in full of mortgage .....	3,000 00
April	17,	From Mary A. Trevor balance Oppenheim farm .....	650 00
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			\$7,204 32

#### Disbursements:

1893.

Aug.	9,	To S. Dering and others loan on mortgage .....	\$2,300 00
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1894.

Jan.	19,	To D. Mendelson loan on mortgage ... ..	3,000 00
April	15,	To C. E. Chase loan on mortgage .....	1,200 00
	30,	To deposit Utica Savings Bank .....	800 00
	30,	To deposit Second National Bank, Utica .....	404 32
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			\$7,204 32

The principal of the Fund is invested as follows:

Bonds and Mortgages at 6 per cent interest	\$51,000 00
.. .. 5½ .. ..	6,000 00
Bonds and mortgages at 5 per cent interest	18,000 00
Six shares preferred stock St. Paul and Duluth R. R.	600 00
Deposit Jefferson county Savings Bank, 4 per cent.	100 00
Deposit Savings Bank of Utica, 3½ per cent	300 00
Deposit Second National Bank of Utica.	404 32
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	\$76,504 32

#### Receipts to Income Account:

1894.

April 30,	Interest collected on securities to date .....	\$4,381 75
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Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.

Disbursements:

To Oneida County Clerk, recording three mortgages.....	\$	2	50
To George J. Gardner, Treasurer, for Bishop's salary .....		4,378	25
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			\$4,381 75

The DeLancey Fund remains invested as stated in our last annual report.

The interest thereon, \$156.60, has been collected and paid to the Treasurer of the Diocese.

Respectfully submitted,

E. CHAMBERLAIN.  
GEORGE M. WEAVER,  
B. R. ROBSON.

May 1st, 1894.

I. Parochial Fund.

To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund report as follows for the year ending May 1, 1894.

The amount of the Permanent Missionary Fund, \$20,453.93, is invested as follows:

In first mortgages on improved real estate in the City of Syracuse, of

M. E. Foreman.....	\$	2,000	00
E. G. Hall.....		186	05
T. J. Duplessis.....		2,000	00
American Dairy Salt Company.....		4,000	00
H. A. Van Deusen.....		700	00
George G. Gibson.....		1,000	00
Daniel Day. ....		100	00
C. T. Snavlin.....		575	00
B. Richardson.....		500	00
Charles T. Snavlin.....		2,000	00
Helen M. Keeler....		1,000	00
Henry C. Jones. ....		600	00
Michael J. Cuddy.....		650	00
M. J. Vehala, Cayuga County.....		150	00
Nathaniel T. Bacon... ..		1,200	00
H. E. Hessler.....		300	00
Land contract of C. Hayes.....		1,350	00
American Express stock. ....		200	00
Eight shares Utica City Bank stock. ....		400	00
Loan to St Joseph's Church, Rome, N. Y. ....		642	84
Cash May 1, 1894 in Syracuse Savings Bank.....			04
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			\$20,453 93

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

The cash transactions for the year, relating to this fund, have been as follows:

## Receipts:

From interest on mortgages.....	\$ 982 85
From interest on C. Hayes contract.....	82 21
From dividends Utica City Bank stock .....	24 00
From dividends Express stock .....	12 00
From dividends Syracuse Savings Bank .....	7 56
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	\$ 1,108 62

## On principal of mortgages:

E. G. Hall.....	\$ 500 00
C. T. Snavlin.....	1,000 00
H. M. Keeler.....	100 00
Francis LaFrenier.....	350 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1893 .....	150 04
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	\$ 3,208 66

## Payments:

## Invested in mortgages:

N. T. Bacon.....	\$ 1,200 00
C. T. Snavlin.....	600 00
H. E. Hessler.....	300 00
Rent of Safe Deposit box.....	5 00
On Treasurer's salary.....	100 00
Insurance of organ of St. Joseph's Church, Rome, N. Y.....	6 00
Paid Treasurer of Diocese.....	973 49
Paid Clarke Scholarship Fund interest as per report for 1893 .....	19 95
Postage.....	1 60
Printing receipts.....	2 00
Cash in Savings Bank, May 1, 1894.....	53
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	\$ 3,208 66

*Grace Church, Union Springs, Fund*

Is invested as follows:

## In mortgages:

Grace Church, Union Springs.....	\$ 208 90
Sidney Shaver.....	500 00
A. and J. W. Tallman.....	2,250 00
W. A. Bowman.....	1,000 00
Charity A. Brown.....	600 00
Lafayette Hoff.....	600 00
Charles T. Snavlin.....	1,025 00
Ellen Weaver.....	100 00
John L. Lockwood.....	115 00
H. E. Hessler.....	100 00
New York Central Insurance stock inventoried at.....	462 90
Curry note .....	300 00
Illinois land, cost.....	670 00
Rectory, cost .....	2,500 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1894.....	33 24
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	\$10,365 04

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

Cash transactions for the year:

Receipts:

From interest on mortgages.....	\$ 343 49
From interest on deposit in bank.....	2 91
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1893.....	23 24
Payment on principal E. Weaver mortgage....	125 09
Payment on principal W. A. Bowman mortgage.....	100 00
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	\$594 64

Payments:

To Grace Church.....	\$ 326 40
Toward salary of Treasurer.....	20 00
Invested in mortgage, J. L. Lockwood....	115 00
Invested in mortgage, H. E. Hessler....	110 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank.....	23 24
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	\$594 64

*Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor. Fund.*

The amount of this Fund at date of last report was... \$ 17,439 33

Receipts during the year:

From interest on mortgages.....	\$ 1,005 17
From interest on deposit Syracuse Savings Bank.....	1 37
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	\$18,445 87

Payments during the year:

To minister of Zion Church.....	\$ 697 00
On Treasurer's salary.....	50 00
For interest on temporary loan.....	1 50
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	\$ 748 50

Amount May 1, 1894..... \$17,697 37

Invested as follows:

In mortgages on real property in Syracuse, of	
Chas. T. Snavlin.....	\$10,225 00
Jas. Cathers.....	3,500 00
Vance Turtelot.....	2,950 00
Martin Yann.....	1,000 00
Deposit in Syracuse Savings Bank.....	22 37
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Total.....	\$17,697 37

The interest on the following funds has been collected, and the net amount thereof paid over according to the terms of each trust, as follows:

Jennie McGraw Fisk Fund, \$15,000. Interest \$900, to the credit of Bishop Huntington.

Mary Fatzinger Fund, \$1,000. Interest \$60, to the Treasurer of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo, N. Y.

Esther M. Booth Fund, \$1,000. Interest \$60, to the Rector of St. Mark's Church, Candor, N. Y.

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Nancy Powell Fund, \$100, interest \$4.55, and Holland Patent Fund, the gift of Mrs. Mary Wetmore, \$3,000, interest \$150, to the Minister in charge of Church at Holland Patent.

Fenno Tudor Fund, Grace Church Mt. Upton, N. Y. Interest \$130.00 paid to said Church. Principal in mortgages as at last report, \$2,500.

Woodward Fund, St. John's Church, Big Flats, N. Y., \$908.33. Interest \$46.46, paid to Secretary of said church; \$900 in mortgages, \$8.33 in Syracuse Savings Bank.

Clarke Scholarship Fund \$2,000. of which \$1,800 is in mortgages and \$200 cash in Syracuse Savings Bank. Deposited interest \$97.15. Total of accumulated interest in Savings Bank \$132.98.

Stacy Fund, \$800. Interest \$43.17. Total of fund and interest \$989.03. Principal in mortgage and \$189.03 in Syracuse Savings Bank,

Henry Daboll Fund, \$3,000. Interest collected and paid over pursuant to the trust, \$181.01.

Wilcox Memorial Fund, \$400, in mortgage. Interest \$26.67, paid over pursuant to trust for Rector of St. Peter's Church, Oriskany.

*Wheeler Fund.*

At the date of this report there has been received on account of this fund, mentioned in report of last year, from the executors of the will of Mrs. Wheeler, \$2,000 July 7th, and \$1,000 November 29th, 1893. The following have been the cash transactions for the year:

## Receipts:

On principal of fund as above .....	\$ 3,000 00
From interest on mortgages below stated.....	53 75
From dividend, Syracuse Savings Bank.....	3 33
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	\$ 3,057 08

## Payments:

To H. V. Hines for six months' labor on grounds .....	\$ 150 00
To Morris R. Jones for plants, labor, &c.,.....	85 10
To Minister and organist .....	66 00
For interest .....	1 80
Invested in mortgages, N. T. Bacon.....	\$ 2,000 00
.. .. C. T. Snavlin, .....	500 00
.. .. H. E. Hessler. ....	211 50
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank May 1, 1894,.....	42 65
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	\$ 3,057 05

The payment of the remainder of the fund, \$6,000, awaits the settlement of Mrs. Wheeler's estate.

There has also been received during the past year, as a fund created by the late Charlotte G. Daboll, the widow of Henry Daboll, of Memphis, N. Y., a bond and mortgage of Sarah and John Armstrong of \$800, and \$200 in cash, making the amount of \$1,000, the net income of which is directed by the donor to be paid to the clergyman in charge, or to the treasurer, of Christ

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*Van Wagonen Fund : Report of the Trustee.*

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Church, Jordan, on account of the rector's salary. The accrued interest, \$24, has been so paid, and \$200 remains on deposit at the Syracuse Savings Bank.

The Trustees received through their Treasurer November 21, 1892, the sum of \$500, a fund founded by Clinton L. Douglas, of Oriskany Falls, N. Y., as a memorial of his mother, Mrs. Eloise M. Douglas, deceased; the income to be applied to clerical support in the mission known as "The Church of the Good Shepherd" at Oriskany Falls, until it shall become incorporated, and the principal then to be paid to the trustees of such incorporated church, to be by them held in trust and the income applied to a like purpose for it. The fund was invested December 9, 1893, in the bond and mortgage of C. T. Snavlin on real estate in Syracuse, with semi-annual interest at six per cent.

The Convention will be called upon to choose successors to Hon. Miles C. Comstock, deceased, and Hon. William Marvin and Andrew H. Green, Trustees of the Parochial Fund, whose terms expire September 1st, next.

WM. D. DUNNING,  
SEYMOUR H. STONE,  
HOWARD G. WHITE,

A. H. GREEN, *Treasurer.*

*Trustees.*

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Committee who were appointed to examine the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, would respectfully report that they have examined the same and found it correct.

May 31st, 1894.

ALFRED N. HOLLISTER,  
DELANCEY BARTLETT.

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**K. Van Wagonen Fund.**

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

The unexpected has happened. I have at length succeeded in selling the farm which has taken up so large a share of my reports for the last few years, receiving therefor three hundred dollars in cash, giving a contract to E. P. Miller the tenant, who has long occupied it, conditioned upon the payment of twenty-two hundred dollars more in small annual instalments with interest at 5 per cent. upon deferred payments, deed to be given when the amount is reduced to \$1,600.

I would not have listened to a like proposition when the property first came into my hands. As it proved, however, it would have been greatly to the advantage of the Fund to have sold it on such terms, and I did not feel at liberty to longer hold it without income, and am happy in being able to rid myself of the annoyance of its management. For the first time in many years the trust is clear of ownership of any real estate.

During the year, \$1,937.50 has been paid back to the Fund, of loans last reported on, and \$1,083.64 of interest collected and credited. Of new loans, the Davis loan is secured by mortgage on a good house and lot in Oxford village, with a responsible name on the bond, and is the one I reported as in prospect, in my last report.



VanWagenen Fund : Report of the Trustee.

The Moore loan of \$1.000 is secured by lien on a store building and lot just sold for \$2.000, also in Oxford village; the Merithew loan of \$500, being merely a transfer of lien from the Moore property to a corner store in the same block, with ample insurance in each case.

The Ferguson loan is secured by first lien on 108½ acres in the town of Caton, Steuben county, this State, and has been held by your Trustee, in another capacity, since its date; the semi-annual payments of interest having been always promptly met. I could substitute in the estate which held it a form of investment which would not be deemed lawful in a trust and took this method of investing this much of idle funds. I had a special investigation made by the agent who effected the loan originally, and he assured me that in his judgment the property forced to a sale would always bring the amount of the mortgage.

Good investments within the rules which govern trusts are difficult to obtain. I expect however to find a place for the balance on hand without much delay.

The invested securities, twenty-two in number, amount to \$23,512.50, of which \$8,162.50 bear 5 per cent. interest, and the remainder 6 per cent.

J. R. VAN WAGENEN, Trustee.

Oxford, May 15, 1894.

The Van Wagenen Missionary Fund of the County of Chenango in account with JOHN R. VAN WAGENEN, Trustee.

1893.	DR.		
July 20,	To bought of Jane W. Lewis, bond of John P. Davis, date March 1, 1893, due 12 months from date, with interest, \$1,500, with 1% added for part of accrued interest	\$1,515 00	
Oct. 1,	To paid to Treasurer of Diocese, on his receipt, to reimburse him for payments made to the missionary at McDonough and parts adjacent, for five months past.	125 00	
1894.			
Jan. 11,	To bought of estate of Ursula A. VanWagenen, bond of William Ferguson, of date March 13, 1887, due July 1st, 1892, interest (payable semi-annually,) paid in full to January 1st, inst	1,200 00	
April 2,	To lent J. S. Merithew, on his bond of date March 31st, ult., due October 22, 1895, with interest from October 22, 1893, (payable annually,) with option to pay \$200 or more on October 22, 1894, on 60 days written notice	500 00	
April 2,	To lent E. D. Moore, on his bond of this date, payable 12 months from date, with semi-annual interest	1,000 00	
May 15,	To cash at hand on this date	1,962 88	
			\$6,302 88
1893.	CR.		
May 15,	By cash on hand		\$2,381 74
	By interest payments on loans, viz:		
June 1,	" Brown 6 months	\$ 30 00	
19,	" Mastin 6 "	18 00	
July 15,	" Boname 6 "	30 00	
19,	" Race, 6 "	16 50	

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	19,	"	Lattin	6 months	\$ 39 90	
	21,	"	Kelly & Odell	6 "	36 00	
Aug.	18,	"	Cooley	6 "	45 00	
Sept.	13,	"	Fritz Bros.	on contract		37 50
Oct.	3,	"	Keating	6 months	42 50	
	3,	"	Derrick	6 "	19 50	
	3,	"	Barrows	6 "	18 00	
	3,	"	Livermore	12 "	12 00	
Nov.	2,	"	Merithew	12 "	60 00	
	9,	"	Ireland	12 "	30 00	
	9,	"	Ireland	principal		250 00
	15,	"	Race	principal		550 00
	15,	"	Race	8 months	22 00	
Dec.	19,	"	Mastin	6 "	18 00	
	22,	"	Buckley	6 "	24 00	
1894.						
Jan.	6,	"	E. P. Miller	farm contract		300 00
	13,	"	Boname	6 months	30 00	
	29,	"	Lattin	6 "	39 90	
Feb.	27,	"	Davis	12 "	90 00	
	27,	"	Davis	principal		100 00
Mar.	2,	"	Norris	12 months	48 00	
	20,	"	Keating	6 "	42 50	
	20,	"	Keating	principal		100 00
	29,	"	Benedict	12 months	100 00	
April	2,	"	Merithew	principal		500 00
	2,	"	Sherwood	12 months	60 00	
	14,	"	Barrows	6 "	18 00	
	28,	"	Lobdell	6 " June 5, '93	31 62	
	28,	"	Lobdell	6 " Dec. 5, '93	30 72	
May	1,	"	Derrick	6 "	19 50	
	2,	"	Winsor	12 " Aug. 27, '93	78 00	
	5,	"	Buckley	6 "	24 00	
	7,	"	Sherwood	2 "	10 00	
						1,083 64
	7,	"	Sherwood	principal		1,000 00
						<u>\$6,302 88</u>

*List of Securities, May 15, 1894.*

		AMOUNT.	INTEREST PAID TO
James B. Brown,	to Fund.....	\$1,000 00	June 1, 1893
William D. Cooley,	" .....	1,500 00	June 17, "
Kelly & Odell, (assigned)	" .....	1,200 00	July 10, "
C. & F. W. Fritz, (contract)	with Fund....	512 50	July 29, "
Charles A. Winsor,	to Fund... ..	1,500 00	Aug. 27, "
James S. Merithew,	" .....	1,000 00	Oct. 22, "
James N. Livermore,	" .....	200 00	Nov. 12, "
William H. Ireland. (assigned)	" .....	350 00	Dec. 1, "
Helen M. Lobdell	" .....	1,000 00	Dec. 1, "
Lydia E. Mastin,	" .....	600 00	Dec. 19, "
Alonzo Lattin,	" .....	1,400 00	Jan. 1, 1894
William Ferguson,	" .....	1,200 00	Jan. 1, "
W. P. & E. Boname,	" .....	1,000 00	Jan. 9, "
William Norris,	" .....	800 00	Mar. 1, "
John P. Davis,	" .....	1,400 00	Mar. 1, "

Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society

Andrew F. Keating, (contract)	with Fund....	\$1,600 00	Apr.	1, 1894.
Edwin P. Miller, (contract)	" .....	2,200 00	Apr.	1, "
E. D. Moore,	to Fund.....	1,000 00	Apr.	2, "
B. S. Benedict,	" .....	2,000 00	Apr.	6, "
J. B. & Wm. P. Buckley,	" .....	800 00	Apr.	6, "
Elosia D. Barrows,	" .....	600 00	Apr.	18, "
Heman H. Derrick,	" .....	650 00	May	1, "
Cash on hand,	.....	1,962 88		
		<u>\$25,475 38</u>		

I. Bible and Prayer Book Society.

The Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York reports as follows:  
That it had on hand at the date of its last report, and has received since that date, cash as follows:

1893.	Cash on hand at date of last report .....	\$ 65 57
" Aug. 2,	Cash, Interest.....	30 00
" Nov. 3,	" " .....	85 00
1894. Feb. 2,	" " .....	59 38
" Feb. 7,	" " .....	15 00
" Mar. 1,	" " .....	12 50
" May 10,	" " .....	30 00
		<u>\$ 247 45</u>

That it has made the following disbursements:

1893, July 6,	Cash paid W. S. Taylor & Son, Bibles.....	\$ 8 00
" Aug. 26,	" " W. T. Smith & Co., Prayer Books.....	50 00
" Oct. 24,	" " W. S. Taylor & Son, Bibles .....	5 00
1894, Jan. 5,	" " " " .....	20 05
" Feb. 2,	" " W. T. Smith & Co., Prayer Books, .....	100 00
Balance to new account.....		64 40
		<u>\$ 247 45</u>

All of which is respectfully submitted,

P. C. J. DEANGELIS,

Dated June 1, 1894.

of the Executive Committee.

APPENDIX II.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Broome County.

Binghamton, Christ Church.

THE REV. ROBERT G. QUENNEL, RECTOR.

Wardens—Tracy R. Morgan, Geo. W. Lester.

Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 17, .....	21	Burials.....	20
Confirmed .....	18	Services—Sund. 167, weekd. 129,	296
Communicants—ad. 13, rec. 4,		Holy Communion—pub.109, priv.6	115
died 3, pres. no. ....	896	S. S. Teachers 17, Scholars 135..	152
Marriages .....	15		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	108 63	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	12 25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,985 00	Theological Education.....	19 67
Sunday School... ..	76 20	Bishop's assistance .....	37 50
Sale of property .....	3,000 00	Thanksgiving offering.....	28 60
New organ fund .....	138 50	H. G. S., Binghamton.....	20 80
Gifts to Rector.....	225 00	Missions—Domestic .....	7 00
Society of Mercy.....	147 52	General S.S. . . .	68 55
Parish Aid Society .....	1,212 17	S. P. G.....	1 25
Choir fund .....	410 27	K. M.....	1 25
Diocesan Missions... ..	291 36	W. A. bxs .....	117 41
“ K. M.andS.P.G.	11 15	S. P. G. bxs ....	49 00
“ W. A.....	35 00	K. M. bxs .....	4 97
“ W. A. bxs . . .	97 15	Foreign, W. A..	25 00
“K.M.andS.P.G.bxs	60 00	“ K. M... ..	25 00
General Fund.....	23 89	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	15 19
Christmas Fund .....	16 25		
Parochial, \$8,303.29; Diocesan, \$647.52; General, \$314.62 .....			\$9,265 48

Church Property—Church, \$75,000: Rectory, \$10,000; Parish House, \$7,000: \$92,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,500. Insurance, \$16,500.

Binghamton, Trinity Church.

THE REV. J. HENRY LAROCHE, RECTOR.

Wardens—John Anderson, J. K. Welden.

Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 24 .....	34	Burials.....	9
Confirmed .....	28	Holy Communion—pub.14, priv.2	16
Communicants.....	362	S. S. Teachers 28, Scholars 200..	228
Marriages .....	4		

Broome County : Whitney's Point.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 153 38	H. G. S., Binghamton, ...	\$ 28 21
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,961 94	Bishop's assistance .....	30 00
Sunday School.....	384 45	Bishop's golden wedding...	41 00
Repairs and Improvements.	365 86	Bishop's Jubilee.....	25 00
Lot in cemetery....	98 60	Slaterville .....	22 00
Church debt .....	3,800 00	Missions—Domestic .....	59 03
Charities .....	239 65	“ W.A.bxs.	57 63
King's Daughters .....	86 94	Foreign .....	83 00
Entertainment committee..	63 50	Bishop Leonard.....	53 50
Ministering League .....	4 06	Bishop Talbot ....	3 50
Citizens Relief committee...	150 00	Georgia flood sufferers. ...	5 00
Other Parochial objects ...	30 00	Bishop Ferguson's robes ...	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	251 07	King's Daughters bxs .....	92 79
General Fund.....	20 02	Children's Min. League bxs.	6 90
Christmas Fund. ....	37 98	Diocesan expenses, W. A...	12 45
Building Fund.....	12 38	Bishop Brewer .....	50 00
Rev. J. Scott .....	13 00	Chapel, Ford City, Pa. ....	50 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	19 25		
Parochial, \$9,338.38; Diocesan, \$599.91; General, \$478.80 ... .. \$10,417 09			

Church Property—Church, \$15,000; Rectory, \$8,000: \$23,000.

Indebtedness, \$500. Insurance, \$9,750.

The parish has received during the year a gift of \$2,500 for a new church building.

Whitney's Point, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES A. ROBINSON, RECTOR.

Wardens—M. F. Perry, Lafayette Bennett.

Families ...	15	Marriage .....	1
Confirmed. ....	3	Burials.....	2
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 92, weekd. 10...	103
30, all others 4, ad. 3, died 3,		Holy Communion—public.....	13
present no. ....	34	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 14 ...	16

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 153 00	Christmas Fund. ....	\$ 1 55
Sunday School.....	10 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 49
Repairs and Improvements.	39 00	Missions—Domestic .....	2 34
Diocesan Missions .....	23 84	Foreign .....	2 35
General Fund.....	3 50		
Parochial, \$202; Diocesan, \$32.38; General, \$4.69 ... .. \$ 229 07			

Church Property—Church, \$4,000.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Broome County : Windsor. Cayuga County : Auburn.

Windsor, Zion Church.

THE REV. ORIN A. SANDS, RECTOR.

Wardens—David Doolittle, Charles M. Comstock.

Families .....	36	Marriages ...	6
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 4 .	9	Burials .....	2
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 85, weekd. 68..	152
Communicants—ad. 4, died 1,		Holy Communion—pub.13,priv.1	14
rem. 1, present no.....	45	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 35....	41

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 24 70	Rev. John Scott, W. A.....	\$ 3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	487 86	Diocesan Pres. of W. A....	1 00
Sunday School ....	13 12	H. G. S., Syr., C. L. bx...	5 20
Repairs on organ.....	10 00	Bishop's golden wedding...	3 42
Furnace fund.....	125 00	Missions—Domestic ...	2 00
“ S. S.....	1 28	“ W. A. bx.	29 72
S. S. Library Books .....	6 62	Foreign .....	5 16
Diocesan Missions .....	40 98	Mrs. Buford, W.A. bx. ...	20 70
General Fund .....	4 00	General Missions, S. S. ....	20 80
Christmas Fund.....	2 85	St. Johnland, W. A. ....	2 37
Orph. Home, Binghamton,.	1 81	Thanksgiving offering . ...	2 85
Bishop's assistance .....	2 50	Children's League to St. J..	1 70
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	5 00	Bishops Talbot and Leonard	6 00
St. Andrew's Div. School .	3 57		
Parochial, \$668.58; Diocesan, \$73.33; General, \$91.30 .....			\$ 833 21

Church Property—Church, \$3,500; Rectory, \$1,450; Endowment, \$500: \$5,450.

Insurance, \$2,000.

The Rev. Mr. Sands resigned about the 1st of May on account of ill health.

Cayuga County.

Auburn St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN BRAINARD, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry D. Noble, Henry D. Titus.

Families .....	400	Services—Sund. 160, weekd. 260.	420
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 38 .....	41	Holy Communion—pub.75,priv.25	100
Communicants—died 8, rem. 25,		S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 180..	198
present no. ....	400	Industrial School—Teachers 35,	
Marriages .....	18	Scholars 221.....	256
Burials.....	47		

Cayuga County : Auburn—Moravia.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 162 46	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 60 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	8,767 00	Bishop's assistance .....	80 00
Sunday School .....	120 00	Testimonial to Bishop ...	158 00
Repairs and Improvements.	100 00	Onondaga Mission.....	25 00
Sewing School .....	100 00	Church at Clinton.....	10 00
Mother's Meetings.....	110 00	Church at Slaterville .....	50 00
Thanksgiving Offering ....	50 00	Theological Education.....	50 00
Special Charities ... ..	300 00	Missions—Domestic ... ..	240 00
St. Peter's Guild .....	200 00	"    W. A. bxs .....	205 00
Auburn City Hospital .....	240 00	Foreign .....	160 00
Diocesan Missions.....	340 00	Colored People..	5 00
"    W. A. bxs.	75 00	Church in North Carolina..	25 00
General Fund ... ..	60 00	Bishop Ferguson.....	10 00

Parochial, \$5,149.46; Diocesan, \$908; General, \$645.....\$6,362 4

Church Property—Church, \$85,000. Rectory, \$15,000. Other property—\$22,000: \$122,000.

Insurance, \$35,000.

Auburn, St. John's Church.

THE REV. CHARLES N. C. BROWN, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. U. Chedell, George Marland.

Families .....	84	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 14 .....	19	Burials .....	8
Confirmed ... ..	6	Services—Sund. 186, weekd. 189.	375
Communicants—ad. 5, rec. 7,		Holy Communion—pub.110, priv.5	1 15
died 3, rem. 5, present no.....	200	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 80....	87

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms, .....	\$ 37 16	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 3 80
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	973 01	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 43
Sunday School .....	34 99	Missions—Domestic .....	6 41
Repairs and Improvements.	165 71	Deaf Mutes ....	2 26
Other Parochial objects ..	151 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	14 56
Diocesan Missions .....	30 50		

Parochial, \$1,361.87; Diocesan, \$35.73; General, \$23.23.....\$1,420 83

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Chapel, \$3,000: \$28,000.

Indebtedness, \$25. Insurance, \$6,000.

Moravia, St. Matthew's Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. MURRAY, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Hiram H. Alley, Wing T. Parker.

Families .....	69	Burials ... ..	
Baptisms—Infant .....	6	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 79.	
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.48, priv.7	
127, died 3, present no.....	130	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 60...	
Marriages .....	5		

Cayuga County : Port Byron.

Chemung County : Big Flats.

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	637 25	Building Fund . . . . .	\$ 110 00
Sunday School . . . . .	40 95	Other Parochial objects . . .	8 00
Repairs and Improvements,	15 50	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	77 93
Insurance . . . . .	11 58	Christmas Fund . . . . .	8 00
Hymn Board . . . . .	7 50	Bishop's assistance . . . . .	5 00
New Prayer Books . . . . .	9 00	Bishop's anniversary . . . . .	5 75
Hymnals . . . . .	8 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	3 00
Parochial, \$832.78; Diocesan, \$91.68; General, \$3.00 . . . . .			\$ 927 46
Church Property—Church, \$5,000. Insurance, \$3,800.			

Port Byron, St. Paul's Church.

REPORTED BY LEONARD J. CHRISTLER, LAY READER.

Wardens—A. D. Stewart, Levi Thompson.

Families .....	20	Services—Sund. 53, weekd. 10...	63
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 3 .....	4	Holy Communion—public.....	6
Confirmed .....	5	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 24....	29
Communicants—within two years			
22, all others 19, ad. 6, pres.no.	22		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	95 96		Diocesan Missions .....	\$	2 00
Sunday School.....	2 00		Bishop's Relief Fund.....		2 00
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Parochial, \$97.96; Diocesan, \$4.00...				\$	101 96
Church Property—Church, \$1,800. Insurance, \$1,000.					

Chemung County.

Big Flats, St. John's Church.

THE REV. DAVID L. FERRIS, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Lucius Tuttle, Daniel B. Steele.

Families .....	20	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 1 .....	3	Services—Sund. 33, weekd. 1....	84
Confirmed .....	1	Holy Communion—public .....	4
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 35....	89
82, ad. 2, died 2, present no....	30		



Cayuga County : Elmira.

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	98 30	Bishop's testimonial .....	\$ 2 53
Sunday School.....	15 00	Missions—Dom., Mite chests	4 40
Diocesan Missions .....	14 00	Jews, ... ..	50
“ Ladies' Guild bxs	3 50	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	4 50
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Parochial, \$118.30; Diocesan, \$20.03; General, \$9.40 .....			\$ 148 73
Church Property—Church, \$2,000.			

Elmira, Trinity Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. McKNIGHT, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—W. C. Wey, M. D., Jackson Richardson.

Families .....	161	Burials.....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 9 .....	13	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 76..	178
Communicants—ad. 2, rec. 15...		Holy Communion—pub.23, priv.1	24
died 2, rem. 20, present no....	257	S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 150..	168
Marriages .....	14		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 133 72	St. Joseph's, Rome, .....	\$ 14 20
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,212 00	Parish at Slaterville.....	25 00
Sunday School.....	21 50	Bishop's Chaplain.....	38 04
Parish paper.....	19 71	Missions—Domestic .....	135 00
Thanksgiving Offering.....	14 18	“ W. A. bxs	173 00
Diocesan Missions .....	273 90	Foreign .....	185 00
General Fund ... ..	42 07	Increase of the Ministry...	100 00
Christmas Fund .....	30 80	Retiring Fund .....	20 44
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	12 57	Prison Association .. ..	9 10
House Good Shepherd .....	12 00	Bishop Wells .....	25 00
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Parochial, \$4,401 11; Diocesan, \$449.18; General, \$547.54 .....		\$5,398	
Church Property—Church, \$35,000. Rectory, \$5,000. Chapel, \$35,000.			
\$75,000.			

The confirmation in this parish was postponed until the visitation of Bishop in November.

Elmira, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM E. WRIGHT, RECTOR.

Wardens—George W. Kingsbury, Luther L. Barney.

Families .....	320	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 56 .....	66	Services—Sund. 208, weekd. 462,	67
Confirmed.....	35	Holy Communion—pub.310, priv.10	320
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 135..	150
290, all others 66, ad. 40, rec. 8,		Mission School—Teachers 7,	
died 6, rem. 12, present no....	320	Scholars 62 .....	69
Marriages .....	13		

Cayuga County : Elmira—Horseheads.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 87 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 7 80
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,548 00	Slaterville Springs .....	15 00
Sunday School.....	142 07	Missions—Domestic .....	25 00
Repairs and Improvements,	210 17	“ W. A. bxs .....	38 12
Rent of Parish Cottage....	88 00	Nashotah .....	20 00
Other Parochial objects....	35 00	St. Paul's Church, Troy, Pa.	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	85 00	N. Y. Sabbath Association..	5 00
Christmas Fund .....	5 56		
Parochial, \$3,110 24; Diocesan, 112.86; General, \$93.12 .....			
			\$3,816 22

Church Property—Church, \$20,429. Insurance, \$6,000.

This Parish supports St. Agnes' Chapel in the 7th ward of the city of Elmira, and the above report of baptisms, confirmations and communicants includes the work in that district.

Elmira, Emmanuel Mission.

THE REV. CHARLES D. ATWELL, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—Wm. Hathaway, R. Goldsmith, G. W. Young, S. Holtzapple, L. Mutschler.

Families .....	59	Burials.....	10
Baptisms—Ad. 11, Inf. 20.....	31	Services—Sund. 128, weekd. 125.	253
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 93, priv 1	94
88, all others 9, present no....	97	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 98...	108
Marriages .....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 12 50	Interest on indebtedness ...	\$ 171 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	375 00	St. Martha's Guild .....	265 88
Sunday School.....	55 00	Flowers .....	12 00
Easter Offering .....	47 00	Gifts for altar .....	67 00
Repairs and Improvements.	25 00	Hymn tablet.....	10 00
From churchings .....	2 50	Bishop's anniversary .....	6 77
Paid on indebtedness.....	300 00		
Parochial, \$1,342.88; Diocesan, \$6.77 .....			
			\$1,349 65

Church Property—Church, \$7,000.

Indebtedness, \$2,700. Insurance, \$2,000.

Horseheads, St. Matthew's Church.

THE REV. DAVID L. FERRIS, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Edward Bryan, Walter L. Dailey.

Families .....	54	Confirmed .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 9.....	13	Services—Sund. 63, weekd. 23...	86
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 7, priv. 1	8
58, ad. 4, rec. 10. rem. 1,		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 43....	47
present no. ....	58		

DIOCESE OF CENTRAL NEW YORK.

Cayuga County: Millport—Wellsburgh.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$ 4 94	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 6 36
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	325 68	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	2 00
Sunday School.....	21 66	Missions—Doin., mite bxs..	4 30
Diocesan Missions.....	26 65	Jews . . . . .	76
“ Ladies' Guild bxs	20 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	4 66
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Parochial, \$352.28; Diocesan, \$55.01; General, \$9.72 .....		\$ 417 01	

This report is from July 9, 1893, to April 30, 1894.

Millport, St. Mark's Mission.

Families .....	54	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 5 .....	12	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 50..	154
Confirmed .....	9	Holy Communion—pub.10, priv.1	11
Communicants—rem. 19, pres. no.	16	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 50....	57
Marriages.....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 265 00	Diocesan Missions, W. A. bxs	\$ 10 00
Sunday School ... ..	33 94	Christinas Fund ....	1 25
Cushions for church.....	130 50	Building Fund.....	1 00
Platform for choir .....	9 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 25
Library and book-case. ...	21 75	Missions—Indian .....	36
Diocesan Missions.....	20 00	<hr/>	
Parochial, \$460.19; Diocesan, \$36.50; General, \$0.36.....		\$ 497 05	

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,500.

Wellsburgh, Christ Church.

THE REV. CHARLES D. ATWELL, MISSIONARY,

Trustees—Harold Bevens, LaRue Colgrove, M. D., Lewis West.

Families .....	21	Services—Sund. 80, weekd. 25...	55
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 5 .....	7	Holy Communion—pub.12, priv.1	13
Communicants.....	29	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30....	35

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 208 96	Offerings .....	\$ 95 11
Sunday School ... ..	17 76	Diocesan Missions .....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements,	12 75	<hr/>	
Parochial, \$334.58; Diocesan, \$10.00.....		\$ 344 58	

Church Property—\$4,000.

Cayuga County : Van Etten.
Chenango County : Afton.

Van Etten, St. Thomas' Church.

THE REV. GEORGE W. McMULLIN, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—T. E. Smith, F. P. Thayer, O. P. Dimon, E. Canfield, M. D., Geo. Bonfield.

Families . . . . .	38	Confirmed . . . . .	10
Baptisms—Ad. 17, Inf. 16 . . . .	33	Services—Sund. 125, weekd. 137..	262
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public . . . .	32
36, ad. 11, rec. 1, rem. 2,		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 50 . . .	57
pres. no. . . . .	34		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . . \$	4 81	Rectory Building Fund . . . . \$	30 00
Missionary's Salary . . . . .	300 00	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	9 99
Sunday School . . . . .	18 75	Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	2 50
Expenses . . . . .	180 82	Bishop's Memorial . . . . .	1 00

Parochial, \$484.38; Diocesan, \$13.49 . . . . . \$ 497 87

Church Property—Church, \$5,500. Insurance, \$4,500.

The expenses were paid by receipts from suppers given by Ladies' Guild, a fair, and a gift of \$25 from Mr. Lillard, of New York.

Chenango County.

Afton, St. Ann's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Harrison Caswell, Nathan B. Stowell.

Families . . . . .	35	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 16 . .	68
Communicants—rec. 2, died 1,		Holy Communion—public . . . . .	12
rem. 1, present no. . . . .	45	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 20 . .	24
Burial . . . . .	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . . \$	13 47	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	12 31
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	194 87	Bishop's anniversary . . . . .	2 73
Sunday School . . . . .	1 83	Bishop's Chaplain . . . . .	1 78
Expense of Lenten Services,	4 76	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	75
Offering for books . . . . .	10 63		

Parochial, \$225.56; Diocesan, \$16.81; General, \$.075 . . . . . \$ 243 12

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Chenango County : Bainbridge—Greene.

Bainbridge, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEL, RECTOR.

Wardens—Joseph Juliand, N. D. Card.

Families .....	75	Burials .....	9
Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Services—Sund. 132, weekd. 118.	250
Communicants—rec, 2, died 5,		Holy Communion—public.....	80
rem. 3, pres. no. ....	97	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 40....	46
Marriages .....	6		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms... ..	\$ 49 68	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 4 34
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	843 35	Bishop's assistance . . . . .	6 00
Sunday School ... ..	11 58	Bishop's anniversary .....	5 75
Repairs and Improvements	436 39	Exps. Convocation .....	6 41
Gift to Rector .....	17 37	Missions—Domestic .....	5 31
Diocesan Missions.... ..	51 52	Woman's Auxiliary.....	15 00
General Fund .....	10 00	General Missions, S. S. ....	13 15
Christmas Fund .....	6 05		
Parochial. \$1,358.37; Diocesan, \$90.07; General, \$33.46 .....			\$1,481 90

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$3,000; Parish House, \$1,500: \$9,000

Insurance, \$6,125.

Greene, Zion Church.

THE REV. ALEXANDER H. ROGERS, RECTOR.

Wardens—F. E. Barnard, Frederick Juliand.

Families .....	130	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 6 .....	12	Burials.....	12
Confirmed .. ..	12	Services—Sund. 120, weekd. 103.	223
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.34,priv.3	37
207, all others 29, ad. 12, rec.		S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 85...	95
2, died 4, rem. 6, pres. no. ....	227		

Chenango County : Guilford.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 60 66	Diocesan Director, W. A. . .	\$ 4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,368 81	St. Andrew's Div. School ..	40 00
Sunday School... ..	35 11	Bishops assistance .....	25 00
Prayer Books and Hymnals	57 68	Missions—Domestic .....	18 98
Insurance on Church .....	300 00	S. S. Montana ..	11 20
“ Helping Hand ”.....	117 56	Jun. A. bx.....	6 20
Easter flowers.....	12 01	Foreign .....	27 57
Gifts to Rector and family .	67 57	“ Jun. A.....	5 00
Brotherhood of St. Andrew.	10 05	Jews.....	6 15
Diocesan Missions .....	225 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society—	6 42
“ Jun. W.A.	2 50	Church Building Fund ....	14 17
Diocesan expenses, “ “	1 50	Bishops Leonard and Talbot	
General Fund .. . . .	35 00	W. A.....	7 00
Christmas Fund .....	35 00	Mission House W. A.....	1 25
Shelter. J. A. bx. ....	10 75	General Missions... ..	47 37
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	7 29	Southern sufferers, W.A. bx	48 27
Onondaga Mission, W. A,..	12 00	Mrs. Buford, W. A. bx ....	36 55

Parochial, \$2,029 40; Diocesan, \$398.04; General, \$236.13 .....\$2,663 57

Church property—Church, \$50,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$53,000.

Insurance, \$31,500.

Guilford, Christ Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles W. Haynes, Nathan DeLavan.

Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 4, .....	11	Marriages .....	2
Confirmed .. . . .	11	Burials.....	7
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 87..	191
110. a.l others 32, rem. 6, pres,		Holy Communion—pub.58, priv.2	55
no. ....	142	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 40....	47

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$ 22 09	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 5 65
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	553 77	C, N. Y. Prayer Book Society	2 51
Sunday School.....	56 22	Rev. John Scott W. A.....	4 00
Repairs and Improvements.	86 53	Shelter, vegetables .....	5 00
Gifts to Rector.....	26 26	Shelter, cash .. . . .	3 25
Parish Endowment Fund ..	95 78	Bishop's anniversary .....	2 50
Gift to Organist.....	11 00	Missions—Jews .....	3 08
Parish Relief, W. A.....	15 00	General Missions... ..	12 79
Other Parochial Objects ...	13 40	Bishop Brewer, S. S. ....	10 00
Diocesan Missions.....	72 92	Bishops Talbot and Leonard	
“ S. S.....	9 00	W. A.....	3 00
“ Jun. A... ..	1 00	Diocesan Expenses, W. A..	3 00
General Fund.....	8 20	Jun. A....	2 00
Christmas Fund .....	3 24		

Parochial, \$880.15; Diocesan. \$117.27; General, \$33.87.....\$1,031 29

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$6,000.

Insurance, \$3,700.

Chenango County : Mount Upton—New Berlin.

Mount Upton, Grace Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	10	Services—Sund. 24, weekd. 1....	25
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion .....	12
13, rem. 1, pres. no.....	12		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 9 82	General Fund .....	\$ 1 72
Income Fenno Tudor Fund	130 08	Christmas Fund ....	1 20
Diocesan Missions. ....	5 56		
Parochial, \$139.90; Diocesan, \$8.48			\$148 88

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

New Berlin, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. KIRKLAND, RECTOR.

Wardens—Horace O. Moss, John T. White.

Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 2.....	6	Burials, .....	13
Confirmed.....	13	Services—Sund.106, weekd. 104..	210
Communicants—ad. 4, rec. 2,		Holy Communion—pub.18, priv.5	23
died 6, rem. 11, pres no. ....	146	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 70,	80
Marriages,. . . . .	6		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 56 07	H. G. S., Syr., W. A. barrel	\$ 31 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,357 00	Missions—Domestic .....	26 26
Sunday School.. ....	57 56	Foreign .....	15 47
Hymnals and Prayer Books	38 20	Colored W.A.bx.	75 64
Diocesan Missions, .....	172 58	Jews .....	9 00
General Fund .....	30 00	Increase of the Ministry...	29 19
Christmas Fund....	20 92	Aged and Disabled Clergy,	17 50
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	9 92	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	12 00
Bishop's Chaplain... ..	15 00	Children's Aid Society.....	5 81
Bishop's Testimonial .....	126 25		
Parochial, \$1,508.83; Diocesan. \$412.17; General, \$190.87.....			\$2,111 87

Church Property—Church, \$12,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$14,500.

Insurance, \$8,500.

Chenango County : Norwich—Oxford

Norwich, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. HENRY D. STEBBINS, RECTOR.

Wardens—William F. Jenks, Henry L. Marsh.

Families .....	177	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 12. ....	16	Burials.....	12
Confirmed.....	4	Services—Sund. 125, weekd 100..	225
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	34
225, all others 43, ad. 4, rec. 8,		S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 122..	140
died 1, rem. 3, present number	268		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	76 10	General Fund.....	\$ 30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,585 00	Christmas Fund ....	3 37
Sunday School. ....	26 82	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 00
Christmas Tree .....	40 00	Bishop's Chaplain Fund....	19 70
Easter offering for arrears		Missions—Domestic .....	14 87
and improvements.....	297 00	foreign .....	10 03
Thanksgiving offering .....	16 37	S. School general	35 30
Good Friday offering.....	2 08	Bishop Barker...	10 00
Diocesan Missions ...	98 16		
Parochial, \$2,043.37; Diocesan, \$152.23; General, \$70.20.....			\$2,265 80

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Rectory, \$3,400: \$28,400.

Indebtedness, \$350; Insurance, \$10,000.

The parish has also received, as memorial gifts, one large alms basin, and two new Prayer Books for Altar use. A parishioner has presented a brass railing for the choir space.

Oxford, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. EDWIN W. COLLOQUE, RECTOR.

Wardens—James W. Glover, Francis G. Clarke.

Families .....	130	Burials.....	10
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 4,.....	10	Services—Sund. 107, weekd 97 ..	204
Communicants—rec. 1, died 1,		Holy Communion—pub. 24, priv. 1	25
rem. 1, pres. no. ....	180	S. S. Teachers, 13, Scholars, 70,	88
Marriage .....	1		



Chenango County : Sherburne.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 125 53	Deaf Mutes .....	\$ 17 80
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,752 33	St. Andrew's Divinity Sch.	45 71
Sunday School.....	111 77	Honor Cottage....	30 00
Repairs and Improvements	322 89	Missions—Domestic .....	53 64
Insurance and Taxes .....	85 00	Foreign .....	40 00
Cemetery Gates.....	60 00	Colored People..	24 11
Thanksgiving Offering.....	68 62	Jews .....	12 75
Diocesan Mission.....	303 85	N. Y. Prayer Book Society	16 15
“ “ W. A. ....	15 00	Nashotah .....	5 00
General Fund and Bishop's		Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	31 17
Assistance .....	55 00	Bishop Brewer.....	15 00
Christmas Fund .....	69 51	Rev. F. B. Lewis ..	5 00
Building Fund.....	8 98	Mrs. Buford's Hospital ...	53 09
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	22 17	“ “ box	6 00
Prayer Books, McDonough	13 30	Sisters of Good Shepherd bx.	25 00
Convocation .....	42 00	“ “ Cash	15 00

Parochial, \$2,526.14; Diocesan, \$593 32; General, \$306.81..... \$3,427 28

Church Property—Church, Chapel and Rectory, \$30,000.

Insurance, \$16,000

Of the above, there were contributed, by the Honor Society, \$30; by the King's Daughters, \$160.03; and by the Parish Aid Society, \$303; total \$493.03.

Sherburne, Christ Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM E ALLEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—A. R. Gladwin, Charles H. Merchant.

Families .....	83	Confirmed .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 7 .....	9	Marriage .....	1
Communicants—within two years		Burials.....	7
103, all others 35, ad. 1, died 4,		Services—Sund. 127, weekd. 122.	249
rem. 15, present no.....	138	Holy Communion—pub.79, priv.2	81

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 65 64	General Fund.....	\$ 10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,326 96	Christmas Fund .....	6 25
Repairs and Improvements,	34 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 29
Christmas Tree .....	50 30	Thanksgiving.....	5 88
Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	27 49	Bishop's assistance .....	15 00
St. Agnes Guild. ....	18 60	Convocation expenses .....	10 43
Ladies Aid Society .....	268 47	Bishop's Anniversary.....	5 00
Sunday School.. .....	47 31	Missions—Domestic S. S. ..	10 50
Little Church Workers ....	35 00	Foreign S. S. ....	10 50
Diocesan Missions.....	74 93	Colored, S. S....	3 50
“ W. A. ....	11 00	Indian, S. S....	3 50

Parochial, \$1,873.77; Diocesan, \$143.78; General, \$28.00 ..... \$2,045 55

Church Property—Church and Chapel, \$9,000; Rectory, \$1,500; Trust Fund, \$400: \$10,900.

Insurance, \$6,000.

Cortland County : Cortland—Homer.

In addition to the above I have held two services, baptized two infants, and held one funeral at Trumansburgh, and eight services at Alexandria Bay. Christ Church has suffered a severe loss in the death of its senior warden, Mr. William Cook, well known in the Diocese and a life-long worker in the church.

Cortland County.

Cortland, Grace Church.

THE REV. AMOS WATKINS, RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry B. Hubbard, Edward D. Webb.

Families .....	115	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 11 .....	13	Burials.....	8
Confirmed .....	10	Services—Sund. 120, weekd. 90..	210
Communicants—rec. 6, died 2,		Holy Communion—public.....	65
rem. 5, present no. ....	193	S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 75...	86

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 86	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.. \$	2 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,526 93	Missions—Domestic, J. A. bx.	13 00
Repairs and Improvements,	906 00	Colored, J. A. bx.	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	70 07	Indian, J. A. bx.	4 00
General Fund.....	5 33	Deaf Mutes.....	6 15
Christmas Fund....	10 24	Increase of the Ministry...	1 34
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	4 74		
Parochial, \$2,433.79; Diocesan, \$92.38; General, \$26.49 ....			\$2,552 66

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Furniture, \$3,000; Organ Fund, \$520: \$13,520.

Insurance, \$8,250.

Homer, Calvary Church.

THE REV. PARKER FENNO, MINISTER.

Financial Committee—Albert Fisher, Earl Fowler, Nelson H. Waters, John J. Murray, John Ballard, Charles T. Gilbert.

Families.....	50	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 4 .....	5	Burials .....	5
Confirmed .....	7	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 18..	120
Communicants—died 2. rem. 3,		Holy Communion—public.....	6
present no. ....	60	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 40....	46

Jefferson County : Adams.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 7 00	Christmas Fund . . . . .	\$ 4 18
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	710 80	Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	5 00
Sunday School . . . . .	17 21	Bishop's Memorial . . . . .	11 00
Raising bell . . . . .	13 50	Bishop's Chaplain . . . . .	3 75
Repairing organ . . . . .	9 15	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	1 75
Hymnals . . . . .	12 30	Increase of the Ministry, ..	2 00
Prayer Books S. S. . . . .	21 50		
Parochial, \$791.46; Diocesan, \$28.93; General, \$3.75 . . . . .			\$ 819 14

Church Property—Church, \$5,000.

Indebtedness, \$250. Insurance, \$3,250.

The Ladies Guild paid \$150 towards current expenses.

Jefferson County.

Adams, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. EARL H. KENYON, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. V. Clark, Morgan Bryan.

Families . . . . .	33	Burials . . . . .	4
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 1 . . . . .	3	Services—Sund 74, weekd 13, . . .	87
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public . . . .	10
69, all others 17, rec. 4, pres. no.	90	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 60 . . .	68
Marriage . . . . .	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 8 01	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	\$ 51 35
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	565 34	“ J. A. box. . . . .	5 00
Sunday School . . . . .	10 03	Christmas Fund . . . . .	50
Repairs and Improvements	127 75	Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	4 03
“ “ by Ladies . . . . .	86 25	Diocesan Exp's fund, W. A. . . .	1 00
“ “ by S. S. . . . .	31 00	Rev. Mr. Dantzer, Jr. A. . . .	1 25
Altar cloths . . . . .	15 00	Missions—Domestic, W. A. . . .	5 00
Christmas gifts to S. S. . . . .	15 00	Colored, W. A. . . . .	1 95
Gifts to Rector and wife . . . .	45 00	“ W. A. bxs . . . . .	26 50
Gifts to the pcor . . . . .	17 50	Jews . . . . .	50
Other Parochial objects . . . .	3 75		
Parochial, \$924.62; Diocesan, \$63.13; General, \$33.95 . . . . .			\$1,022 50

Church Property—Church, \$4,800.

Indebtedness, \$110. Insurance, \$2,000.

Jefferson County : Antwerp—Brownville—Cape Vincent.

Antwerp, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. J. HYPKIN BROWN, MINISTER.

Warden—A. L. Hilton.

Families .....	35	Marriages . . . . .	5
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 9 .....	12	Burials .....	8
Confirmed .....	5	Services—Sund. 86, weekd. 20..	106
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.6, priv.1,	7
53, all others 10, died 1, pres.no.	52	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 53....	58

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	18 00	Repairs and Improvements.\$	850 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	593 88	Diocesan Missions.....	47 60
Sunday School.....	27 91	“ W. A. bx.	20 00

Parochial, \$987.79; Diocesan, \$67.60.....\$1,059 89

Church Property—Church \$4,000; Rectory, \$1,800: \$5,800.

Insurance, \$2,800.

Brownville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. CHARLES E. S. RASAY, MINISTER.

Wardens—Charles Outterson, Edward N. Giles.

Baptisms—Infant .....	2	Holy Communion—public .....	2
Burials .....	3	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 20....	22
Services—Sund. 40, weekd. 8....	48		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	169 88	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	\$ 30 09
Sunday School.....	1 26	“ W. A. bxs	25 00
Repairs and Improvements,	22 85	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	9 03
Other Parochial objects... 35 95			
Parochial, \$229.94; Diocesan, \$64.09 .....			\$ 294 03

Cape Vincent, St. John's Church.

THE REV. SAMUEL W. STROWGER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Erastus K. Burnham, J. Albert Scobell.

Families .....	79	Marriages . . . . .	3
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 7, .....	15	Burials .....	9
Confirmed .....	27	Services—Sund. 124, weekd. 42	166
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.18, priv.1	19
126, all others 15, ad. 26, rec. 3,		S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 100..	111
present no. ....	141		

Jefferson County : Carthage—Clayton.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	51 67	Church at Slaterville .....	\$	25 71
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	700 77	Shelter, Syr., W. A. bxs...		10 94
Sunday School.....	137 83	Bishop's memorial .....		5 23
Repairs and Improvements.	276 26	Missions—Domestic .....		5 50
Diocesan Missions.....	99 62	Foreign .....		2 00
Christmas Fund .....	19 45	Colored People..		1 50
Bishop's Chaplain ... ..	7 95	Indian .....		2 00
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	10 10	Thank offering fund, W.A.,		5 00
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	3 33			
Parochial, \$1,166.53; Diocesan, \$182.33; General, \$16.....				\$1,364 86

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,000.

Insurance, \$5,000.

Carthage, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM M. GILBERT, RECTOR.

Wardens—H. W. Hammond, James Pringle.

Families .....	75	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 13, Inf. 6 .....	19	Burials.....	8
Confirmed.. . . .	21	Services—Sund. 111, weekd. 71..	182
Communicants—ad. 18, rec. 5.		Holy Communion—public .....	45
rem. 4, present no. ....	124	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 56 ...	65

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$	11 95	Episcopate Fund .. .....	\$	3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary .	1,121	52	Bishop's Relief Fund.....		6 86
Repairs and Improvements,	29	01	Bishop's Chaplain fund....		15 33
Diocesan Missions .....	79	20	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,		2 18
General Fund.....	10	00			
Parochial, \$1,162.48; Diocesan, \$114.39; General, \$2.18 .....					\$1,279 05

Indebtedness, \$250.

Clayton, Christ Church.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Richard M. Esselstyne, J. E. Liddy.

Families .....	37	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 8 .....	12	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	3	Services—Sund. 92, weekd. 70. .	162
Communicants—rec. 3, died 3,		Holy Communion—pub.43, priv.7	50
rem. 3, pres. no. ....	60	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 62 ...	70

Jefferson County : Ellisburgh—Frederick's Corners.

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms.....\$	12 17	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	699 12	Testimonial to Bishop .....	3 50
Sunday School .....	10 00	Missions—Domestic .....	21 40
Repairs and Improvements, .	44 63	“ W.A.bxs	8 00
Gifts to Rector.....	16 34	Africa, J. A.....	1 50
Printing.....	5 00	Rev. E. DeWolf .....	3 00
Vestments for choir .....	21 67	N. Y. World Bread fund ..	4 00
Other Parochial objects....	100 00	N. Y. Clothing fund.....	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	86 48		
Parochial, \$908 93; Diocesan, \$92.98; General, \$42.90, .....		\$1,044 81	

Church Property—Church, \$8,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$10,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,300. Insurance, \$6,500.

The parish is indebted to the Rev. G. H. Breed, Rector of St. John's, Brooklyn, for several gifts, and also to Mr. Sherman H. Esselstyne, of Brooklyn, and Mrs. W. Serell, of Boonton, N. J., who kindly furnished altar vases and a set of purple hangings.

Ellisburgh, Christ Church.

THE REV. ANSON J. BROCKWAY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	12	Burial.....	1
Baptisms—Adult.....	1	Services—Sund. 14. weekd. 3....	17
Communicants.....	12	Holy Communion—public .....	3

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms .....	\$ 2 53	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 6 91
Minister's horse.....	3 50	General Fund .....	3 15
Gifts to Rector.....	25 00	Missions—Domestic .....	1 50
Material for W. A., &c.....	96	Box sent to North Carolina.	13 00
Balance on hand .....	18 25		
Parochial, \$50.24; Diocesan, \$10.03; General, \$14.50 .....		\$ 74 80	

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Frederick's Corners, St. Paul's Mission.

THE REV. EARL H. KENYON, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	12	Services—Sund. 20, weekd. 1....	21
Confirmed .....	1	Holy Communion—public .....	2
Communicants.....	16	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 29 ...	34
Burial .....	1		

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms.....	\$ 1 49	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 1 65
Diocesan Missions .....	4 87		
Parochial, \$1.49; Diocesan, \$6.52 .....		\$ 8 01	

Church Property—Church, \$1,600. Insurance, \$1,200.

Jefferson County : LaFargeville—Pierrepont Manor.

LaFargeville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—W. F. Ford, E. C. Cummins.

Families .. .. .	27	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 2, .....	4	Services—Sund. 44, weekd. 10...	54
Confirmed ... .. .	3	Holy Communion—public .....	10
Communicants—died 1, rem. 1, present no. .. .. .	52	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30,...	35

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	262 86	Diocesan Missions, W.A.bx. \$	4 27
Sunday School.....	11 50	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	3 00
Repairs and Improvements.	16 94	Testimonial to Bishop . .	1 50
Gifts to Rector.....	2 72	Missions—Domestic .....	10 00
Vestments for choir.....	18 00	“ W. A. bx	16 00
Diocesan Missions .....	23 70		
Parochial, \$312.02; Diocesan, \$31.47; General, \$26 .....			\$369 49

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Pierrepont Manor, Zion Church.

THE REV. ANSON J. BROCKWAY, RECTOR.

Wardens—William M. White, J. A. Bemis.

Families .. .. .	33	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 13, Inf. 2 .....	15	Burials.....	4
Confirmed .. .. .	5	Services—Sund. 82, weekd. 25...	107
Communicants—died 2, rem. 3, present no.....	52	Holy Communion—public....	12
		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 34....	39

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms..... \$	13 61	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 1 91
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	102 99	Gift to the Bishop .....	7 50
Sunday School... ..	5 80	W. A. to Diocesan President	1 20
Prayer Books and Hymnals	45 00	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary ..	1 30
Ladies Soc. for Sexton, &c.	52 06	H. G. S., Utica, J. A. bx..	8 00
Diocesan Missions .. .. .	20 18	Missions—Indian, W.A. bx.	7 30
“ W. A. bxs	30 69	Bishop Ferguson, W. A....	1 55
General Fund.....	4 00	S. S. box to N. C... ..	7 15
Christmas Fund ... ..	85	Deaf Mutes, J. A. ....	50

Parochial, \$219.46; Diocesan, \$75.63; General, \$16.50..... \$ 311 59

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$8,000.

Insurance, \$5,000.

Jefferson County : Redwood—Sacketts Harbor.

Redwood, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN SMILEY, MINISTER.

Families .....	24	Services—Sund. 48; weekd. 7....	55.
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 2 ..	3	Holy Communion—pub. 2, priv. 1	3
Confirmed ...	10	S. S. Teacher 4, Scholars 30.....	34
Communicants .....	34		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 4 00	Diocesan Mission—W. A. bx \$	9 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	181 45	Christmas Fund.....	4 46
Sunday School.....	18 84	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 38
Organ Fund.....	86 00	Bishop's Chaplain Fund ...	3 58
Gift to Rector's wife ..	6 50	Missions—Domestic .....	5 72
Diocesan Missions.....	28 71	Foreign .....	5 00

Parochial, \$211.65; Diocesan, \$50.18; General, \$:0.72 ..... \$ 272 50

Church Property—\$2,500. Insurance, \$2,000.

Sackett's Harbor, Christ Church.

THE REV. FRANK M. BAUM, MINISTER.

Wardens—E. S. Knowlton, Charles G. Bartlett.

Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Confirmed ...	4
Communicants—within two years		Marriages .....	4
85, all others 35, rec. 3. rem. 5.		Services—Sund. 94. weekd. 8 ...	102
present no.....	79	S. S. Teachers 6. Scholars 30....	36

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 10 43	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 2 47
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	534 61	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	4 22
Sunday School.....	17 40	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	2 70
Parsonage .....	182 49	Chaplain Fund .....	8 67
Donations to Minister. . .	40 00	Easter offering S. S.....	7 69
King's Sons and Daughters,	15 66	N. Y. Prayer Book Soc. ...	2 70
Diocesan Missions .....	45 63	Deaf Mutes.....	6 64
General Fund.....	5 00		

Parochial, \$820.59; Diocesan, \$76.38; General. \$9.34..... \$ 906 31

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$6,200.

Indebtedness, \$550. Insurance, \$2,500.



Jefferson County : Theresa—Watertown.

Theresa, St. James' Church.

THE REV. JOHN SMILEY, MINISTER.

Wardens—Franklin Parker, Peter Schwartz.

Families .....	50	Burials.....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 12, Inf. 3, ..	15	Services—Sund. 49, week'd. 10 ..	59
Confirmed .....	16	Holy Communion—public.....	2
Communicants—rem. 1, pres. no.	54	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 49 ..	55
Marriages .....	3		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$ 3 10	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 32 12
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	281 36	Christmas Fund .....	1 56
Sunday School.....	21 28	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	3 19
Repairs .....	43 31	Bishop's Chaplain Fund ...	3 00
General Improvements ....	142 77	Missions—Domestic ... ..	5 00
Sacristy ... ..	52 25	Foreign ... ..	5 28

Parochial, \$544.07; Diocesan, \$39.87; General, \$10.28..... \$ 594 23

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$4,200.

Insurance, \$2,500.

Two very beautiful windows have been recently added to the Church in memory of Lucius H. Hannahs and his first wife, Mrs. Harriett Hannahs, by his widow Mrs. Lucius Hannahs.

Watertown, Trinity Church.

THE REV. J. SANDERS REED, RECTOR.

THE REV. O. E. HERRICK, D. D., THE REV. F. P. WINNE, ASSISTANTS.

Wardens—A. H. Sawyer, H. H. Babcock.

Families .....	385	Marriages .....	30
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 38, ..	44	Burials.....	56
Confirmed .....	16	Services—Sund. 160, weekd. 350,	510
Communicants—ad. 16, rec. 11,		Holy Communion—public.....	92
died 19, rem. 10. pres. no. ....	923	S. S. Teachers 55, Scholars 397..	453

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 462 20	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 36 10
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	5,028 20	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	19 07
Sunday School... ..	321 69	Bishop's Memorial offering.	100 00
Repairs and Improvements,	2,488 60	St. Andrew's, Woods Falls.	190 00
Endowment fund for family		Redeemer, No. Watertown.	200 00
of late Rector .....	8,311 50	Missions—Domestic .....	468 80
Ladies' Aid Society .. ..	83 51	W. A. bxs .....	345 11
Other Parochial objects ...	3,904 81	Foreign ....	309 00
Diocesan Missions .....	668 28	Colored, J. A. bx.	17 69
Ladies Aid and J. A. bxs ..	105 08	Indian .....	85 00
General Fund.....	60 00	Increase of the Ministry ..	30 08
Christmas Fund .....	77 08		

Parochial, \$20,599.91; Diocesan, \$1,435.61; General, \$1,255.60 ... \$23,291 13

Church Property—Church, \$127,000; Rectory, \$15,500: \$142,500.

Insurance, \$68,500.

*Jefferson County : Watertown. Lewis County : Constableville.*

# Watertown, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM H. BOWN, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—C. D. Wright, L. F. Phillips.

Families .....	150	Burials .....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 14 .....	17	Services—Sund. 120, weekd. 114.	234
Confirmed .....	3	Holy Communion—pub. 40, priv. 3	43
Communicants .....	225	S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 125 ..	140
Marriages .....	5		

## OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 80 00	Diocesan Missions—W. A. bxs. \$	77 10
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,955 00	Christmas Fund .....	12 00
Sunday School .....	79 93	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	45 00
Repairs and Improvements.	1,700 00	Missions—Domestic .....	12 42
Interest money .....	1,100 00	Colored People ..	7 00
Other Parochial objects....	671 81	Deaf Mutes .....	23 50
Diocesan Missions .....	225 00	Junior Aux .....	23 50

Parochial, \$6,586.74; Diocesan, \$359.10; General, \$65.92.....\$7.011 76

Church Property—Church. \$40,500.

Indebtedness, \$20,000. Insurance, \$24,000.

# Lewis County.

## Constableville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. W. GORDON BENTLEY, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Levi M. Plumb, William A. Johnson.

Families .....	40	Confirmed .....	11
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 8 .....	9	Burials .....	7
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 62, weekd. 106..	168
87, all others 7, ad. 10, died 1,		Holy Communion—public .....	27
rem. 1, present no .....	94	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 60....	68

## OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 35 77	Bishop's assistance .....	\$ 7 49
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	525 14	Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A. ....	3 00
Sunday School .....	15 36	Diocesan expenses, W. A. ..	85
Gifts to Rector .....	55 00	H. G. S., Utica, J. A. bx ..	8 95
Guild .....	27 14	Missions—Domestic, W. A. .	1 25
Diocesan Missions .....	51 82	“ W. A. bx.	61 86
General Fund .....	11 08	Foreign .....	89
Christmas Fund .....	2 69	Deaf Mutes .....	1 75
Building Fund .....	1 58	Increase of the Ministry....	1 58
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	5 68	General Missions, S. S. ....	10 68
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	1 38	J. A., bx .....	2 92

Parochial, \$658.41; Diocesan, \$94.52; General, \$80.93.....\$ 833 86

Church Property—Church, \$1,200; Fund, \$1,800: \$3,000.

Insurance, \$1,200.

The Guild contributed \$75 towards the Rector's salary in addition to the amount reported as raised by the society.

Lewis County : Greig—Lowville.

Greig, Trinity Mission.

THE REV. W. GORDON BENTLEY, MISSIONARY.

Committee—Jacob Van Woert, James B. Van Woert.

Families .....	15	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Infant .....	2	Burials.....	2
Confirmed, at Port Leyden.....	1	Services—Sunday .....	12
Communicants—ad. 2, died 1, rem. 1, pres. no.....	25	Holy Communion—public.....	4

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	45 00	Domestic Missions.....	1 41
Diocesan Missions .....	1 49		
Parochial, \$45; Diocesan, \$1.49; General, \$1.41; .....		\$	47 90

Lowville, Trinity Church.

THE REV. CHARLES H. TINDELL, RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry C. Northam, Frederick McCulloch.

Families .....	85	Burials.....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 2,.....	5	Services—Sund. 94, weekd. 48, ..	142
Confirmed .....	39	Holy Communion—pub. 16, priv. 3	19
Communicants. ....	120	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 50,....	56
Marriages . . . . .	6		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 16 71	W. A. Lenten work .....	\$ 10 58
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,035 52	Thanksgiving offering.....	3 00
Sunday School .....	23 66	Diocesan Missions. ....	56 66
Repairs, Rectory, organ, etc.	47 51	Christmas Fund .....	1 98
Woman's Auxiliary .....	102 65	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	14 66
W. A. District expenses....	2 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Society	2 00
Daughters of the King.....	29 20	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary ....	3 00
Junior Auxiliary.....	102 42	Lincolnton, N. C., W. A. bx..	32 00
Parochial, \$1,373.25; Diocesan, \$78.36; General, \$32,.....			\$1,483 61

Church Property—Church, Organ, etc. \$13,500; Rectory and stable, \$3,500: \$17,000.

Insurance, \$8,000.

*Lewis County : Port Leyden. Madison County : Brookfield.*

**Port Leyden, St. Mark's Church.**

THE REV. W. GORDON BENTLEY, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—T. J. Sawyer, Archibald McVickar.

Families... ..	26	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 9....	61
Confirmed.....	1	Holy Communion—public.....	12
Communicants—died 1, pres no..	39	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20 ..	23
Burials, ....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms ....	\$ 11 48	General Fund . . . . .	\$ 3 88
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	162 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 80
Sunday School.....	10 18	Missions—Dom. W. A. bxs.	20 00
Repairs and Improvements	64 69	General Missions S. S.....	5 00
Diocesan Missions, .....	16 19	J. A. bxs.....	9 35

Parochial, \$248.30; Diocesan. \$21.87; General, \$34.35... .. \$ 804 52

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,000.

The assessment for Bishop's assistance fund, and balance due on General Fund for the year were paid by the Rector from the Communion Alms.

**Madison County.**

**Brookfield, St. Timothy's Mission.**

THE REV. EDWARD B. DOOLITTLE, MISSIONARY.

*Trustees*—E. R. D. Mayne, A. Crandall, F. D. Rogers.

Families.....	10	Services—Sund. 40, weekd 27...	67
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 7,.....	10	Holy Communion—public.....	4
Confirmed.....	3	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 14....	16
Communicants—within two years			
10, all others 1, pres. no.....	11		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 1 21	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 3 37
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	7 37	Bishop's Relief Fund... ..	1 60
Sunday School .....	1 05	Bishop's Anniversary Fund.	35
Repairs and Improvements	430 41	N. Y. Prayer Book Society	1 00

Parochial, \$440.04; Diocesan, \$5.32; General, \$1.00... .. \$ 446 36

Church Property—Church, \$1,200.

Indebtedness, \$578.47. Insurance, \$500.

Madison County : Cazenovia—Canastota.

Cazenovia, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN T. ROSE, RECTOR.

Wardens—John V. Needham, William Watkins.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 5 .. . . .	6	Burials.. . . .	8
Confirmed .. . . .	4	Services—Sund. 122, weekd.110..	232
Communicants—rec. 3, died 2,		Holy Communion—pub. 50,priv 1	51
rein. 4, pres. no. ....	133	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 94 ...	103
Marriages.....	3		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 79 60	Bishop's Memorial .....	\$ 5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary.	1,866 94	Convocation .....	14 30
Sunday School.....	161 43	Salary Rev. Mr. Scott .....	5 00
Altar Society .....	10 65	Rev. Mr. Scott, bx. ....	12 00
Boy's Guild. ....	78 99	Money for charity, &c.....	40 00
Home Charity K. D.....	189 14	Boxes for Hospitals.....	42 00
Home Expenses. J. A.....	20 00	Missions—Domestic ... ..	100 21
Thanksgiving Offering.....	31 05	“ W. A. bxs	33 40
Other Parochial Objects. ..	50 00	Foreign ....	26 00
Diocesan Missions. . . . .	164 20	Colored, W. A. bxs	7 30
General Fund and Chaplain	35 00	Indian W. A. bxs	33 50
Christmas Fund.....	28 98	Am. Ch. Building fund...	19 20
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	23 68	Jane Dows Wescott memorial	5 00

Parochial, \$2,487.80; Diocesan, \$370.16; General, \$224.61.....\$3,082 57

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$3,000; Organ, \$1,800: \$9,300.

Insurance, \$5,000.

In addition to the above during the year the Church has been enlarged and a Guild Room built at a cost of about \$1,900.

Canastota, Trinity Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. OTTAWAY, MINISTER.

Trustees—William H. Patten, President. William Taylor, M. D., Secretary.

Families.....	43	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 8 .....	10	Burials.....	4
Confirmed.....	3	Services—Sund. 49, weekd 8. ...	57
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 7, priv 2	9
60, ad. 3, rec. 6, died 2, rem. 6,		S S. Teachers 4, Scholars 50 ...	54
pres. no .....	62		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 260 85	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 4 71
Sunday School ... ..	17 13	Bishop's testimonial.....	1 90
Repairs and Improvements.	177 88	Missions—Domestic .....	9 04
Diocesan Missions.....	15 05		
Parochial, \$455.86; Diocesan, \$21.66; General, \$9.04 .....			\$ 486 56

Church Property—Church, \$3,550. Insurance, \$2,500.

Madison County : Chittenango—Earlville—Hamilton.

Chittenango, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. OTTAWAY, MINISTER.

Wardens—J. H. H. French, T. M. Hatch.

Families .....	17	Burials... ..	2
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 49, weekd. 2....	51
25, died 2, pres. no. ....	23	Holy Commuion—public.....	7

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	220 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	4 85
Diocesan Missions .....	8 96	Bishop's testimonial .....	7 00
Bishop's Chaplain.....	2 00		
Parochial, \$220; Diocesan, \$22.81 .....			\$ 242 81

Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.

Earlville, Grace Church.

THE REV. EDWIN C. ALCORN, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	24	Burials....	2
Baptisms—Adult .....	5	Services—Sund. 58, weekd. 50...	108
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	20
89, all others 4, died 1, pres. no.	42	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 30....	34
Marriage .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	241 33	Bishop's Chaplain .....	\$ 2 50
Sunday School .....	5 00	Missions—Domestic .....	6 80
Diocesan Missions.....	7 70		
Parochial, \$246.33; Diocesan, \$10.20: General, \$6.80 .....			\$ 263 30

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,500.

This report covers only the last six months of the conventional year.

Hamilton, St. Thomas' Church.

THE REV. FRANK P. HARRINGTON, RECTOR.

Wardens—Joseph Mason, B. J. Stimson.

Families ... ..	69	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Adult.....	1	Burials.....	5
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 99, weekd. 70...	169
78, all others 22, rec. 4, rem. 5.		Holy Communion—public.....	69
present no. ....	99	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 25....	31

Madison County : Oneida.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	48 81	Bishop's assistance . . . . .	\$	10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,048 86	Missions—Domestic . . . . .		8 60
Sunday School.....	37 06	“ W. A. bxs		16 20
Repairs and Improvements	43 00	Foreign . . . . .		4 32
Parish Aid Society .....	153 80	Colored, W. A. bxs		16 00
Diocesan Missions.....	43 87	Jews . . . . .		2 00
“ W. A. bxs	42 75	Deaf Mutes.....		3 34
General Fund.....	15 00	Increase of the Ministry...		3 59
Christmas Fund .....	9 60	Woman's Auxiliary .....		15 81
Building Fund.....	7 57	Junior Auxiliary .....		68 09
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	5 43	General Missions, S. S. ...		10 25
Bishop's anniversary .....	6 20			
Parochial, \$1,331 53; Diocesan, \$140.42; General, \$143.20 .....				\$1,615 15

Church Property—Church, \$3,800: Rectory, \$1,600: \$5,400.

Insurance, \$4,500.

Oneida, St. John's Church.

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. W. Mott, E. F. Jewell.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 15 .....	16	Burials.....	8
Confirmed. ....	9	Services—Sund. 101, weekd. 103.	206
Communicants—died 1, rem. 4,		Holy Communion—public.....	71
present no.....	219	S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 80...	91
Marriages .....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$	24 00	General Fund.....	\$	30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,377 21		Christmas Fund. ....		15 53
Sunday School.....	78 30		Bishop's Relief Fund.....		8 22
Repairs and Improvements.	14 78		Testimonial to Bishop .....		10 00
Music.....	16 18		Bishop's assistance . . . . .		10 00
“ Parish Workers.....	59 50		Missions—Domestic . . . . .		25 37
Parish Workers . . . . .	146 25		“ W. A. bxs		72 62
Daughters of the King ....	55 06		“ D. K. bx...		23 20
Charity fund.....	27 40		“ J. A. bx..		16 80
Parish paper.....	130 00		Foreign . . . . .		13 95
Lenten offering .....	30 61		Deaf Mutes.....		25 56
Easter offering.....	127 65		Bishop Leonard, Utah, A. R.		10 25
Diocesan Missions .....	64 50		Natural History Collection,		
“ W. A. bxs	33 46		W. A., Bishop Graves		125 00

Parochial, \$2,086.94; Diocesan, \$171.71; General, \$295.95 .....

Church Property—Church, \$10,000. Rectory, \$5,000: \$15,000.

Insurance, \$7,500.

Oneida County : Augusta—Boonville.

Oneida County.

Augusta, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. CHARLES T. RAYNOR, MINISTER.

Wardens—Horatio Scott, George Hayward.

Families .....	12	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 1 ...	53
Communicants .....	15	Holy Communion—public .....	3

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 2 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 2 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	100 00	Missions—Domestic .....	5 00
Other Parochial objects ...	13 00	Bishop Ferguson.....	1 00
Diocesan Missions....	12 00	Mrs. Buford.....	3 00
Christmas Fund .....	1 00		
Parochial, \$115.00; Diocesan, \$15.00; General, \$9 .....			\$189 00

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

Boonville, Trinity Church.

REPORTED BY WILLIAM F. OWENS, WARDEN.

Wardens—W. F. Owens, S. A. Johnson.

Families ... ..	34	Burial.....	1
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 5, weekd. 5.....	10
64, died 1, present no... ..	63	Holy Communion—public .....	1

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 3 38	Repairs and Improvements, \$	29 49
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	53 17	New furnace.....	155 00
Parochial .....			\$ 241.04

Church Property—Church, \$5,000. Insurance, \$2,800.

Bridgewater, Christ Church.

THE REV. EDWARD B. DOOLITTLE, MINISTER.

Wardens—Horace Hubbard, C. V. J. Doolittle, M. D.

Families .....	25	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1 .....	2	Burials.....	3
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 8,...	60
Communicants within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	4
17, rec. 1, present no. ....	17	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 10....	12



Oneida County : Camden—Clarks Mills.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 1 91	General Fund .....	4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	118 35	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 45
Sunday School .....	1 42	St. Andrew's Div. School ..	2 80
Repairs and Improvements.	85 00	Bishop's Chaplain ... ..	2 00
New organ... ..	60 00	Bishop's anniversary .....	1 00
Balance from fair .....	60 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	3 50
Diocesan Missions.....	15 97		
Parochial, \$326.68; Diocesan, \$29.23; General, \$3.50.....		\$	359 40

Church Property—Church, one-third interest, \$200.  
Insurance, \$500.

Camden, Trinity Church.

THE REV. JOEL DAVIS, RECTOR.

Wardens—P. B. Miller, A. W. Abbott.

Families.....	25	Burials....	7
Communicants—died 7, rem. 7,		Services—Sund. 49, weekd 40....	89
present no.....	75	Holy Communion—pub. 12,priv. 2	14
Marriages ..	6	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 25....	31

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 12 36	King's Daughters.....	\$ 8 51
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	647 22	Diocesan Missions .....	27 99
Sunday School .....	15 00	General Fund.....	1 75
Repairs and Improvements	2 00	C.N.Y. Prayer Book Society	2 00
Parochial, \$685.09; Diocesan, \$31.74 .....		\$	716 83

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,000

Clark's Mills, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, MINISTER IN CHARGE.

Business Committee—S. Newhall, N. Ashley, Geo. Hammond.

Families.....	24	Burial.....	1
Baptisms—Infant .....	3	Services—Sund. 116, weekd 18..	134
Communicants—died 1, pres. no.	34	Holy Communion—public .....	18
Marriage .....	1	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 43....	47

Oneida County : Clayville—Clinton.

OFFERINGS

Communion Alms.....\$	3 82	Interest and insurance. ...\$	82 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	122 00	Diocesan Missions.....	12 00
Sunday School.....	8 91	Missions—Domestic.....	1 71
Repairs and Improvements	11 20		
Parochial, \$177.93; Diocesan, \$12; General, \$1.71.....			\$ 191 64

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

Indebtedness on Rectory \$500; Insurance, \$1,200.

Plush Company's subscription of \$100 of former years has been reduced to \$50.

Clayville, St. John's Church.

THE REV. EDWARD B. DOOLITTLE, MINISTER.

Wardens—H. C. Steele, Charles McDowell.

Families.....	26	Marriages.....	2
Baptisms—Adult 3, Infant 2....	5	Services—Sund. 50, weekd 27....	77
Confirmed .....	5	Holy Communion—public .....	5
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 14 ....	16
27, all others 4, rec. 4, pres. no.	31		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	2 33	General Fund.. ....	\$ 4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	183 59	Bishop's Relief Fund... ..	4 68
Sunday School.....	2 76	St. Andrew's Divinity School	3 73
Repairs and Improvements	57 51	Bishop's Chaplain... ..	4 00
Furnaces.....	179 00	Bishop's anniversary fund	58
Diocesan Missions.....	14 95	N. Y. Prayer Book Society	2 77

Parochial, \$425.19; Diocesan, \$31.94: General, \$2.77..... \$ 459 90

Church Property—Church, \$5,000.

Indebtedness for Furnace \$119.

Clinton, St. James' Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles H. Smyth, David Mannering.

Families.....	83	Burials .....	8
Baptisms—Infant .....	4	Services—Sund. 160, weekd 82..	242
Confirmed.....	8	Holy Communion—pub 30, priv.2,	32
Communicants—died 3, pres. no.	184	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75....	84
Marriage .....	1		

*Onondaga County : Durhamville—Holland Patent.*

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	32 48	General Fund ... .. \$	5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,125 89	Christmas Fund .. .. .	1 87
Sunday School.....	62 47	Bishop's Relief Fund... ..	15 00
Repairs and Improvements	723 12	Missions—Domestic .....	26 71
Diocesan Missions .....	89 71		
Parochial.\$1,943.96.; Diocesan, \$111.58; General, \$26.71 .....			\$2,062 25

Church Property—Church \$8,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$9,200.

Insurance, \$5,000.

**Durhamville, St. Andrew's Mission.**

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR, MISSIONARY.

D. Ward Clarke, Lay Reader. .

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 5,.....	6	Services—Sund. 65, weekd. 6....	71
Confirmed.....	3	Holy Communion—public.....	4
Communicants—rem. 1, pres no..	42	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 20 ..	24
Burials, .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	103 10	Young People's Society.... \$	63 21
Sunday School.....	8 65	Diocesan Missions, .....	3 10
Repairs and Improvements	22 00	Testimonial to Bishop ... .	1 00
Woman's Guild .....	58 18	General Missions S. S.....	5 50

Parochial, \$255.14; Diocesan, \$4.10; General, \$5.50..... \$ 264 74

Church Property—Church, \$2,200. Insurance, \$1,700.

**Holland Patent, St. Paul's Church.**

THE REV. WILLIAM PRICE JAMES, RECTOR.

Families.....	25	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 3 .....	6	Burials.....	2
Confirmed.....	9	Services—Sund. 96, weekd 49 ...	145
Communicants—ad. 9, rem. 4,		Holy Communion—pub. 13,priv 1	14
present no .....	36	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 22....	26

Onelda County : New Hartford.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	15 00	General Fund.....\$	4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	371 40	Christmas Fund.....	2 00
Sunday School.....	3 91	Bishop's Chaplain. ....	3 00
Repairs and Improvements.	125 63	Bishop's testimonial.....	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	19 25	N. Y. Prayer Book Society..	1 25
"    W. A. bxs....	7 00		

Parochial, \$515.94; Diocesan, \$37.23; General, \$1.25 .....\$ 554 14

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$4,200.

Insurance, \$2,600.

Held eleven services at Trenton in the summer, fairly attended.

New Hartford, St. Stephen's Church.

THE REV. T. LEWIS BANISTER, RECTOR.

Wardens—George Benton, James Ainsworth.

Families .....	42	Marriages ....	5
Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Burials.....	14
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 144, weekd. 126,	270
80, all others 25, rec. 3, died 3,		Holy Communion—pub.60, priv.3	63
present no.....	105	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 65....	71

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms, .....	\$ 30 00	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary, W.A. \$	7 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,050 00	Butler Memorial bed, St.	
Sunday School .....	40 00	Luke's ...	3,000 00
Repairs and Improvements.	53 00	Other Diocesan ..	30 00
Interest Parish House fund,	60 00	Missions—Domestic W.A.bx	5 00
Sundries .....	40 00	Butler Memorial Scholarship,	
S. S. Easter offering.....	13 60	Hobart.....	5,000 00
Easter special....	35 00	Capron G. F. S. bx .....	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	45 00	Robes for Bishop Ferguson,	5 00

Parochial, \$1,321.60; Diocesan. \$3,082 50; General, \$5,015.....\$9,419 10

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Endowment, \$8,400: \$16,400.

Insurance, \$3,500.

CHADWICKS, ST. GEORGE'S MEMORIAL CHURCH.

Baptisms 2; Communicants 41; Burials 3; Services 114; Communion 15; S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40, Total 45. Offerings, Communion Alms, \$10; All other offerings, \$380, Total \$390. Value of St. George's Memorial Church, \$12,000; Insurance, \$5,000.

The Girls Friendly Society has two sections, Capron and New Hartford. Capron section gave special offering at Easter of \$3 for the Parish House. The New Hartford section, reorganized, is working well. St. Andrew's Brotherhood, St. Stephen and St. George's Chapters are in working operation. The liberal gifts of Mrs. Morgan Butler are mentioned in the report. To this venerable lady the parish is indebted for much consideration and generous giving. Total value of church property and permanent funds in the parish \$29,400, including Parish House fund.

Onondaga County : New York Mills—Oriskany.

New York Mills, St. James' Mission.

THE REV. ANDREW HARPER, JR., MISSIONARY.

Families .....	20	Services—Sund. 57, weekd. 16...	73
Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Holy Communion—public .....	10
Communicants... ..	40		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 7 02	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 1 69
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	314 61	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	72
Gift to Rector .....	60 00	Missions—Foreign .....	4 12
Diocesan Missions.....	4 85		
Parochial, \$381.63; Diocesan, \$7.26; General, \$4.12.....			\$ 393 01

Oriskany, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. ANDREW HARPER, JR., RECTOR.

Wardens—Andrew J. Niles, George H. Yoxall.

Families .....	51	Burials.....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 2 ....	5	Services—Sund. 54, weekd. 34...	88
Confirmed .....	11	Holy Communion—public... ..	18
Communicants—ad. 11, pres. no..	96	S. S Teachers 7, Scholars 69. ..	76
Marriages.....	3		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 417 00	Christmas Fund. ....	\$ 85
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	520 45	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 69
Sunday School.....	46 80	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	42
Repairs and Improvements.	698 00	Missions—Domestic .....	4 00
Diocesan Missions .....	11 22	“ W. A. bx.	4 00
General Fund.....	2 62	Foreign .....	9 85

Parochial, \$1,269.42; Diocesan, 16.80; General, \$17.85 ... ..\$1,304 07

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$2,000; Endowment Fund, \$400: \$6,900.

Insurance, \$4,000.

Oneida County : Oriskany Falls—Paris.

Oriskany Falls, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. CHARLES T. RAYNOR, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	36	Burials .....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 2 .....	8	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 60, ..	164
Confirmed .....	8	Holy Communion—public .....	6
Communicants.....	50	S. S. Teachers .....	5

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	8 00	Diocesan Missions, W. A. bx \$	3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	208 62	Christmas Fund .....	1 01
Repairs and Improvements,	6 35	Bishop's Chaplain.....	3 00
Other expenses.....	47 70	Missions—Domestic .....	6 75
Insurance .....	26 00	Indian, W. A. bx.	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	30 00		
Parochial, \$296.17; Diocesan, \$37.01; General, \$6.75.....			\$ 845 48

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory Fund, \$150: \$3,150.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Paris, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. B. E. WHIPPLE, RECTOR.

Wardens—H. M. Rouse, Edward Doolittle.

Families .....	35	Burials.....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 2 .....	3	Services—Sund. 62, weekd. 13 ..	75
Confirmed ... ..	5	Holy Communion—public ....	14
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 45....	51
67, all others 8, died 2, rem. 2,		Parish School — Teachers 1,	
present no.....	75	Scholars 5.....	6
Marriages .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . .... \$	5 00	Diocesan Missions.....\$	28 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3 75	General Fund .....	1 58
Sunday School .....	35 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 08
Repairs and Improvements,	25 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	42
Gifts to Rector .....	25 00	H. G. S., Utica, .....	10 00
Parochial, \$465; Diocesan, \$42.08 .....			\$ 507 0

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$5,000.

Insurance, \$3,800.

Onelda County : Rome—Utica.

Rome, Zion Church.

THE REV. JOHN H. EGAR, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—George Barnard, Thomas M. Flandrau, M. D.

Families .....	200	Burials.....	15
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 15.....	21	Services—Sund. 100, weekd 115,.	225
Confirmed .....	11	Holy Communion—pub.56, priv. 2	58
Communicants .....	400	S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 125..	143
Marriages.....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms... ..	\$ 130 09	General Fund .....	\$ 30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,103 30	Christmas Fund.....	29 66
Sunday School .....	117 66	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	7 37
Repairs and Improvements	224 96	Woman's Auxiliary .....	16 00
Thanksgiving Offering ....	37 75	Episcopal assistance and	
Altar Society .....	16 00	Chaplain .....	42 74
New hymnals... ..	33 75	Missions—Domestic .....	40 10
Parish Aid Society .....	297 45	“ W. A. bxs	30 00
Other Parochial objects....	25 50	Foreign . .....	19 03
Diocesan Missions.....	188 27		
“ W. A. bxs	33 00		
Parochial, \$3,986.46; Diocesan, \$347.04; General, \$89.18 .....			\$4,422 63

Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Memorial Hall, \$11,000: \$34,000.

Indebtedness, \$3,000. Insurance, \$11,000.

Utica, Calvary Church.

THE REV. ALFRED B. GOODRICH, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Alonzo Churchill, M. D., E. T. Batsford.

Baptisms—Ad. 13, Inf. 19 .....	32	Burials.....	46
Confirmed .....	26	Services—Sund. 158, weekd. 110.	968
Communicants—ad. 31, rec. 7,		Holy Communion—pub.25, priv.5	30
died 10, rem. 5, present no....	514	S. S. Teachers and Officers 37,	
Marriages .....	20	Scholars 250.....	287

Onondaga County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 103 70	Onondaga Missions, W. A..	\$ 10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,704 33	Brookfield, W. A.....	5 00
Sunday School.....	300 00	Deaf Mutes, J. A.....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements,	152 54	G. M. ....	10 00
Ladies Aid Society .....	328 81	Other Diocesan objects.....	25 00
Altar Society .....	125 81	Missions—Domestic W. A..	13 00
King's Daughters ....	43 65	Foreign, W. A. .	10 00
Girls Friendly Society .....	148 70	“ J. A....	5 00
St. Andrew's Brotherhood .	75 00	Mexico, W. A...	10 00
Special charities.....	325 00	W. A. expenses .....	10 00
Evening Prayer Leaflets...	25 00	Church Mission House W.A.	10 00
Printing.....	60 00	Increase of the Ministry....	15 00
Christmas and Easter Exp's	35 00	“ “ G. F. S.	10 00
Music .....	50 00	Virginia, J. A. ....	10 86
Gifts to Rector and wife....	150 00	South Dakota, K. D. ....	8 65
Diocesan Missions.....	138 90	“ J. A.....	7 15
“ “ K. D....	17 55	Bishop Atwell, S. S. ....	25 01
“ “ J. A....	13 00	Bishop Brewer, S. S. ....	25 00
General Fund .....	60 00	W. A. bxs. South Dakota..	218 66
Christmas Fund .....	15 00	“ South Carolina .	80 00
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	15 26	“ Virginia ....	72 21
Bishop's Chaplain. ....	40 00	“ Mrs. Buford ...	82 70
Bishop's testimonial .....	30 00	J. A. bxs. South Dakota...	52 33

Parochial, \$5,627.60; Diocesan, \$384.71; General, \$665.50.....\$6,677 81

Church Property—Church, \$60,000; Rectory, \$8,000; Chapel, \$3,000: \$71,000.

Insurance, \$26,000.

Two beautiful memorials have recently been placed in the church, a costly and richly executed marble altar and reredos, presented by Mrs. W. G. Oakman in memory of her mother, Mrs. Julia Seymour Conkling, and a very handsome altar rail in memory of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. VanVorst, the gift of their children. At Easter an elegant altar cloth was presented by Mrs. L. A. Williams.

Utica, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES T. OLMSTED, D. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. WILLIAM COOKE, ASSISTANT MINISTER

Wardens—William H. Watson, M. D., L. C. Childs.

Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 26 .....	35	Burials.....	20
Confirmed . . . . .	31	Services—Sund. 270, weekd. 540,	810
Communicants—ad. 32, rec. 5,		Holy Communion—pub. 122, priv. 15	137
died 7, rem. 8, present no.....	544	S. S. Teachers 20, Scholars 183 ..	203
Marriages .....	5		



Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 381 37	Testimonial to Bishop .....	\$ 873 28
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	8,885 02	St. Luke's Home and Hosp. .	381 19
Sunday School.....	174 03	H. G. S., Utica .....	380 00
Repairs and Improvements	333 42	Woman's Christian Ass'n.,	495 00
Altar Society .....	271 10	Poor, through L. A. Society	280 10
St. Andrew's Chapel .....	942 01	Bishop's Chaplain... ..	97 69
Girls Friendly Society ....	168 00	Missions—Domestic .....	341 44
St. Philip's Mission .....	52 60	Special .....	205 00
Parish Bulletin . . . . .	68 10	W. A. ....	1,473 43
Employment Society .....	204 10	W. A. bxs ..	429 55
Endowment for corona ..	2,500 00	L. A. ....	45 00
Endowment for choir.....	2,000 00	L. A. bxs...	621 00
Other Parochial objects....	219 00	S. S.....	68 00
Diocesan Missions.....	842 90	S. S. bxs....	80 00
“ “ Special ...	70 00	Foreign .....	255 35
“ “ W. A. ...	149 00	W. A.....	250 00
“ “ W. A. bxs	84 75	S. S.....	14 00
“ “ L. A. bx..	9 00	General Missions—S. S. ...	94 00
General Fund.....	119 35	Jews .....	59 33
Christmas Fund ..	85 00	Rev. J. W. McLeary, Mich.	10 00
Church Building Fund ....	177 68	Church Building Fund.....	177 68
Bishop's Relief Fund .....	25 64	Bible and Prayer Book Soc.	82 09
Deaf Mutes .....	55 66		
Parochial, \$15,698.75; Diocesan, \$4,125.64; General, \$4,204.87...		\$24,029 26	

Church Property—Church \$132,000. Insurance, \$47,000.

The services at St. Andrew's Chapel, St. Luke's Hospital and St. Phillip's Mission are included in the above report.

Utica, Memorial Church of the Holy Cross.

THE REV. JAMES J. BURD, RECTOR.

Trustees—Rt. Rev. F. D. Huntington, James Eagan, E. D. Brandegee, W. W. Canfield, Chas. Higginson, Sr., A. W. Burns, A. R. Mitedell.

Families .....	125	Marriages.....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 9, Inf. 25 ..	34	Burials.. . . . .	15
Confirmed ... . . . .	24	Services—Sund. 199, weekd. 139.	338
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 89, priv 2	94
148, a l others 52, ad. 21, rec.5,		S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 125..	137
died 2, rem. 5, pres. no. ....	200		

Onetda County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms .....	\$ 34 78	Trinity offerings .....	\$ 72 58
Exp's and Rector's Salary.	1,417 38	Christmas offering.....	24 51
Sewing School .....	39 30	Diocesan Missions .....	85 40
Repairs and Improvements.	130 65	General Fund.....	6 00
Special for the poor .....	82 10	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	15 00
Ministerial supply.....	10 00	Bishop's anniversary .....	206 78
Brotherhood of St. Andrew.	19 65	Missions—Jews .....	7 64
Girls Friendly Society .....	82 83	Increase of the Ministry....	1 88
Woman's Guild .....	92 92	Church Temp. Society.....	4 12
Altar Guild .....	19 00	J. A. for a Missioner .....	10 00
Easter offering.....	467 52	General Missions, S. S. ....	40 77
All Saints offering for building ..	99 40		
Parochial, \$2,422.62; Diocesan, \$313.18; General, \$105.49.....		\$2,911 29	

Church Property—Church, \$42,000; Chapel, \$1.100: \$43,100.

Insurance, \$12,700.

Since the last report the tower and spire have been completed and paid for, at a cost of about \$6,000. A portion of this money is reported in the offerings to the Building Fund. During the year services have been held, as heretofore, at the House of the Good Shepherd; they are not included in the report of services given above.

Utica, St. George's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM B. COLEMAN, RECTOR.

Wardens—W. M. Gibson, M. D., Edward Trevett.

Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 19 .....	24	Marriages .....	8
Communicants.....	134	Burials.....	13
Confirmed .....	11	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 80 ....	89

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 70 92	Sunday School.....	\$ 81 39
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,721 56	Repairs and Improvements.	62 47
Parochial .....		\$1,936 34	

Utica, St. Luke's Memorial Church.

THE REV. BERNARD SCHULTE, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. GEORGE H. TRICKETT, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Wardens—Henry Hopson, John D. Moshier.

Families.....	320	Services—Sund. 260, weekd. 183.	443
Baptisms—Ad. 31, Inf. 98 .....	129	Holy Communion—pub. 104, priv. 38	142
Confirmed .....	54	S. S. Teachers 36, Scholars 400..	436
Communicants.....	581	Parish School — Teachers 7,	
Marriages .....	43	Scholars 81 .....	88
Burials.....	81		

Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 114 18	Christmas Fund . . . . .	\$ 11 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,040 54	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 00
Sunday School.....	325 00	Bishop's testimonial.....	7 34
Repairs and Improvements.	455 35	St. Luke's Hospital.....	160 00
Paving assessment.....	402 78	Local charities.....	43 00
Debts, interest. &c. ....	750 00	Missions—Domestic.....	8 10
Music.....	184 00	“ W. A. bxs.....	86 03
Special for poor.....	231 00	Foreign.....	8 12
Altar Society.....	28 00	“ W. A. bxs.....	45 00
Girls Friendly Society....	102 10	Jews.....	6 10
Other Parochial objects....	160 00	Special to churches.....	51 00
Diocesan Missions.....	33 85	Africa.....	25 00
General Fund.....	10 00		
Parochial, \$4,742.95; Diocesan, \$275.19; General, \$229.35.....			\$5,247 49

Church Property—Church, \$23,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Parish House, \$1,500: \$31,500.

Insurance, \$12,000.

Utica, Trinity Church.

Wardens—William M. Storrs, John B. Wilds.

Baptisms—Infant.....	12	Marriages.....	4
Confirmed.....	13	Burials.....	10
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 16, Scholars 86...	94
233, all others 55, pres. no.....	288		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 167 47	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 209 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,103 00	General Fund.....	60 00
Sunday School.....	266 86	Christmas Fund.....	43 15
Repairs and Improvements,	6 27	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	9 58
Interest, insurance and taxes	367 00	Testimonial to Bishop.....	50 38
Parish House.....	500 00	Missions—Domestic,.....	29 06
Altar Chapter.....	66 54	“ W. A. ....	93 50
Girls Friendly.....	138 34	Foreign.....	26 11
Brotherhood of St. Andrew	36 47	“ W. A. bxs.....	266 48
Parish Record.....	102 60	Deaf Mutes.....	29 65
Special for poor.....	90 43	General Missions, S. S. ....	44 93
Other Parochial objects....	157 76	Am. Ch. Building fund...	11 68

Parochial, \$6,623.41; Diocesan, \$372.09; General, \$501 .. . . . \$7,496 91

Church Property—Church, \$15,000; Rectory, \$4,500; Parish House, \$9,000: \$28,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,000, Parish House, \$2,037, Insurance, \$19,700.

Onelda County : Waterville—Westmoreland.

Waterville, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES K. PARKER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Amos O. Osborn, George W. Berrill.

Families .....	90	Burials .....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 13 .....	14	Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 107,	263
Communicants .....	175	Holy Communion—pub.57, priv.8	65
Marriages ... ..	2	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 65 ....	73

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 100 00	Diocesan Missions, J. A....\$	3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,250 00	General Fund .. .....	11 00
Sunday School....	110 00	Christmas Fund.....	51 26
Repairs and Improvements,	80 00	Testimonial to the Bishop ..	30 07
Gifts and memorials.....	54 80	Mission work in Diocese ...	10 00
Fund for Parish House ....	116 00	Missions—Domestic, S. S...	7 37
Thanksgiving offering .....	9 50	“ W. A. bxs	161 98
Parish Aid Association ...	68 75	Foreign, W. A..	8 00
Music .....	55 00	“ J. A.....	5 00
Indebtedness paid.....	125 00	“ W.A. bxs.	6 30
Gift to the poor .....	100 00	Colored, J. A. bx	9 00
Special charities .....	60 00	Indian, J. A. ...	37 60
Diocesan Missions. . . . .	54 90	Jews .....	3 44

Parochial, \$2,129.05; Diocesan, \$160.23; General, \$238.69..... \$2,527 97

Church Property—Church, \$7,500; Rectory, \$4,000: \$11,500.

Insurance, \$8,200.

Westmoreland, Gethsemane Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, MINISTER IN CHARGE.

Warden—Samuel G. Smith.

Families .....	22	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Infant .....	1	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 20...	72
Communicants—died 1, rem. 2,		Holy Communion—public.....	18
present no. ....	33	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 10....	12

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 6 69	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 36 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	286 84	General Fund.....	8 00
Sunday School.....	6 50	Christmas Fund.....	2 37
Repairs and Improvements,	35 05	Missions— Domestic .....	3 50

Parochial, \$335.08; Diocesan, \$46.37; General, \$3.50.....\$384 95

Church Property—Church, \$4,000.

Onesida County : Whitesboro. Onondaga County : Baldwinsville.

Whitesboro, St. John's Church.

THE REV. ANDREW HARPER, JR., RECTOR.

Wardens—Frederick E. Hyde, M. D., Henry M. Wagner.

Families .....	50	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 5 .....	6	Burials.....	2
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 81, weekd. 100..	181
Communicants—ad. 4, rec. 2,		Holy Communion—pub. 57, priv 1	58
present no .....	91	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 54 ...	58

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 30 74	Other Parochial objects....	\$ 40 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	375 00	Diocesan Missions.....	27 03
Sunday School .....	30 00	General Fund .....	6 04
Repairs and Improvements.	38 04	Christmas Fund .....	6 95
Gifts to Rector....	52 50	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	11 19
Thank offering .....	8 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	1 84
Girls Friendly Society.....	35 00	Missions—Foreign.....	7 01

Parochial, \$609.28; Diocesan, \$53.05; General, \$7.01.....\$669 34

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

Insurance, \$2,800.

Onondaga County.

Baldwinsville, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM M. BEAUCHAMP, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Isaac M. Baldwin, Richard Richardson.

Families .....	70	Marriages .....	6
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 6, .....	15	Burials .....	25
Confirmed .....	5	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 30 ..	134
Communicants—ad. 6, died 2,		Holy Communion—pub.16, priv 1	17
rem. 7, present no.....	145	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75 ..	84

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$ 59 36	General Fund.....	\$ 20 25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,100 00	Christmas Fund.....	15 00
Sunday School.....	18 81	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	5 18
Repairs and Improvements	80 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	4 92
Christmas tree .....	50 00	Bishop's Chaplain ...	15 29
Thanksgiving.....	27 94	Gift to Bishop .....	12 00
Guild .....	50 00	Missions—Domestic ...	3 00
Easter.....	61 00	“ W. A. bxs	28 90
Other Parochial objects....	10 00	Foreign .....	8 00
Diocesan Missions.....	69 65	Increase of the Ministry....	4 00
“ W. A. bxs	80 15	Am. Ch. Building Fund ..	5 00

Parochial, \$1,453.11; Diocesan, \$222.44; General, \$48.90.....\$1,728 45

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Funds on deposit \$1,400: \$18,400.

Insurance, \$5,200.

Onondaga County : East Syracuse—Fayetteville.

East Syracuse, Emmanuel Mission.

THE REV. J. EVERETT JOHNSON, MISSIONARY.

Financial Committee—M. I. Farr, John Binning, Jr., Mathew Greabel.

Families .....	40	Burials .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 9 .....	12	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 50..	154
Confirmed .....	18	Holy Communion—public....	12
Communicants.....	55	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 50....	56

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	298 69	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 1 54
Sunday School.....	25 50	Missions—Domestic .....	8 55
Repairs and Improvements.	5 89	Foreign .....	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	10 00		
Parochial. \$330.08; Diocesan, \$11.54; General, \$13.55 .....			\$ 355 17

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance. \$2,000.

A choir room has been built and a choir of twenty-five vested.

Fayetteville, Trinity Church.

THE REV. A. WILLIS EBERSOLE, RECTOR.

Wardens—DeLancey Bartlett, Denison Higby.

Families .....	55	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 7 .....	10	Burials.....	8
Confirmed .....	14	Services—Sund. 127, weekd. 49..	176
Communicants—ad. 14, rec. 5,		Holy Communion—pub.60, priv.2	62
died 6, pres. no. ....	147	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 67....	74

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 27 09	General Fund.....	\$ 10 08
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	749 07	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 18
Sunday School.....	12 14	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	2 82
Repairs and Improvements,	101 34	Anniversary gift to Bishop.	7 54
Convention expenses .....	5 13	Bishop's Chaplain .....	10 00
Insurance .....	16 00	Missions—Domestic .....	4 57
Interest .....	29 60	Foreign .....	1 95
“ Easter collection...	112 00	Colored,.....	1 00
Other Parochial Objects. ..	45 25	Jews .....	1 04
Diocesan Missions.....	23 57	Increase of the Ministry ...	1 88
“ W. A.....	1 00	S. S. Lenten offering .....	5 05

Parochial, \$1,097.62; Diocesan, \$65.19; General. \$15 49 ... \$1,178 30

Church Property—Church, \$14,000; Rectory, \$2,200: \$16,200.

Indebtedness, \$2,360. Insurance, \$8,500.

Nearly all of the above report is from July 1, 1893, at which time the present Rector resumed charge of the parish. A handsome memorial bell was presented by Mrs. Mortimer M. Leach, in memory of her husband, the late Junior Warden. The Rector's wife gave the parish a set of hangings suitable for Advent and Lent. The Rector from Church funds purchased a brass altar desk. Mrs. Nicholls Sunday School class provided an oak hymn board.

Onondaga County : Jamesville—Jordan—Manlius.

Jamesville, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BABCOCK, D. D., RECTOR.

Warden—O. H. Bogardus.

Families .....	20	Services—Sunday .....	53
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	12
21, all others 4, died 1, pres no.	24	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30
Burial.....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 12 00	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	279 75	General Fund.....	4 00
Sunday School .....	9 25	Episcopate anniversary ....	5 00
Repairs on Rectory .....	40 00	Bishop's assistance ...	4 00
Insurance .....	32 50	Missions—Domestic, S. S. .	6 50

Parochial, \$373.50; Diocesan, \$38; General, \$6.50 .....\$ 418 00

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$900: \$3,900.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Jordan, Christ Church.

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Wardens—H. H. Daboll, S. L. Rockwell.

Families .....	80	Burials .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 2, .....	8	Services—Sund. 91, weekd. 2,...	93
Communicants.....	71	Holy Communion—pub.10, priv.1	11
Marriages .....	2	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 70....	76

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 5 74	General Fund.....	\$ 2 04
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	523 85	Christmas Fund .....	5 00
Sunday School... ..	32 64	Deaf Mute Mission .....	1 03
Ladies' Aid Society .....	192 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	2 47
Diocesan Missions .....	2 65		

Parochial, \$754.23; Diocesan, \$10.72; General, \$2.47. ....\$ 767 42

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,500

Manlius Christ Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BABCOCK, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Horace Nims, Elijah Stanton.

Families .....	33	Marriage ..	1
Baptisms—Infant .....	1	Burials ..	3
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 42.	146
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public. ..	52
45, all others 5, ad. 1, died 1,		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 50....	57
rem. 3, present no. ....	50		

Onondaga County : Marcellus.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 25 47	Episcopate assistance Fund \$	5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	382 66	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 50
Coal additional .....	26 79	Bishop's anniversary .....	5 00
Sunday School.....	24 40	Hospital, Syr., W. A. bxs..	10 00
Repairs and Improvements.	51 08	Onondaga Mission, L. B. A.	3 00
Hymnals W. A. Jr.....	14 90	Missions—Domestic .....	14 30
Decorations and ornaments,	21 75	“ W. A. bxs.	25 00
Thanksgiving offering .....	10 77	Foreign, J. A...	9 00
Diocesan Missions.....	45 00	Colored, J. A. ..	3 76
General Fund .....	8 00	“ J. A. bxs..	35 00
Christinas Fund .....	3 00		
Parochial, \$557.82; Diocesan. \$81.50; General, \$87.06, .....			\$ 726 38

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,500.

Insurance. \$4,500.

Summary of contributions by local societies: L. B. A., \$79.26; W. A., \$72.17; J., A. \$105.73; total, \$257.16.

Marcellus, St. John's Church.

MATTHEW I. HUNT, LAY READER.

Wardens—Addison M. Seymour, William Nightingale, Jr.

Families .....	40	Confirmed ..	14
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 1 .....	3	Burial .....	1
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 24..	126
57, all others 6, rec. 1, died 1,		Holy Communion—pub. 7, priv. 3	10
rem. 3, present no .....	60	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 27....	30

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	268 28	Episcopate Fund.....	\$ 2 50
Sunday School ..	8 67	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	3 85
Repairs and Improvements,	65 00	Bishop's Chaplain.....	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	14 00	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary ....	3 00
General Fund.....	5 00	Increase of the Ministry...	2 00
Parochial, \$341.95; Diocesan, \$33.35; General, \$2.....			\$ 377 30

Church Property—Church, \$4,750. Insurance, \$3,000.



Onondaga County : Onondaga Castle—Skaneateles.

Onondaga Castle, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. JOHN SCOTT, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	26	Burials .....	2
Baptisms—Infant .....	11	Services—Sund. 98, weekd. 19....	117
Communicants .....	45	Holy Communion—pub. 11, priv. 1	12
Marriages .....	2	S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 25....	26

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	21 98	Bishop's testimonial .....	\$ 1 30
Repairs and Improvements,	15 00	Missions—Domestic .....	2 00
Christmas tree .....	25 00		
Parochial, \$61.98; Diocesan, \$1.30; General, \$2.....			\$ 65 28

The Christmas tree was furnished by friends in Syracuse, Utica, Binghamton and Skaneateles.

Skaneateles, St. James' Church.

THE REV. FRANK N. WESTCOTT, RECTOR.

Wardens—William Marvin, E. Reuel Smith.

Baptisms—Infant .....	6	Burials .....	4
Communicants—rec. 1, died 1,		Services .....	326
present no. ....	340	Holy Communion .....	110
Marriages .....	2	Sunday School.....	75

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 65 00	Missions—Foreign .....	\$ 14 93
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,478 17	W. A. ....	25 00
Sunday School .....	5 16	N. Y. Prayer Book Soc. ...	19 96
Diocesan Missions.....	174 12	Increase of the Ministry, ..	29 89
General Fund. ...	30 00	Memorial scholarship.....	3 00
Rev. Mr. Scott's salary ...	5 00	Work of Junior Auxiliary..	68 00
Chaplain Fund .....	20 60	Additional work of W. A. ...	13 00
Missions—Domestic .....	46 56		
W.A. ...	25 00		
W. A. bxs. ....	113 30		
Parochial, \$1,548.33; Diocesan, \$229.12; General, \$343.71;.....			\$2,121 16

Church Property—Church, \$27,958; Rectory, \$4,000: \$31,958.

Insurance, \$12,700.

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

Syracuse, Calvary Church.

THE RT. REV. F. D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. J. EVERETT JOHNSON, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Families .....	125	Marriages . . . . .	11
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 32, . . . . .	35	Burials . . . . .	12
Confirmed, 3 for E. Syracuse . . . . .	26	Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 325, . . . . .	481
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 87, priv. 4 . . . . .	91
135, all others 112, ad. 23, died 3,		S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 130, . . . . .	139
rem. 13, present no. . . . .	247		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	415 94	Church Register . . . . .	\$ 8 00
Sunday School . . . . .	15 00	The poor.....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements	180 00	Insurance.....	25 00
Choir vestments and books	33 00	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	25 00
Altar Com. for Sanctuary..	15 00	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	4 00

Parochial, \$701 94; Diocesan, \$25.00; General, \$400, .....\$ 730 94  
Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Guild House, \$1,300: \$5,300.  
Insurance, \$4,000.

Services at the County House fortnightly; Holy Communion, monthly.  
Services at St. Luke's Mission, every Sunday evening. Sunday school teachers, 12, scholars, 250. The average attendance of the S. S. Scholars had so largely increased that it was necessary to add an aisle to the Chapel at an expense of \$100. Total expenditure, \$241.59.

Syracuse, Grace Church.

THE REV. HERBERT G. CODDINGTON, RECTOR.

Wardens—Wells B. Hatch, George Jack.

Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 10.....	15	Marriages .....	10
Confirmed .....	12	Burials.....	7
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 152, weekd 115..	267
205, all others 59, rec. 26, rem. 9		Holy Communion—pub.86, priv 4	90
present no. . . . .	264	S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 150..	163

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	48 81	Building Fund.....	\$ 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,450 47	Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	4 10
Sunday School . . . . .	109 43	H. G. S. Syracuse.....	50
Altar Guild of St. Edith...	75 31	St. Luke's, Syracuse,.....	11 00
Junior Auxiliary... ..	5 00	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	5 15
Brotherhood of St. Andrew	59 50	“ W. A. bxs	15 00
Bishop's anniversary gift ..	25 00	Foreign .....	9 75
Other Parochial objects....	62 00	Deaf Mutes.....	1 50
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	28 59	Increase of the Ministry...	1 69
“ W. A. bxs.	10 00	Bishop Wells.....	1 00
Christmas Fund . . . . .	2 59		

Parochial, \$1,815.52; Diocesan, \$57.28; General, \$34.09.....\$1,906 89  
Church Property—Church, \$34,000; Rectory, \$6,000:  
Indebtedness on Rectory, \$2,000; Insurance on Church, \$12,000, also \$2,000 on rectory.

*Onondaga County : Syracuse.*

**Syracuse, St. James' Church.**

*Wardens*—Daniel O. Salmon, George J. Gardner.

Families.....	150	Burials.....	8
Baptisms—Infant ....	13	Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 40	196
Communicants.....	108	Holy Communion—pub.55,priv 3.	58
Marriage .....	1	S. S. Teacher 10, Scholars 100...	110

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	26 98	Interest on debts.....	\$1,100 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	600 00	Church fair .....	275 00
Sunday School.....	44 00	Three prayer desks.....	11 00
Repairs and Improvements.	400 00	Special offerings .....	290 00
Easter, special .....	150 00	For the poor.....	1 93
Literary Society.....	90 00	Young People's Society....	96 54
King's Daughter Society...	80 00	Altar Society .....	32 82
S. Hilda Society.....	200 00	Diocesan Missions.....	2 50

Parochial, \$3,398.27; Diocesan, \$2.50.....\$3,400.77

Church Property—Church, contents, lot and a house, \$50,000.

Indebtedness, \$25,000. Insurance, \$22,000.

**Syracuse, Church of St. John the Divine.**

THE REV. WILLIAM DEL. WILSON, RECTOR.

*Trustees*—J. J. Moore, M. D., President, O. H. Thomas, M. D., Secretary.

Families.....	150	Marriages .....	14
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 14 .....	19	Burials.....	16
Confirmed .....	10	Services—Sund. 152, weekd. 110.	262
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.76,priv.2,	78
185, all others 52, ad. 10, rec. 3,		S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 72...	85
died 2, rem. 2, present no.....	237		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	25 94	General Fund.....	\$ 8 25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	780 95	Christmas Fund .....	5 02
Sunday School.....	28 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	2 85
Repairs and Improvements,	53 50	H. G. S., Syracuse, .....	1 75
Taxes .....	21 10	Bishop's assistance fund ...	15 00
Choir .....	48 63	Missions—Domestic .....	6 00
Other Parochial objects....	157 84	“ J.A.bxs .....	12 00
Diocesan Missions .....	40 50		

Parochial, \$1,115.96; Diocesan, \$73 37; General, \$18.....\$1,207 33

Church Property—Church, \$5,500; Parish House, \$11,000; Guild House, \$2,100: \$8,700.

Insurance, \$3,000.

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

Syracuse, St. Mark's Church.

Wardens—Guy Terry, Cyrus D. Avery.

Baptisms—Infant .....	6	Burial .....	1
Communicants—rec. 4, rem. 5,		Services—Sund. 72, weekd 10 ...	82
present no. ....	80	Holy Communion—pub. 12, priv. 1	13
Marriages.....	2	S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 123,	135

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 9 70	Building .....	\$ 112 37
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,006 36	Diocesan Missions.....	66 05
Sunday School .....	97 98	Missions—Deaf Mutes .....	2 49
Parochial, \$1,226.41; Diocesan, \$66.05; General, \$2.49 .....			\$1,294 95

Church Property—Church, including furniture, &c., \$7,697.06.

Insurance, \$2,800.

Rev. Harry A. R. Cresser was in charge of the parish from August 6th, 1893, to January 28, 1894. Resigned on account of ill health. No regular minister for the remainder of the year. Monthly service with Holy Communion by Rev. Dr. J. M. Clarke, Rev. E. W. Mundy and others, and lay service by C. D. Avery.

Syracuse, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. HENRY R. LOCKWOOD, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Leroy L. Alexander, Charles Andrews.

Families .....	345	Marriages .....	12
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 18.....	25	Burials.....	20
Confirmed.. ..	23	Services—Sund. 147, weekd. 642.	789
Communicants—ad. 23, rec. 26.		Holy Communion—pub. 56, priv. 3	59
died 5, rem. 12, pres. no. ....	563	S. S. Teachers 22, Scholars 155..	177

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 293 10	Bishop's assistance .....	\$ 100 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	10,476 57	Bishop's testimonial .....	281 00
Sunday School .. ..	149 20	St. John's, Syracuse,.....	250 00
Parochial Society .....	1,298 00	St. Luke's, " ..	33 00
Altar Society .....	134 83	Missions—Domestic .....	77 66
Choir Festivals .....	210 00	" J. A....	4 05
For the Poor .. ..	116 00	" W.A.bx	107 18
Diocesan Missions. ....	417 64	" J.A. bx.	80 00
" J. A. ....	5 25	Foreign .....	24 75
Onondaga Mission, W. A... ..	20 00	" W. A. ...	75 00
General Fund .. ..	60 00	General S. S.....	91 75
Christmas Fund .....	55 00	Deaf Mutes .. .	22 18
Episcopate Fund.....	300 00	Clerical relief .....	25 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	15 41	Lockwood Scholarship, J. A.	60 00
Deaf Mute Mission, J. A... ..	15 00	Huntington " "	5 00
H. G. S., Syracuse. ....	700 00		

Parochial, \$12,687 70; Diocesan, \$2,252.30; General, \$572.08 ... \$15,492 08

Church Property—Church, \$150,000; Other, \$3,000: \$153,000.

Indebtedness, \$36,000. Insurance, \$37,000.

Onondaga County : Syracuse. Oswego County : Cleveland.

Syracuse, Trinity Church.

THE REV. ROBERT HUDSON, PH. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—David N. Phinney, John L. Kling.

Families .....	120	Marriages .....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 10. ....	12	Burials.....	9
Confirmed ... ..	14	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 18 .	120
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.55, priv.10	65
325, ad. 14, rec. 26, died 2.		S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 160,.	178
rem. 3, pres. no. ....	360		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms....	\$ 100 90	Brotherhood of St. Andrew, \$	28 78
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,953 55	Diocesan Missions.....	31 18
Sunday School.....	151 80	Christmas Fund.....	35
Repairs and Improvements,	698 69	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 86
Trinity Guild .....	1,063 17	Rev. John Scott .....	5 00

Parochial, \$5,005.89; Diocesan, \$42.30.....\$5,048 28

Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$6,000: \$26,000.

Indebtedness, \$5,840; Insurance, \$17,400.

Oswego County.

Cleveland, St. James' Church.

THE REV. GEORGE L. NEIDE, RECTOR.

Wardens—George G. Baker, C. Getman.

Baptisms—Infant . ....	8	Burials.....	9
Communicants—ad. 7, rec. 1,		Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 20..	120
died 3, rem. 5, present no.....	70	Holy Communion—pub.7, priv.3,	20
Marriage .....	1	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 42 ...	47

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 44 72	Diocesan Missions.....\$	25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary ..	224 96	Christmas Fund .. .....	3 85
Sunday School .....	18 60	Bishop's assistance .....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements,	4 09	Bishop's anniversary .....	3 00

Parochial, \$272.37; Diocesan, \$36.85 .....\$ 329 22

Church Property—Church, \$4,000.

Onecego County : Fulton—Lacona.

Fulton, Zion Church.

THE REV. HERBERT MORISON CLARKE, PH. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Willis S. Nelson, George Ehrhart.

Families .....	60	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 11 .....	14	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	7	Services—Sund. 103, weekd. 63..	166
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.16, priv.3.	19
73, all others 12, rec. 1, died 2,		S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 50....	58
rem. 7, present no. ....	85		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 9 20	Bishop's assistance ...	\$ 5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	773 82	H. G. S.. Syr.. W. A. bx ..	15 00
Sunday School ...	41 46	Shelter, Syr.. W. A.....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements,	22 34	Bishop's anniversary.....	3 63
New pulpit ..	50 00	Missions—Domestic .....	7 94
Prayer Books .....	5 00	Foreign .....	4 00
Hymnals ..	20 00	Colored, J. A. bx.	7 00
Debt on Rectory ..	150 00	Indian, J. A. bx.	3 50
Other Parochial objects ...	5 46	Deaf Mutes.....	1 45
Diocesan Missions.....	55 00	Increase of the Ministry...	1 06
General Fund .....	20 22	Huntington Scholar'p, W.A.	5 00
Christmas Fund .....	5 31	“ “ J. A.,	1 55
Rev. Mr. Dantzer, J.A.,....	1 00	Domestic Missions, S. S....	28 50
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 55		
Parochial, \$1,077.28; Diocesan, \$115.71; General. \$60 .....			\$1,252 99

Church Property—Church, \$2,500; Rectory, \$1,800: \$4,300.

Insurance, \$2,000.

The parish was vacant up to August 1st, and therefore I had some difficulty in making an accurate report.

Lacona, Emmanuel Mission.

THE REV. DANIEL DALY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	43	Marriages .....	6
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 4 .....	8	Burials .....	8
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 123, weekd. 28..	151
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	4
5, all others 10, ad. 2, rec. 2,		S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 30....	33
died 1, present no.....	15		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	75 00	Diocesan Mi-sions .....	\$ 3 00
Parochial, \$75.00; Diocesan, \$3.....			78 00

Church Property—\$3,000.

Indebtedness, \$400. Insurance, \$2,000.

Oswego County : Oswego.

Oswego, Christ Church.

THE REV. PHILLIP N. MEAD, Rector.

Wardens—George C. McWhorter, Charles H. Butler.

Families .....	212	Marriages.....	11
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 21.....	24	Burials .....	35
Confirmed .....	12	Services—Sund. 156, weekd 318..	469
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.86,priv 12	98
285, ad. 12, lapsed 66, died 3,		S. S. Teachers 20,Scholars 175...	195
rem. 3, pres. no. ....	225		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	218 50	General Fund.....\$	50 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,285 67	Christmas Fund .....	25 00
Sunday School.....	161 79	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements	307 52	Bishop's assistance .....	50 00
Chapel roof .....	260 00	Missions—Domestic . . .	55 00
Easter offering for debt '93	474 75	“ W. A. special	20 40
Oswego Hospital ....	43 13	“ S.S. Lenten	18 26
Debt on Parish House.....	117 41	Foreign special..	40 55
City Mission .....	130 00	“ W. A.....	2 40
Employment Society .....	58 61	“ W.A. special	8 00
Girls Friendly Society.....	152 30	Colored, W.A.bxs	75 02
Brotherhood of St. Andrew	17 00	Indian, W.A. bx.	175 15
Easter flowers.....	30 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Soc. ...	11 00
Diocesan Missions .....	128 55	Bishop Brewer .....	59 43
“ W. A.....	99 86	Mrs. Buford .....	26 80
“ W. A. special	15 00	Colored Orphan Asylum, Va	60 00
“ J. A.....	20 00	Education Southern girl....	50 00
“ W. A. bxs...	143 00		

Parochial, \$6,256.74; Diocesan, \$511.75: General, \$602.75 .....\$ 7,431 24

Church Property—Church, \$54,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$57,000.

Indebtedness, \$6,935; Insurance, \$51,000.

Oswego, Church of the Evangelists.

THE REV. A. GEORGE E. JENNER, Rector.

Wardens—Benjamin Doolittle, Robert Downey.

Families ..	192	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 12 .....	17	Burials.....	15
Confirmed ...	13	Services—Sund. 170, weekd. 251,	421
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.71,priv.11,	82
260, all others 242,ad. 13,rec. 4,		S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 163..	178
present no.....	302		

Oswego County : Pulaski.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 40 66	Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	\$ 152 30
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,715 49	Diocesan Missions .....	24 00
Sunday School....	75 65	Christmas Fund.....	3 47
Repairs and Improvements,	1,476 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 23
Daughters of the King ...	192 76	Missions—Domestic, S. S...	18 88
Guild Iron Cross .....	9 10	Foreign, W. A...	21 88
Industrial Society.....	19 75	“ W.A. bxs	24 25
S. S. Class offering.....	30 00		
Parochial, \$3,711.71; Diocesan, \$30.70; General, \$65.01 ...			\$3,807 42

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Rectory, \$3,000; St. John's Chapel, \$1,500: \$29,500.

Indebtedness, \$3,905. Insurance, \$12,000.

ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL.—Report included in above. Now open and doing good service. Sixty scholars in Sunday School.

Pulaski, St. James' Church.

THE REV. ROBERT PAUL, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. L. Myers, L. D. Potter.

Families .....	40	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Infant ...	2	Burials.....	7
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 26..	128
55, rec. 4, died 3, rem. 7,		Holy Communion—pub.13, priv.1	14
present no. ....	49	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40....	45

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 351 02	General Fund .....	\$ 4 00
Sunday School .....	33 08	Christmas Fund.....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements	2 00	Offering to the Bishop .....	29 00
Donations .....	100 00	Bishop's Chaplain ..	5 00
Prayer Books and Hymnals	10 00	Bishop's assistance .	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	31 16	Missions—Jews .....	1 00
“ W. A.....	11 00		
Parochial, \$496.10; Diocesan, \$90.16; General, \$1...			\$ 587 26

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$5,000.

Insurance, \$2,600.



Seneca County : Seneca Falls—Dey's Landing.

Seneca County.

Seneca Falls, Trinity Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM B. CLARKE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Lansing S. Hoskins, William B. Lathrop.

Families .....	195	Burials.....	23
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 18 ...	24	Services—Sund. 129, weekd. 118.	247
Confirmed .....	13	Holy Communion—pub. 71, priv 4	75
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 23, Scholars 140..	163
255, all others 50, died 5, rem.		Sewing School — Teachers 16,	
11. present no .....	305	Scholars 87.....	103
Marriages .....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. ....	\$ 101 00	Slaterville Springs S. S....	\$ 5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,948 12	Bishop's anniversary .....	36 11
Sunday School.....	105 12	H. G. S., Syracuse, S. S. ...	25 00
Repairs and Improvements.	345 05	Diocesan Fund, W. A. ....	5 00
From Mite Society .....	270 00	Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A.....	10 00
Easter offering.....	212 12	Missions—Domestic .....	106 81
Gifts to church .....	105 00	“ S. S.....	5 00
Industrial School.....	147 62	“ W. A. bx	45 00
Lenten offering ....	27 10	Foreign .....	98 22
Rectory debt by S. S. ...	25 00	“ S. S.....	5 00
Church Building Fund Soc.	134 68	Colored, S. S....	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	287 11	Indian, S. S.....	5 00
General Fund.....	46 81	Jews .....	5 81
Christmas Fund. ....	50 34	St. Mark's School, Utah, S.S.	40 00
Building Fund.....	9 95	Bishop Johnston, S. S. class	3 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	17 63	Bishop Talbot, W. A. ....	5 00
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	10 00	W. A. sundry items ....	20 00
Slaterville Springs ....	31 00		
Parochial, \$3,420.81; Diocesan, \$548.24; General, \$343.84 .....			\$4,312 89

Church Property—Church, \$40,000; Rectory, \$5,000: \$45,000.

Indebtedness, \$2,650. Insurance, \$17,000.

Dey's Landing, St. Andrew's Mission.

Trustees—M E. Halsey, J. Reeder, C. C. Pontius.

Families .....	12	Services—Sund, 50, weekd. 2 ...	52
Confirmed .....	5	S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 15 ....	16
Communicants— rem. 3, pres. no.	15		

Seneca County : Hayt's Corners—Fayette.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$	82	General Fund . . . . .	\$	1 70
Exp's and Rector's Salary..		33 33	Bishop's Relief Fund.....		8 50
Repairs and Improvements.		10 75	Missions—Domestic . . . . .		5 98
Diocesan Missions.....		6 35	Deaf Mutes.....		68
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Parochial, \$44.57; Diocesan, \$11.55; General, \$6.66 . . . . .				\$	62 78
Insurance, \$21.75.					

Hayt's Corners, Calvary Mission.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—George S. Smith, William S. Brooks, William Spader.

Families.....	20	Services—Sund. 65, weekd 9..	73
Baptisms—Adult . . . . .	3	Holy Communion—public . . . . .	12
Confirmed.....	12	Parish School — Teachers, 4	
Communicants.....	32	Scholars, 22, . . . . .	26
Marriage . . . . .	1		

OFFERINGS

Communion Alms.....	\$ 4 40	Diocesan Missions,.....	\$ 21 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	64 27	“ W.A. . .	1 00
Sunday School.....	5 55	“ W.A bxs	5 50
Horse sheds. . . . .	7 90	Christmas Fund.....	1 32
Hymnals . . . . .	11 50	Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	9 13
Rector's exp's to Convention	1 58	Bishop's Chaplain . . . . .	1 00
Gifts to Sunday School . . . .	10 00	Missions—Domestic, S. S.	2 24
Parochial, \$105.20; Diocesan, \$39.46; General, \$2.24.....	\$ 146 90		

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

Insurance, \$1,500.

Fayette, Jerusalem Mission.

Families . . . . .	15	Communicants . . . . .	3
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1.....	2	Services—Sund. 49, weekd. 2 . . .	51
Confirmed . . . . .	3		

OFFERINGS.

Special Expenses.....	\$ 1 70	Church at Slaterville . . . .	\$ 73
Livery bills and leaflets....	19 72	Deaf Mutes.....	1 00
Diocesan Missions.....	5 19		
Parochial, \$21.42; Diocesan, \$5.92; General, \$1.00. ....		\$	28 34

Thanks are due to the Bishop for \$15 to pay livery bills, to one of the Sisters of All Saints Cathedral, Albany, for fifty Prayer Books, to Drs. Potter, Nelson and Duff, to Rev. Messrs. Humphrey, Westerman, McNish, Way and Faber, also to Messrs. Rose, Burleson, Church, Bissel and Nelson for gratuitous services.

Seneca County : Romulus—Waterloo.

Romulus, St. Stephen's Church.

HERBERT H. FOX, LAY READER.

Trustees—R. M. Steele, W. P. Goodman, Jesse Yerker.

Families .....	28	Communicants—died 1, pres. no.	31
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 4,.....	6	Burial .....	1
Confirmed ... ..	4	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20,....	23

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	256 49	General Fund.....\$	4 00
Repairs and Improvements	5 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .. .	2 75
Diocesan Missions.....	36 54	Bishop's Chaplain... ..	2 00
“ W.A. bxs	5 50	Bishop's anniversary .....	2 25
Parochial, \$261.49; Diocesan, \$54.04 .....			
			\$ 315 53
Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.			

Waterloo, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. ROBERT M. DUFF, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—A. H. Terwilliger, S. G. Hadley.

Families .....	165	Holy Communion—pub.39, priv 3	42
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 22,.....	26	S. S. Teachers 28, Scholars 190 ..	218
Communicants—rec. 9, died 2,		Parish School — Teacher 1,	
rem. 7, present no.....	255	Scholars 23 .. .. .	24
Marriages .....	7	Industrial School — Teachers 8,	
Burials .. ..	27	Scholars 55 .....	63
Services—Sund. 167, weekd. 110 .	277		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms... ..	\$ 92 31	Diocesan pledge, W. A.....	\$ 5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,472 06	Onondaga Mission, W. A. .	9 00
Sunday School ... ..	111 56	Shelter, W. A.....	19 00
Repairs and Improvements,	125 09	" Mrs. Manning, bx ..	8 00
Parish School .....	691 38	Children's cot. infant class,	4 00
Church Decoration .. .	26 85	Church at Slaterville ..	35 00
Altar Linen, Ladies' Society	45 00	Church at Port Leyden W.A.	9 50
St. Andrew's Brotherhood		Missions—Domestic .....	30 51
and Y. M. C. A.....	25 00	" W. A. bxs	29 75
Memorial gifts .....	27 00	Foreign .....	19 51
Other Parochial objects ....	18 00	Colored .....	9 00
Diocesan Missions. ....	237 92	" J. A. bxs .	56 00
" " W. A. bxs	31 65	Indian, J. A. bx.	31 00
General Fund .....	30 00	Jews ....	3 50
Christmas Fund .....	13 71	Increase of the Ministry ...	22 07
Bishop's assistance .. .	30 00		
Parochial, \$3,634.31; Diocesan, \$432.78; General, \$201.44.....			\$4,268 53

Church Property—Church, Chapel and Rectory. \$37,000. Endowment, \$26,000: \$63,000.

As Dean of the Fifth District I have visited during the year seven mission stations, baptized five adults and three infants, and celebrated the Holy Communion three times. This report is not included in the above.

Seneca County : Willard—Willowdale

Willard, Christ Church.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—Morris J. Gilbert, John E. Walsh, William Farley.

Families . . . . .	36	Confirmed . . . . .	10
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 4 . . . . .	9	Burials . . . . .	4
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 11,..	63
52, all others 14, died 3, rein. 4,		Holy Communion—pub.12, priv.2	14
present no. . . . .	69	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 35 . . . .	38

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms. . . . .	\$ 25 15	General Fund. . . . .	\$ 3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	303 12	Christmas Fund. . . . .	4 04
Sunday School.. . . .	7 43	Bishop's Relief Fund. . . . .	2 09
Christmas gifts to Rector...	151 50	Bishop's Chaplain. . . . .	3 00
Parish House . . . . .	34 42	Bishop's testimonial . . . . .	7 00
Christmas gift to S. S. . . . .	15 25	Slaterville Springs. . . . .	10 00
Rector's exp's to Convention	4 68	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	13 26
Diocesan Missions. . . . .	91 12	“ W. A. bxs . . . . .	19 65
“ W. A. . . . .	2 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	2 11
“ W. A. bxs . . . . .	15 50		
Parochial, \$541.53; Diocesan, \$137.75; General, \$35.02. . . . .			\$ 714 80

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Willowdale, Grace Church.

Trustees—A. P. Rose, M. C. Halsey, M. Middlewood.

Families . . . . .	35	Burials . . . . .	6
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 12 . . . . .	15	Services—Sund. 57, weekd. 16,..	73
Confirmed . . . . .	16	Holy Communion—pub.19, priv.3	22
Communicants—died 3, rem. 3,		S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 50 . . . .	53
present no. . . . .	55		

OFFERINGS.

Charitable Expenses. . . . .	\$ 44 36	Christmas Fund . . . . .	\$ 2 40
Current Expenses . . . . .	139 91	Bishop's Relief Fund. . . . .	8 63
Christmas presents . . . . .	36 58	Bishop's Chaplain. . . . .	2 00
Organist, certificates, &c . . .	6 65	Bishop's anniversary . . . . .	4 00
Prayer Books and Hymnals,	13 00	Church at Slaterville . . . . .	4 74
Materials, Guild, &c . . . . .	5 00	Missions—Jews . . . . .	75
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	22 75	Deaf Mutes . . . . .	2 00
“ Special.. . . .	6 00	Church Home, Geneva. . . . .	4 37
General Fund.. . . .	4 00		
Parochial, \$245.50; Diocesan, \$54.52; General, \$7.12. . . . .			\$ 307 14

Insurance, \$1,600.

Thanks are due to Bishop F. R. Graves, Rev. Drs. Potter, Converse and Nelson, Rev. Messrs. Westerman, Duncan, Worcester, Way, McNish and Faber, also to Messrs. Rose, Burleson, Haight, Davis, Huntington, Church, Singesen and Brown, for gratuitous services.

Tioga County : Owego—Smithboro.

Tioga County.

Owego, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. JAMES HOLWELL KIDDER, RECTOR.

Wardens—William H. Ellis, W. L. Hoskins.

Families .....	82	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Infant .....	4	Burials .....	24
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 131, weekd 60....	191
Communicants—rec. 6, died 7, present no .....	127	Holy Communion—pub. 71, priv. 8	79
		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 40 ...	46

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 31 60	Diocesan Missions, W. A. bxs \$	74 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,600 00	Christmas Fund.....	23 64
Sunday School .....	12 01	Missions—Dom. and Foreign	50 90
Building Fund.....	82 00	“ W. A....	18 00
Other Parochial objects....	4 82	Foreign W. A....	1 00
Diocesan Missions .....	76 75	Colored, W. A. bxs	57 00
“ W. A. ..	8 00	Bishop Graves, China,.....	6 08

Parochial, \$1,730.46; Diocesan, \$181.39; General, \$132.98.....\$ 2,044 83

The corner stone of the new church was laid on Tuesday, October 31, 1893, and the building is in progress at the time of this report. Its completion is expected in Autumn of 1894.

Smithboro, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. J. F. ESCH, MISSIONARY.

Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Marriage .....	1
Confirmed.....	3	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 25....	29
Communicants—ad. 2, pres. no.	20		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	67 00	General Fund.....\$	2 04
Sunday School.....	23 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	4 25
Diocesan Missions.....	7 20		
Parochial, \$90; Diocesan, \$13.49 . . . . .			\$ 103 49

Since last August, I have officiated at St. Mark's, Candor, on every alternate Sunday.

Tloga County : Waverly.
 Tompkins County : Ithaca.

Waverly, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES DONOHUE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Elmer Nelson, Albert B. Baldwin.

Families.....	80	Marriages.....	10
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 10.....	15	Burials.....	6
Confirmed.....	10	Services—Sund. 132, weekd 224..	356
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 88,priv. 2	90
86. all others 22, ad. 10, rec 5		S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 74. .	84
died 2, ren. 4, pres. no.....	86		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	20	84	General Fund.....	\$	5	00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	698	42	St. Joseph, Rome.....		2	85
Sunday School .....	73	10	Bishop's assistance .....		5	00
Repairs and Improvements	80	54	Missions—Domestic .....		4	60
Grace Church Guild .....	20	50	“ W. A. bxs		3	34
Ladies' Parish Aid.....	221	15	Foreign .....		4	70
Thanksgiving offering .....	2	41	Indian, W. A. bx.		7	30
Diocesan Missions .....	29	55	R. P. Hospital, Sayre, Pa.		9	37
“ W. A.	2	00				

Parochial, \$1,116.96; Diocesan, \$44.40; General, \$29.31..... \$ 1,190 67

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$8,000.

Indebtedness, \$931.10; Insurance, \$5,200.

Tompkins County.

Ithaca, St. John's Church.

THE REV. STEPHEN H. SYNNOTT, RECTOR.

Wardens—L. L. Treman, Hermon V. Bostwick.

Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 17.....	23	Burials ..	21
Confirmed .....	21	Services—Sund 124, weekd 73,..	197
Communicants .....	362	Holy Communion—pub.24, priv. 2	26
Marriages.....	14	S. S. Teachers 33, Scholars 245..	278

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms, .....\$	209	00	Slaterville .....	\$	100	00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,021	29	Missions—Domestic .....		61	57
Sunday School .....	70	60	Foreign ..		50	20
Diocesan Missions .....	252	15	Am. Ch. Building Fund ..		33	86
General Fund.....	77	65	City Hospital .....		41	71
Christmas Fund.....	39	64	General Clergy relief .....		27	45
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	16	16	Bishop A. Leonard.....		40	00
Bishop's Chaplain ....	20	00	Woman's Auxiliary ....		311	38

Parochial, \$4,300.89; Diocesan, \$505.60; General, \$565.67..... \$5,372 16

Church Property—Church, \$18,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Parish House, \$6,000; Mission Chapel, \$2,400: \$33,400.

Insurance, \$15,000.

Tompkins County : McLean—Slaterville.

McLean, Zion Church.

THE REV. PARKER FENNO, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Charles McClintock, Henry E. Hubbard.

Families .....	12	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 2 ..	3	Services—Sund. 26, weekd. 13,..	39
Confirmed .....	2	Holy Communion .....	3
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 12....	15
22, all others 4, ad. 2, pres. no.	16		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 3 61	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 14 03
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	116 60	General Fund .....	3 00
Sunday School....	2 46	Christmas Fund .....	1 68
Repairs and Improvements,	6 27	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	75
Parochial, \$128.94; Diocesan, \$19.46 .....			\$ 148 40

Church Property—Church, \$1,500; Rectory, \$800: \$2,300.

Insurance, \$1,500.

Slaterville Springs, St. Thomas' Church.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Robert G. H. Speed, James W. Reed.

Families .....	22	Confirmed .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 2,.....	6	Services—Sunday .....	32
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	4
25, present no. ....	30	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 35 ...	41

OFFERINGS.

Current expenses.....	\$ 104 61	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 12 06
New church .....	2,650 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	22 29		
“ W. A. bx .....	2 00		
Parochial,\$2,754.61; Diocesan, \$36.35; General, \$5.00 ....			\$2,795 96

Church Property—Church, \$3,700. Insurance, \$2,000.

*Tompkins County : Speedsville. Parishes and Missions not Reporting.*

**Speedsville, St. John's Church.**

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

*Wardens*—John Cross, Luman B. Phillips.

Families.....	22	Burials....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 4,.....	6	Services—Sunday .....	24
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 3, priv 2	5
16, all others 19, died 1 pres. no	34	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20....	23
Marriage ....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Current Expenses .....	\$ 93 65	Church at Slaterville .....	30 00
Sunday School.....	4 47	N. Y. Prayer Book Society..	3 00
Diocesan Missions.. .....	2 15		
Parochial, \$98.12; Diocesan, \$32.15; General, \$3.00.....	\$		133 27

Church Property—Church, \$1,000.

**Parishes and Missions not Reporting.**

Good Shepherd, Binghamton,  
St. John's, Chenango Forks,  
St. Paul's, Aurora,  
St. Luke's, Cayuga,  
Grace, Union Springs,  
St. John's, Weedsport,  
Calvary, McDonough,  
St. Lawrence, Alexandria Bay,  
All Saints', Dexter,

Trinity, Great Bend,  
Grace, Copenhagen,  
St. Stephen's, Perryville,  
Christ Church, Foresport,  
St. Joseph's, Rome,  
Grace, Mexico,  
St. Mark's, Candor,  
Epiphany, Trumansburgh,



*Other Clerical Reports.***Other Clerical Reports.**

The REV. GEORGE BOWEN reports that during the year he has held services in Oswego, Sayre, Pa., Van Etten, Millport, Havana, Elmira, Waverly, Syracuse, in all thirty-two services. He has preached fifty-four sermons, administered the Holy Communion twenty-eight times, married one couple, assisted at one wedding and at one funeral, baptised two persons and assisted at two baptisms.

The REV. JOSEPH M. CLARKE, D. D., Chaplain to Bishop Huntington, reports: He has read a brief daily evening service at the House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse, except when absent from the city. He has held seventeen services at the Shelter for unprotected girls in Syracuse. He has officiated ten times in St. Paul's Cathedral, six times in St. Mark's Church, four times in Calvary Church, and six times in St. Luke's Mission, all in Syracuse. He has assisted in the instruction in St. Andrew's Divinity School, having conducted forty-seven recitations in Hebrew, thirty-three in Church History, thirty-three in Pastoral Theology, thirty-three in the Greek Testament, and several in preparatory Latin and Greek. As one of the Examining Chaplains, he has taken part in five examinations of Candidates for Holy Orders. He has acted as Priest of the Associated Mission of St. Andrew, and in other work of the Diocese, officiating at Marcellus seven Sundays, four times at Chittenango, four times at Canastota, three times at Port Byron, twice at Weedsport, once at the Onondaga Reservation, two Sundays at Cortland, one at Fulton, one at Mexico, one at Earlville, one at Trinity Church, Binghamton, one at Cazenovia, one at Norwich, one at Skaneateles, one at Fayetteville, one at Grace Church, Utica, one at St. Joseph's, Rome, one at Jordan, one at Sand Bank, one at Redfield and Sand Bank, one at Willard and Hayt's Corners. He has celebrated the Eucharist on week days, twice at Homer, and once at McLean. By the Bishop's appointment, other clergymen assisting, he laid the corner stone of the church edifice at Slaterville Springs. He has relieved the Bishop by preaching at his confirmations on thirteen occasions, at Marcellus, at Christ Church, Oswego, at St. John's School, Manlius, and at the Parish Church, at Trinity, St. Luke's, St. George's, and the Church of the Holy Cross, Utica, at Oriskany, at Whitesboro, at St. John's Church and Grace Church, Syracuse, and at Emmanuel Church, East Syracuse. He has baptised eleven adults and fourteen infants, has administered the Holy Communion publicly thirty-seven times, and in private four times, has solemnized two marriages and attended six funerals, and served the Bishop as his Private Secretary.

The REV. A. L. BYRON-CURTISS reports that after giving up the charge of Christ Church, Forestport, and entering the General Theological Seminary last September, he assisted the Rev. Dr. Applegate, of St. George's Church, Newburgh, two days each week in October; from November to May he assisted the Rev. W. M. Sherwood in the work of three missions in the Diocese of Newark; took occasional week-day services and assisted in the Holy Communion in various churches in New York city; baptized one infant; attended one funeral; officiated twice at Forestport, and once at St. Joseph's, Rome, before his appointment to that church.

The REV. F. B. COSSITT reports that during the last year he has administered the Holy Communion and preached six times at Oriskany Falls, four times at Augusta, once at Bridgewater, and once at North Brookfield. He has officiated and preached eight times at Waterville, and frequently assisted the present rector of Grace Church, Waterville, and his predecessor. He has assisted at several funerals and baptised two children.

*Other Clerical Reports.*

The REV. JOHN W. CRAIG reports that during the past year he has officiated almost constantly on Sundays in Trinity parish, Saugerties-on-Hudson, for the rector, who has been incapacitated for work by prolonged illness. His time between Sundays has been given to the establishment of his new educational enterprise in Englewood, N. J., where he resides.

The REV. CHARLES ORVIS DANTZER, of the Mission to Deaf Mutes, reports as follows for the year ending May 1, 1894: Baptisms, adult 4, infant 4, total 8; Confirmations 7; Communicants, received 3, died 1, removed 5; present number of deaf mute Communicants 62; Marriage 1; Burial 1; Services, Sunday 72, week-day 60, total 132; Offerings from hearing persons in C. N. Y. \$394.93, from deaf mutes \$171.89, total from C. N. Y. \$566.82, from hearing persons in W. N. Y. \$283.79, from deaf mutes \$29.70, total from W. N. Y. \$313.49; offerings from outside sources, \$7.69; offerings received from all sources \$887.98; total expenses \$237.73; for Missionary's salary, \$650.25.

The REV. OSGOOD E. HERBICK, D. D., Post Chaplain, U. S. Army, (retired) reports that since the date of his transfer to this diocese he has officiated regularly except a few Sundays when he was prevented by sickness. The baptisms, marriages and burials at which he has officiated are included in the report of Trinity Church, Watertown. During the absence of Rev. Dr. Olmsted in Europe for six months, he is taking his duty in Grace Church, Utica.

The REV. THOMAS L. RANDOLPH, residing at Alameda, California, reports that during the past Conventional year he has officiated quite regularly at two small missions in the town of Berkeley, giving them morning service, a sermon, and the Holy Communion on two Sundays of the month. He has also baptised four children, presented four persons for confirmation, and has officiated at five funerals. Besides this, he has very frequently assisted the rector of Christ Church, Alameda, some times taking the whole service, and has several times supplied other churches.

The REV. MOSES COIT TYLER, LL. D., reports to Bishop Huntington that he has held services several times during the past year at St. Thomas's Church, Slaterville, and has occasionally assisted the rector of St. John's Church, Ithaca.

The REV. FRANK P. TOMPKINS reports that during the Conventional year he has officiated at Trinity Church, Binghamton, Trinity Church, Syracuse, Grace Church, Syracuse, Christ Church, Oswego, Emmanuel Church, Norwich, St. John's Church, Auburn, Trinity Church, Utica, and at several mission churches. He has officiated at one baptism, one marriage and one burial, administered the Holy Communion twenty-seven times and preached thirty-five times.

The REV. W. D. WILSON, D. D., LL. D., reports that during the Conventional year he has done but very little work besides his duties in St. Andrew's Divinity School. He has married one couple and usually assisted by taking a small part in the Sunday services at the Cathedral. During the year there have been sixteen students in St. Andrew's. Of these eight have been ordained, making forty-one that have been trained for and admitted to the Diaconate since he became Dean of the School. The number and variety of the students call for all the time and labor that he is able to give them.

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*Church Homes and Hospitals.*

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## APPENDIX III.

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**Church Homes and Hospitals.**

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**St. Luke's Home and Hospital, Utica.**

Organized October 18, 1869. Incorporated December 23, 1869. Endowment \$27,346.05. Receipts for the year ending September 30, 1893, \$16,436.43. Subscriptions to the Hospital enlargement fund \$7,435. Total receipts, \$21,782.01. Inmates in the Home ten. Patients in Hospital three-hundred and fifty-four, of whom one hundred were men, two hundred and twenty-one were women, and thirty-three were children under ten years of age. Sixty-five paid nothing. Two hundred and ten patients were discharged recovered, ninety-five improved, sixteen unimproved, and fifteen died. Eighteen remained under treatment. One hundred and ten were medical cases, eighty were surgical, sixteen were suffering from diseases or injuries of the eyes and ears. The cases peculiar to women were one hundred and fifty one.

*Board of Managers*—President, William M. White; Vice President, Henry W. Millar; Treasurer, Clarence B. Crouse; Secretary, John G. Gibson; Chaplain, Rev. C. T. Olmsted, D. D., Rector of Grace Church; Alexander T. Goodwin, George H. Wiley, Rev. Bernard Schulte, D. D., George M. Weaver, J. Fred. Maynard, James Constable, Jr.

*Officers of the Board of Almoners*—President, Mrs. Ella C. Peckham; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Cornelia F. Jackson, Mrs. Sarah J. Lynch, Mrs. Theresa W. Chamberlain; Secretary, Mrs. Grace N. Griffith; Treasurer, Mrs. Sophia F. Ingalls; Housekeeper, Mrs. Mary J. Clarke; Head Nurse, Miss Pauline L. Dolliver.

*Medical Director*—Dr. Willis E. Ford.

*Medical Staff*—Drs. William M. Gibson, J. D. Jones, E. D. Fuller, A. J. Browne.

*Surgical Staff*—Drs. Wilbur H. Booth, and Herbert G. Jones.

*Gynecological Service*—Drs. Willis E. Ford, W. J. Schuyler, and George Seymour.

*Consulting Staff*—Drs. M. M. Bagg, J. G. Hunt, Lafayette Rinkle, A. P. Dodge, Charles E. Smith, C. E. Munger, F. H. Peck, E. M. Draper, George Graves and James E. Rasbach.

*House Surgeon*.—Dr. P. J. Campbell.

*Resident Physician*—Dr. W. J. Schuyler.

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*House of the Good Shepherd, Utica. House of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.*

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### **House of the Good Shepherd, Utica.**

An institution for destitute and friendless children. Incorporated, February 8, 1872. Endowment, \$24,700.

Receipts for 1893, \$5,083.82. Expenses, \$5,055.20. Average number of children cared for and taught, 40—the present limit of accommodation. Anniversary in May, in Whitsun-week.

*Trustees*—T. R. Proctor, President; G. M. Weaver, Secretary; H. P. Crouse, Treasurer; L. A. Tourtellot, M. D., J. T. A. Doolittle, C. S. Symonds, H. W. Millar, W. M. Storrs, John E. Brandegee.

*Officers of Board of Managers*—Miss Lucy Watson, President; Mrs. J. J. Francis, Mrs. W. M. Storrs, Mrs. E. H. Collier, Mrs. Charles Mason, Vice Presidents; Mrs. S. G. Wolcott, Secretary; Mrs. M. L. Brandegee, Treasurer.

*Matron*—

*Chaplain*—Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross.

The sudden death of the House Mother, Mrs. Mary Frisbie, is a grievous loss to the children and to the Managers.

It is the aim of this institution to supply to the little ones entrusted to its care a good home, together with the much needed influence of a pure family life. Religious education is, of course, the primary object; and besides the daily devotions, it is the rule to have a weekly service and a catechetical instruction by the chaplain. Added to this, the refining influence of a well-ordered school, instruction in sewing, and in such light domestic duties as are suited to their tender years. Constant and strenuous effort is made to throw around each child the benign influence and protection of the Church before going out to battle with the temptations of the world, and to that end baptism follows close upon the admission of any unbaptized child; and during the past three years fifteen have been presented and well prepared for confirmation.

The house is grateful to the Bishop for his kindly interest shown in many ways—notably in always being present at the anniversary services, affording great pleasure and encouragement to the children and all concerned in the prosperity of the institution—but especially for his words of sympathy and counsel so helpful to those on whom rests the constant care and responsibility be days dark or bright, in the times of dearth or in times of plenty.

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### **House of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.**

A home for females. Opened November 1, 1874. Endowment, \$5,000.

*Board of Managers*—Mrs. J. J. Youmans, President; Mrs. Joel Fuller, Treasurer; Mrs. C. L. Case, Secretary; Mrs. G. C. Walker, Mrs. D. L. Bronson, Mrs. J. R. Clarke, Mrs. J. J. Cronin, Mrs. Charles Moore.

Receipts, \$2,001.28; disbursements, \$1,413.67. Number of inmates nine.

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*Shelter for Unprotected Girls, Syracuse. House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse.*

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### **Shelter for Unprotected Girls, Syracuse.**

Opened February 21, 1877. Incorporated 1878.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese; Mrs. W. F. Belknap, Secretary; Miss A. S. Huntington, Treasurer; Dr. Juliet E. Hanchet. Miss J. E. McIntosh, Mrs. Lucius Moses, Mrs. F. R. Hazard, Mrs. Henry Babcock, Mrs. I. G. Vann, Dr. J. C. Carson, W. T. Hamilton, W. S. Andrew, Robert Dey.

*Superintendent*—Miss A. A. Kendall.

*Chaplain*—The Rev. J. M. Clarke, D. D.

The object of this institution is to train young and neglected girls in ways of purity, industry and self-control. They are taught sewing, laundry and house work, with instruction in the elementary branches of education. Pains are taken to procure respectable situations at service for those who leave the house. There is no endowment and the income is dependent upon annual subscriptions, occasional gifts and a small sum for board from friends or the poor authorities.

Under the laws of the State, the Shelter receives girls under sixteen committed by any Justice in the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Judicial Districts, and retains control of them up to the age of nineteen. They are also placed by parents or guardians under the care of the Trustees for a term of years.

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### **House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse.**

Organized February, 1872.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President; Mr. George G. Gardner, Secretary; Mr. D. O. Salmon, Treasurer; Rev. H. R. Lockwood, D. D., Messrs. W. H. H. Smith, W. D. Hamilton, W. D. Dunning, Thomas W. Durston, Jacob Crouse, John Lyman, W. B. Cogswell, and the Mayor of Syracuse, *ex-officio*.

*House Family*—Miss Jessie Roberts, Superintendent and Treasurer of current receipts. There are twenty-four nurses in the school and a head nurse, Miss Ryan.

The institution is under the charge of a graduate of the Long Island College Hospital. The Training School is connected with the Hospital. There is a maternity department for mothers and children, with educated female physicians, Drs. Juliet E. Hanchett and Theresa Bannan. There are about seventy-five beds in the hospital.

There are rooms that are furnished as memorials; two in the hospital and four in the training school. Also one memorial bed. Other gifts for rooms and beds are greatly needed.

Number of patients during the year 512. Receipts \$13,065.50. Expenses \$12,934.75.

The Bishop frequently visits and officiates at the house, which has his constant interest and supervision. The Rev. Dr. Clarke is Chaplain.

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*House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown. St. Andrew's Divinity School.*

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### **House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown.**

Organized October 3, 1881. A free city hospital under the direction of members of Trinity and Grace Parishes.

*Officers*—President, H. M. Stevens, M. D.; Vice President, H. H. Babcock; Secretary, Rev. William H. Bown; Treasurer, Mr. J. Byron Taylor.

*Trustees*—George H. Sherman, Dr. H. M. Stevens, Hon. George A. Bagley, J. S. Green, H. H. Babcock, Rev. J. S. Reed, Rev. W. H. Bown, C. H. Lane, J. B. Taylor, J. T. Newton, L. F. Philips, S. D. Lansing.

*Matron*—Mrs. Caroline Fitch.

*Lady Visitors*—Mrs. H. M. Stevens, Mrs. G. H. Sherman.

*Medical Board*—Under consideration.

The hospital has done a large amount of good during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

June 1, 1894.

WILLIAM HENRY BOWN, *Secretary.*

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(**B.**)

### **Educational Institutions.**

#### **St. Andrew's Divinity School.**

A Seminary for the training of Candidates for Orders, under the immediate supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese. Established September 16, 1876.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, the Rev. H. R. Lookwood, S. T. D., Messrs. William Marvin, Horace O. Moss and Charles H. Smythe.

*Dean*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D.

During the year the instruction is given as follows:

By the Bishop: The Sacraments and Sacramental Offices; Preaching; Spiritual Life.

By the Dean: First term, in the history and contents of the Old Testament Scriptures. Second term, the history, contents and interpretation of the New Testament Scriptures. Third term, the history, contents and right use of the Prayer Book.

By the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D.: in Hebrew and Church History, Pastoral Care and New Testament Greek.

By the Rev. J. Everett-Johnson: in the Articles and Systematic Divinity throughout the year.

Instruction in Hebrew will be given throughout the year as may be desired.

There is a preparatory Course at St. John's School, Manlius, ten miles from Syracuse.

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*St. John's Military School. Manlius. Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.*

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### **St. John's Military School, Manlius.**

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President of the Board of Trustees; Lt. Col. William Verbeck, Superintendent; the Rev. A. C. Clarke, Chaplain.

St. John's school was founded in 1869 by the Rt. Rev. Frederic D. Huntington, S. T. D., Bishop of Central New York, and has ever since been a successful Church School of the highest grade. It is located at Manlius, N. Y., ten miles from Syracuse on the line of the Syracuse, Ontario and New York R. R. The situation of the School buildings is on high ground with excellent natural drainage. The direct locality as well as the region surrounding it is extremely healthful. The appointments of the school edifice are unsurpassed. It was recently built at great expense with express reference to educational uses, and is provided with special securities against accident and ill health. It has all the modern improvements, is heated by steam and lighted with gas.

The Chaplain conducts all religious worship and instruction. The services are arranged and conducted, with the advice of the Bishop, as will best promote moral and religious growth.

There are five courses of study, a course in Civil Engineering, a Classical Course, a Business Course, a Special Course and a Preparatory Course.

During the year ending June 17, 1894, there were ninety-two cadets registered.

The Superintendent, Chaplain, Headmaster, Commandant, detailed by the War Department, and seven masters, constitute the Faculty.

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### **Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.**

Under the supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese. Founded in 1871.

Incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, in December, 1878, and a Board of Trustees chosen, of which the Bishop of the Diocese is President.

*Principal*—Miss Mary Jackson, who has fifteen assistants in the various departments. Number of pupils one hundred and fifty.

This is a Boarding and Day School, designed to furnish the best facilities for the sound and thorough education of girls in all scholarly attainments, womanly graces and Christian character. The situation of the school is in a healthful locality, on a wide, pleasant and attractive street, with a commodious house and ample grounds open to the light and air.

# APPENDIX IV.

(A.)

## Table of Parochial Statistics.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisma.				Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	School			
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.	Total.				Burials.	Teachers.	Pupils.	Offerings.
BROOME COUNTY.											
Binghamton, Christ Church.....	215	4	17	81	13	390	15	30	17	135	\$ 2,365 42
" Trinity.....	215	10	34	34	28	352	4	9	22	200	10,417 06
" Good Shepherd.....	*18					*21					
Chenango Forks, St. John's.....	*48					*24					
Harpursville, St. Luke's.....	15				3	34	1	2	3	14	229 07
Whitney's Point, Grace.....	30	5	4	9	4	45	6	2	6	35	833 21
Windsor, Zion.....											
Total.....	637	19	45	64	48	1118	28	39	47	384	\$20,754 80
CAYUGA COUNTY.											
Auburn, St. Peter's .....	400	3	38	41		400	14	47	18	180	\$ 6,862 46
" St. John's.....	64	5	14	19	6	200	2	3	7	80	1,420 83
Aurora, St. Paul's.....	*50					*41					
Cayuga, St. Luke's.....	*15					*25					
Moravia, St. Matthew's.....	69		6	6		130	5	7	5	60	627 46
Port Byron, St. Paul's.....	20	1	3	4	5	22			5	24	101 96
Union Springs, Grace.....	*22					*33					
Weedsport, St. John's.....	*15					*16					
Total.....	646	9	61	70	11	697	26	62	35	344	\$ 8,812 71
CHEMUNG COUNTY.											
Big Flats, St. John's.....	30	2	1	3	1	30		2	4	95	\$ 142 72
Elmira, Trinity.....	161	4	9	13		257	14	8	14	150	5,397 63
" Grace.....	320	10	56	66	35	320	13	22	16	135	3,816 22
" Emmanuel.....	39	11	20	31		67	4	10	10	98	1,349 65
Horseheads, St. Matthew's.....	54	4	9	13	4	53			4	43	317 01
Millport, St. Mark's.....	54	7	5	12	9	76	3	3	7	50	397 05
Van Etten, St. Thomas'.....	34	17	16	33	10	34			7	50	497 37
Wellsbury, Christ Church.....	21	2	5	7		25			6	30	344 58
Total.....	727	57	121	178	59	601	33	45	71	591	\$11,962 94
CHENANGO COUNTY.											
Afton, St. Ann's.....	35					45		1	4	20	\$ 243 12
Bainbridge, St. Peter's.....	75		5	5		97	6	9	6	40	1,481 80
Greene, Zion.....	130	6	6	12	12	227	2	12	10	65	2,063 57
Gulford, Christ Church.....		7	4	11	11	142	2	7	7	40	1,081 29
McDonough, Calvary.....	*36					*44					
Mt. Upton, Grace.....	16					12					148 88
New Berlin, St. Andrew's.....		4	2	6	13	146	6	19	10	70	2,111 27
Norwich, Emmanuel.....	177	4	12	16	4	268	4	19	14	122	2,265 80
Oxford, St. Paul's.....	180	6	4	10		180	1	10	13	70	3,426 27
Sherburne, Christ Church.....	63	2	7	9	4	138	1	7			2,045 65
Total.....	676	29	40	69	44	1308	22	71	68	447	\$15,417 75
CORTLAND COUNTY.											
Cortland, Grace.....	115	2	11	13	10	194	3	8	11	75	\$ 2,532 06
Homer, Calvary.....	50	1	4	5	7	60	1	5	6	40	819 14
Total.....	165	3	15	18	17	254	4	13	17	115	\$ 3,351 20

\* Number last reported.



**Parochial Statistics : Jefferson - Lewis - Madison - Oneida.**

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms.					School.						
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.	Total.	Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Burials.	Teachers.	Pupils.	Offerings.	
JEFFERSON COUNTY.												
Adams, Emmanuel.....	39	2	1	2	90	1	4	6	60	1,022	50	
Antwerp, St. Paul's.....	35	2	12	5	20	5	3	53	1,057	29		
Brownville, St. Paul's.....	24	1	3	3	20	2	2	30	294	98		
Cape Vincent, St. John's.....	79	7	15	27	141	3	11	100	1,824	88		
Carthage, Grace.....	75	12	6	31	184	3	8	36	1,379	95		
Champion, St. John's.....	50	1	12	8	20	5	7	6	1,044	81		
Clayton, Christ Church.....	37	4	1	1	12	1	1	1				
Dexter, All Saints.....	12	1	1	1	12					74	80	
Ellisburgh, Christ Church.....	12	1	1	1	12							
Evans Mills, Mission.....	20	1	1	1	20							
Fredericks Corners, St. Paul's.....	12	1	1	1	10	1	5	20		9	01	
Great Bend, Trinity Chapel.....	27	2	4	3	57		2	3	30	380	40	
La Fargeville, St. Paul's.....	33	13	2	15	52	5	3	54	311	56		
Pierrepont Manor, Zion.....	24	1	3	10	34		5	30	272	50		
Redwood, St. Peter's.....	34	1	5	5	79	4	6	30	985	31		
Sacketts Harbor, Christ Church.....	50	12	3	15	16	3	4	49	544	22		
Theresa, St. James.....	385	6	24	14	623	80	58	155	397	125	12	
Watertown, Trinity.....	150	3	44	17	325			125	525	7,011	70	
Grace.....												
Total.....	1042	68	99	107	114	3020	64	108	144	1075	38,902	44
LEWIS COUNTY.												
Constableville, St. Paul's.....	40	1	8	9	24		7	8	60	632	98	
Copenhagen, Grace.....	20	1	1	1	49					47	80	
Greig Mission.....	15	2	2	2	20	1	2	6	1,438	61		
Lowville, Trinity.....	25	3	5	39	180	6	9	60	304	54		
Port Leyden, St. Mark's.....	26	1	1	1	40		4	3				
Total.....	126	4	12	16	328		22	17	130	2,669	89	
MADISON COUNTY.												
Brookfield, Mission.....	10	3	7	10	3	3	3	14	446	28		
Cazenovia, St. Peter's.....	1	5	6	4	123	3	8	94	1,062	57		
Cannotsota, Mission.....	43	2	8	10	23		1	4	50	486	56	
Chittenango, St. Paul's.....	17	1	1	1	62		2		342	81		
Earlville, Grace Mission.....	24	6	5	12	1	2	4	30	263	30		
Hamilton, St. Thomas.....	69	1	1	1	100	2	5	25	1,615	15		
Oneida, St. John's.....	155	1	15	16	9	219	4	11	80	2,554	60	
Perryville, St. Stephen's.....	10				19							
Total.....	328	13	35	49	19	608	11	29	26	293	4,991	36
ONEIDA COUNTY.												
Augusta, St. Andrew's.....	12				15					189	00	
Boonville, Trinity.....	34				153		1			241	04	
Bridgewater, Christ Church.....	25	1	2	1	77	3	3	2	10	350	40	
Carmden, Trinity.....	25	1	1	1	16	6	7	15	718	38		
Chadwick's, St. George's.....	2	2	2	41		3	5	40	200	00		
Clark's Mills, St. Mark's.....	24	3	3	3	84	1	1	4	191	64		
Clayville, St. John's.....	26	3	3	5	31	2	2	14	459	90		
Clinton, St. James.....	63	4	4	4	184	1	8	75	2,022	25		
Durhamville, Mission.....	1	6	6	3	42		2	6	204	74		
Forestport, Christ Church.....	50				72							
Holland Patent, St. Paul's.....	25	3	3	6	9	1	2	4	29	534	14	
New Hartford, St. Stephen's.....	42	5	5	5	105	5	14	6	65	9,419	10	
New York Mills, St. James.....	20	5	5	5	40					283	01	
Oriskany, St. Peter's.....	51	2	2	2	11	3	7	7	69	1,804	07	
Oriskany Falls, Good Shepherd.....	86	1	2	2	10		8	5		948	43	
Parls Hill St. Paul's.....	35	1	2	2	5	75	2	4	45	507	08	
Rome, Zion.....	20	6	15	21	11	400	4	16	18	4,422	63	
St. Joseph's.....	39				104							
Utica, Calvary.....	13	19	32	26	514	26	46	37	250	6,447	51	
Grace.....		9	26	85	31	54	5	20	20	24,029	36	
Holy Cross.....	125	9	25	34	24	300	7	12	125	2,911	29	
St. George's.....		5	19	24	11	134	8	13	9	1,988	34	
St. Luke's.....	320	31	69	129	54	581	43	81	36	400	54	
Trinity.....			12	12	13	268	4	10	16	7,496	61	
Waterville, Grace.....	90	1	17	14	175	2	3	8	65	2,527	97	
Westmoreland, Gethsemane.....	22		1	1	28		2	2	10	334	05	
Whitesboro, St. John's.....	50	1	5	6	4	91	4	2	54	900	34	
Total.....	1849	68	369	867	324	4043	121	267	322	1805	57,541	63
* Number last reported.												

Parochial Statistics: Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Families.	Baptisms.			Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Burials.	School.		Offerings.
		Adults.	Infants.	Total.					Teachers.	Pupils.	
ONONDAGA COUNTY.											
Baldwinsville, Grace	70	6	6	12	5	145	6	25	9	75	\$ 1,798 45
East Syracuse, Emmanuel	40	3	9	12	13	55		8	8	50	355 17
Fayetteville, Trinity	55	3	7	10	14	147	1	5	7	87	1,178 30
Jamesville, St. Mark's	30					24		1	5	26	418 00
Jordan, Christ Church	40	6	2	8		71	2	5	6	70	787 48
Manlius, Christ Church	38		1	1	4	50	1	3	7	50	796 25
Marcellus, St. John's	40	2	1	3	14	60		1	3	27	377 30
Onondaga, Indian Mission	28		11	11		45	2	2	1	25	65 28
Skaneateles, St. James'			6	6		240	2	4		75	2,121 16
Syracuse, Calvary	135	3	22	25	80	247	11	12	9	180	730 94
" Grace		5	10	15	12	264	10	7	12	150	1,906 89
" St. James'	150		12	12		109	1	4	10	100	5,400 77
" St. John's	150	5	14	19	10	237	14	15	13	73	1,307 83
" St. Mark's			6	6		80	2	1	12	129	1,994 85
" St. Paul's	345	7	18	25	28	583	12	20	22	155	15,492 08
" Trinity	120	2	10	12	14	360	9	9	18	160	5,048 26
Total	1290	27	135	172	128	2780	53	118	138	1204	\$ 34,911 81
OSWEGO COUNTY.											
Albion, St. John's	*43					*34					
Cleveland, St. James			8	8		70	1	9	5	42	\$ 399 22
Fulton, Zion	60	3	11	14	7	65	1	7	8	50	1,252 99
Lacoma, Mission	43	4	4	8	4	15	6	8	3	30	78 00
Mexico, Grace	*26					*30					
Oswego, Christ Church	212	3	21	24	12	225	11	35	20	175	7,481 84
" Evangelists	192	5	12	17	13	302	4	15	15	163	3,807 42
Pulaski, St. James'	40		2	2		49	1	7	5	40	567 26
Total	618	15	58	73	36	830	24	81	56	500	\$ 13,485 13
SENECA COUNTY.											
Dey's Landing, St. Andrew's	12				5	15			1	15	\$ 62 78
Hayt's Corners, Calvary	20	3			12	32	1				145 00
Fayette, Mission	15	1	1	2	3	3					26 34
Romulus, St. Stephen's	24	2	4	6	4	31		1	3	30	315 53
Seneca Falls, Trinity	195	6	18	24	12	305	4	22	22	140	4,312 80
Waterloo, St. Paul's	165	4	22	26		255	7	27	24	190	4,268 53
Willard, Mission	36	5	4	9	10	69		4	3	35	714 30
Willowdale, Grace	35	3	12	15	10	55		6	3	50	807 14
Total	508	24	61	85	63	753	12	60	61	450	\$ 10,156 41
TIOGA COUNTY.											
Candor, St. Mark's	*79					*22					
Owego, St. Paul's	12		4	4	1	127	5	24	6	40	\$ 2,044 88
Smithboro, Emmanuel	*16		5	5	3	30	1		4	25	105 42
Waverly, Grace	80	5	10	15	10	86	10	6	10	74	1,190 67
Total	197	5	19	24	14	272	16	30	30	139	\$ 3,356 89
TOMPKINS COUNTY.											
Ithaca, St. John's	*23	6	17	23	21	262	14	21	22	345	\$ 5,379 16
McLean, Zion	12	1	2	3	2	16			1	12	148 40
Slaterville, St. Thomas'	22	4	2	6	5	30			6	35	2,795 96
Speedville, St. John's	22	2	4	6		34	1	2	3	30	133 27
Trumansburgh, Epiphany	*29					*54					
Total	318	13	25	38	28	496	15	24	46	312	\$ 8,449 79
Total for 133 parishes, &c.	3494	386	1006	1394	664	16636	454	956	979	7943	\$226,475 22

\*Number last reported.

*Summary of Statistics.*

(**B.**)

**Summary of Statistics.**

**CLERGY:**

Ordained: Deacons 4, Priests 5, .....	9
Received .....	9
Transferred .....	13
Died .....	1
Canonically Resident: Bishop 1, Priests 95, Deacons 16 .....	112

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS .....	19
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POSTULANTS .....	7
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LICENSED LAY READERS .....	74
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**PARISHES:—**

Present number in union with the Convention, .....	108
Whole number of Parishes: Self-supporting 45, Missionary 65...	110
Whole number of Parishes and Missions.....	145

**CHURCHES:—**

Consecrated during the year .....	1
Whole number of Churches ... ..	142

RECTORIES .....	56
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**EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS:—**

Parochial .....	4
Teachers .....	13
Scholars .....	131
Academic .....	2
Teachers .....	26
Students ..	242
Theological ....	1
Teachers .....	4
Students .....	16

**CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS:—**

**Church Homes:—**

For the Aged and Destitute.....	2
For Friendless Children .....	1
For Homeless Women.....	1
Church Hospitals . . . . .	3
Number of Inmates in Church Homes ... ..	80
Number of Patients cared for in Church Hospitals.....	866

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*Summary of Offerings.*

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**Parochial Statistics.**

**FAMILIES:—**

Reported, 8,494; estimated for Parishes not reporting, 1,046..... 9,540

**BAPTISMS:—**

Adults, 389; Infants, 1,005 ..... 1,394

**CONFIRMED** ..... 862

**COMMUNICANTS** ..... 16,635

**MARRIAGES** ..... 454

**BURIALS** ..... 956

**SUNDAY SCHOOLS:—**

Teachers reported in 105 Parishes and Missions..... 979

Scholars reported in 105 Parishes and Missions ..... 7,943

**Summary of Offerings.**

**PAROCHIAL:—**

Communion Alms.....\$ 4,891 27

Current Expenses and Rectors' Salaries..... 141,185 74

Sunday Schools..... 5,818 18

Increase and Improvement of Church Property... 32,325 63

Special Charities ..... 13,905 03

Indebtedness paid ..... 5,742 16

Other Parochial Objects..... 8,221 27

Total for Parochial Objects ..... **\$212,089 28**

**DIOCESAN:**

Diocesan Missions: from Parishes, &c.....\$9,002 95

Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued..... 1,855 12

—————\$ 10,858 07

General Fund ..... 1,370 78

Christmas Fund ..... 1,015 15

Bishop's Relief Fund..... 586 02

Bishop's Chaplain Fund..... 355 70

Bishop's Assistance Fund..... 555 70

Testimonial to the Bishop..... 4,091 57

Theological Education ..... 658 65

Mission to Deaf Mutes..... 197 43

Central New York Bible and Prayer Book Society..... 86 63

Church Building Fund..... 43 25

Onondaga Indian Mission..... 412 10

Homes and Hospitals..... 5,175 49

Aid to various Churches..... 1,135 62

Various Objects..... 1,067 96

Total for Diocesan Objects.....**\$ 27,610 12**

*Permanent Funds.***GENERAL:—**

Domestic Missions: General.....	\$4,914 11	
Special.. ..	1,123 28	
Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued.....	5,425 56	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,462 95
Foreign Missions. ....		2,225 74
Church Missions to the Jews .....		124 03
New York Bible and Prayer Book Society .....		220 41
Church Missions to Deaf Mutes.....		135 98
Increase of the Ministry... ..		230 56
Hobart College .....		5,000 00
Nashotah .....		25 00
American Church Building Fund .....		304 26
Clerical Relief.....		65 39
Other Objects.....		199 57
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Total for General Objects.....	\$	19,993 89
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT OF OFFERINGS.....</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>259,693 29</b>
<b>VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY.....</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,981,584 00</b>
<b>AMOUNT OF INSURANCE REPORTED....</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>685,525 00</b>

**Permanent Funds.**

Christmas Fund for Disabled Clergy, &c.....	\$ 12,200 00
Episcopate Fund.....	76,504 32
DeLancey Fund.....	2,600 00
Permanent Missionary Fund.....	20,453 93
VanWagenen Missionary Fund.....	23,512 50
Jennie McGraw Fiske Fund.....	15,000 00
Clarke Scholarship Fund.....	2,000 00
Bible and Prayer Book Society Fund.....	3,000 00
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Total Amount of Permanent Funds.....	\$ 155,270 75

## APPENDIX V.

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(A.)

# CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

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## CONSTITUTION.

ADOPTED JUNE 14TH, 1870.

### ARTICLE I.

SECTION 1. There shall be a Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this Diocese, on the Second Tuesday of June, in the year 1870, and each year thereafter, at four o'clock and thirty minutes P. M., in such place as shall be determined by the Bishop for the time being, or in case of his inability to act or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, by the Standing Committee.

SEC. 2. On Tuesday evening, after service, a quorum being present, the Convention shall organize, and the Standing Committees shall be appointed.

SEC. 3. In the event of the prevalence of any epidemic disease, or for other sufficient cause, occurring after the designation of the place of meeting, the Bishop, or in the cases above mentioned, the Standing Committee, may appoint another place for the meeting of the Convention.

### ARTICLE II.

The Bishop may call Special Conventions when he shall judge it conducive to the good of the Church.

In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or the inability of the Bishop to do so, the Standing Committee may call such Conventions.

### ARTICLE III.

SECTION 1. The Convention shall be composed of the Bishop, if he be present, and the officiating Ministers regularly admitted and settled in some Church within the Diocese which is in union with the Convention; and of Lay-members, not exceeding three delegates from each Parish.

SEC. 2. All other Clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese for the space of six months, and not under discipline, may be members of the Convention.

SEC. 3. The Lay Delegates shall be chosen by the Vestry, when one is in legal existence. When the Vestry is, from vacancy or otherwise, incompetent to act, they shall be chosen by the congregation.

SEC. 4. But in case of Churches or Congregations organized or incorporated without a Vestry, Delegates may be chosen by the Church or Congregation, unless the Convention shall otherwise prescribe.

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**Sec 5.** The mode of admitting new Churches or Congregations into union with the Convention may be prescribed by Canon.

**ARTICLE IV.**

Every Convention at its first morning session shall be opened with Prayers and the Holy Communion, and the Bishop may at this time deliver his Annual Address, or Charge.

**ARTICLE V.**

The Bishop shall preside in the Convention; but in case of a vacancy, inability to act, or necessary absence, the members shall elect a president from among the Presbyters.

**ARTICLE VI.**

A Secretary shall be chosen upon the assembling of the Annual Convention from among the members thereof, who shall remain in office until the meeting of the next Annual Convention, and until a successor be appointed. His duty shall be to take minutes of their proceedings, to preserve their journals and records, to attest the public acts of the body, and faithfully to deliver into the hands of his successor, all books and papers relative to the concerns of the Convention which may be in his possession. It shall also be his duty to give due notice to each Minister and Vestry of the time and place appointed for the meeting of each Convention.

**ARTICLE VII.**

**SECTION 1.** In all matters which come before the Convention, the Clergy and Laity shall deliberate, and, except as provided in the next Section, may vote, in one body; but if in any case it shall be required by five members, the two orders shall vote separately, the Clergy as individuals, and the Laity by Parishes; and the concurrence of a majority of each order shall be necessary to constitute a decision.

**SEC. 2.** In case of the election of a Bishop, the two orders shall always vote separately by ballot, and according to the mode above prescribed.

**ARTICLE VIII.**

The mode of altering the Constitution shall be as follows: A proposition for an amendment shall be introduced, in writing, and considered in the Convention; and if approved of, shall lie over till the next Annual Convention; and, if again approved of in such next Convention by a majority of the two orders voting thereon separately, the change shall take place, and the Constitution so altered shall be valid and obligatory.

**ARTICLE IX.**

No amendment of the Canons shall be made during the session of the Convention in which the same shall be proposed, unless two-thirds of each order shall concur therein; but any amendment, if approved by a majority less than two-thirds, shall lie over for the consideration and final action of the next Annual Convention.

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**CANONS.**

ADOPTED IN CONVENTION, 1869.

**CANON I.**

*Of a list of Ministers in the Diocese.*

**SECTION 1.** Within one week before the meeting of every Convention of this Diocese, the Bishop shall prepare, or cause to be prepared, a list of all the Ministers canonically resident in this Diocese, annexing the names of their respective Cures, Parishes, Stations, or places of residence, designating those who are entitled to seats in the Convention; but no Clergyman while suspended from the Ministry, shall have a place on the said list. And such list shall be laid before the Convention on the first day of meeting, and be prefixed to the Journal.

**SEC. 2** The right of any Clergyman of this Diocese to a seat in the Convention shall, if disputed, be determined according to the provisions of the third Article of the Constitution, by the Convention itself; whether his name be inserted in the list aforesaid or omitted.

**CANON II.**

*Of the Members and Organization of the Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** The evidence of the regular admission of a Clergyman into this Diocese shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention of a compliance with Section VII, of Canon 18, Title I, of the Digest of the Canons of the General Convention; and the evidence of settlement in a Church thereof shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention, of a compliance with the first and second sections of Canon 18, Title I, of the Digest.

**SEC. 2.** The appointment of a Lay Delegate to the Convention of this Diocese shall be certified in writing by the Rector of the Parish of which he is a representative, or by one of the Wardens, or by the Clerk of the Vestry of such Parish; and no other certificate of the appointment of any Lay Delegate or Delegates to the Convention of this Diocese shall be allowed or received. And no Lay Delegate shall be entitled to a seat in the Convention unless he be entitled to vote for Wardens and Vestrymen of the Parish which he is appointed to represent.

**SEC. 3.** At every Convention the Bishop shall take the Chair, and shall continue to preside during its sitting. He shall possess the usual powers of presiding officers in deliberative assemblies to preserve order and decorum, and shall decide all questions of order without debate, subject to an appeal to the House. He shall have the right to name any clerical member to perform the duties of the Chair, but such substitute shall not extend beyond an adjournment, unless directed by the House.

**SEC. 4.** In case of the absence or disability of the Bishop, or of a vacancy in the office, the senior clerical member of the Standing Committee present shall call the Convention to order and act as President *pro tempore*, and perform all the duties of President until the Convention shall be organized and shall have elected a President.



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**SEC. 5.** The President having taken the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call over the names of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, and shall enter in the Journal the names of those who are present. Notice shall then be given to the Lay Delegates to place their certificates on the table. They shall be examined by the Secretary and a Committee of two members to be appointed by the President. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared. The names of the Lay Delegates duly appointed shall then be called, and the names of those who are present shall be entered on the Journal. The irregular and defective certificates shall be reported to the Convention as soon as it is duly organized, who shall decide on the admission of the delegates named in them.

**SEC. 6.** The presence of at least twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and of Delegates from at least twenty Congregations, shall be necessary to the transaction of business, except that a smaller number may adjourn from day to day.

**SEC. 7.** A quorum being found to be in attendance, the President shall declare the Convention duly organized. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an Assistant Secretary, to be approved by the Convention.

**SEC. 8.** The Rules of Order of the preceding Annual Convention shall be the Rules of Order until altered by a vote of a majority of the Convention.

### CANON III.

#### *Of the Call of a Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** Notice of the meeting of any Convention shall be given by the Secretary in a printed letter, transmitted by mail at the expense of the Convention, to every Clergyman in the Diocese, and to the Wardens in every vacant Parish, at least one month before the time of meeting. This letter shall contain a notice of the time and place of holding the Convention, extracts from the Constitution and Canons relating to the appointment of Lay Delegates, and a form of certificate of their election. Notice of the meeting shall also be inserted in any newspaper in which the Bishop may direct such insertion to be made.

**SEC. 2.** Whenever, under the provision of the Constitution, a special Convention is called for any particular purpose, it shall be the duty of the Secretary in the notice thereof to specify such purposes.

### CANON IV.

#### *Of the Admission of a Church into Union with the Church in this Diocese.*

**SECTION 1.** To entitle a church to admission into union with the Church in this Diocese, it is required that there be submitted to the Convention of the same, at a stated meeting: (1.) A certificate from the Bishop, or in case of his absence or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, of a major part of the Standing Committee, approving the incorporation of such a Church: (2.) The certificate of incorporation duly proved and recorded, or a copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the County. But no such certificate shall be given by the Bishop or the majority of the Standing Committee save upon satisfactory evidence of the ability of such Church to pay and continue the sum of at least six hundred dollars a year for the support of a Rector or Missionary; and also that such Church contains at least thirty actual Communicants.

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**SEC. 2.** Whenever, hereafter, any Church in union with this Convention, shall neglect, for three years in succession, to make a parochial report, no missionary report being made in its behalf: and during the same period shall not employ a Clergyman as its Parish Minister, nor obtain the services of a Missionary, nor make the stated monthly collections as required by Canon X of this Diocese, such Church shall be regarded as having forfeited its connection with the Convention, and be no longer entitled to representation in the same; and the Bishop shall report said Church to the Convention in his Annual Address; but any such Church may be readmitted on the recommendation of the Bishop, and by a resolution of the Convention, and such readmission shall take effect from and after the rising of the Convention which shall have agreed to the same.

**CANON V.**

*Of the Secretary of the Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** In addition to the duties imposed upon the Secretary by the Constitution and by Canon III, he shall be required to transmit annually to each of the Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, and to the Secretary of the last House of Clerical and Lay Deputies in the General Convention, and to the Secretary of every Diocesan Convention a copy of the Journal of the Convention: and shall request the last to send copies of their respective Journals in exchange. He shall also transmit a copy to each Clergyman in the Diocese, and each Lay Delegate attending the Convention, and five copies to each Parish in the Diocese, one of which it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Vestry to preserve with the Parish records.

**SEC. 2.** He shall also transmit to every General Convention, in addition to the documents mentioned in Section IV, Canon 20, Title 1, of the Digest, a certificate to be signed by himself, containing a list of the Clergymen in this Diocese, and the amount of funds paid or secured to be paid (distinguishing them) to the General Theological Seminary; together with the nomination of Trustees of that Seminary; and also a certificate of the appointment of Clerical and Lay Deputies.

**SEC. 3.** Any expense incurred by a compliance with the several sections of this Canon shall be paid out of the Diocesan Fund.

**SEC. 4.** Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of Secretary of the Convention, the duties thereof shall devolve upon the Assistant Secretary if there be one; if not, upon the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

**CANON VI.**

*Of the Treasurer of the Diocese.*

**SECTION 1.** At every Annual Convention there shall be chosen a Treasurer of the Diocese. It shall be his duty to receive and disburse all moneys collected under the authority of the Convention, the collection and distribution of which shall not be otherwise regulated. He shall be subject to the direction of the Standing Committee in relation to the mode and place of depositing the funds received by him, and the manner of paying them out, and his accounts and books shall be at all times subject to the inspection of the Standing Committee or any member thereof. Before entering on the duties of his office he shall give a bond to the Standing Committee, in such penalty and with such surety as they shall direct, conditional for the faithful performance of his duties, and for the delivery over to his successor of all funds, securities, books and papers pertaining to his office.

**SEC. 2.** His accounts shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

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**SEC. 3.** In case of a vacancy in the office, the Standing Committee shall appoint a Treasurer, and the person so appointed shall continue to act until an election is made by the Convention. The Treasurer may be removed at any time from his office by the Standing Committee, for any neglect or misconduct, of which they shall be judges.

**CANON VII.***Of Registers, Parochial Reports, and the Removal of Communicants from one Parish to another.*

**SECTION 1.** The Parish Register required by Section V, Canon 18, Title 1, of the Digest shall specify the name and the time of the birth of the child baptized, with the names of the parents and sponsors; the name of the adult baptized; the names of the parties married, and of two or more special witnesses of the same, and the place where the marriage was solemnized; the names of the persons buried; and also the time when each rite was performed. These Registers shall be kept by the Minister in a book to be provided for that purpose belonging to the Vestry of each Church; which book shall be the Parish Register, and shall be preserved by the Vestry as a part of the records of the Church.

**SEC. 2.** The Parish Register shall contain a list of the families and adult persons in the Cure as far as practicable, and also an accurate list of the persons confirmed from time to time.

**SEC. 3.** In every Parish and Missionary Station a list of the Communicants shall be kept which shall retain the names of all persons who shall have been admitted to the Holy Communion in that Parish or Station until they shall have ceased to be Communicants in the Cure by either (1) death, (2) removal or (3) repulsion and suspension or excommunication by competent authority. In the Annual Report of the Parish, discrimination shall be made by means of separate items between those who shall have received the Holy Communion at least once within two years preceeding such report, and all others whose names are on the list as above provided, but who shall not have received the Communion either in public or in private during the two years preceding the report, whatever may have been the occasion or cause of their neglect of their privilege and duty.

**SEC. 4.** The Annual Report shall also indicate all the additions to the list of Communicants during the past year, as well as the losses by death, removal, repulsion or suspension, as required by Section V, Canon 18, Title 1, and Section 1, Canon 20, Title 1, of the Digest, and shall also contain, in addition to the value of churches and rectories, the amount of insurance thereon.

**SEC. 5.** In every case where a Parish is destitute of a Minister, the Register contemplated by this Canon shall be kept by the Wardens, or by some person appointed by the Vestry, whose duty it shall also be to prepare and forward to the Bishop the Annual Parochial Report.

**SEC. 6.** Communicants removing from one Parish to another, in this Diocese, shall procure a certificate as provided for in Canon 12, Title 2, Sec. 1, of the Canons of the General Convention.

**SEC. 7.** The same rule shall apply in this Diocese to Communicants who may wish to be transferred, without changing their residence, from the list of Communicants in one Parish, so as to be received as Communicants in any other Parish or in any other place of worship, where the Holy Communion is habitually celebrated.

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**SEC. 8.** No Rector or other Minister in charge of any Parish in this Diocese shall receive as an habitual Communicant, or enter upon the list of Communicants under his charge, the name of any person who has been a Communicant in any other Parish in this Diocese, without such a certificate or Letter Dimissory from the Parish to which such Communicant last belonged.

**SEC. 9.** Any Communicant, not under censure or ecclesiastical discipline, shall be entitled to such a Certificate or Letter, on application therefor to the Minister in charge of the Parish to which said Communicant belongs, and in case of a vacancy in the pastoral care of a Parish, and in case of any person under discipline, the application shall be referred to the Bishop of the Diocese, or in the vacancy of the Episcopal office, to the President of the Standing Committee, and the answer and decision of the Bishop or of the President of the Standing Committee, as above provided, shall be final and conclusive.

**CANON VIII.**

*Of Deputies to the General Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** The Convention shall, at its regular annual meeting' next preceding the regular session of the General Convention, elect by the concurrent ballot of the Clerical and Lay Members, four Clergymen and four Laymen, who shall be Communicants of the Church and residents of the Diocese, to act as Deputies from this Diocese to the General Convention. The Deputies so chosen shall hold their office during the term of three years.

**SEC. 2.** Any vacancy occurring among the Deputies between the stated times of election, may be supplied by any Convention during or prior to which such vacancy shall occur.

**SEC. 3.** It shall be the duty of the Deputies-elect to signify to the Bishop, on some day within three weeks of the meeting of the General Convention, and at least one week before such meeting, the acceptance of the appointment, and their intention to perform its duties; in default of which, and in case of their inability or unwillingness to perform the duties of the appointment, all vacancies so occurring by declensions, sickness or death, shall be filled by the designation of the Bishop, from the list of the Clergymen and Laymen actually belonging to the Convention in which the Deputies were appointed, and such person or persons so designated by the Bishop, being furnished with his certificate thereof, shall have all the power and authority of Deputies duly elected by the Convention.

**SEC. 4.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or of the inability of the Bishop to act, the power conferred upon the Bishop by this Canon shall be exercised by the President of the Standing Committee

**CANON IX.**

*Of the Standing Committee.*

**SECTION 1.** At every Annual Convention an election of a Standing Committee shall be made; which Committee shall consist of four of the Clergy and four of the Laity, to be chosen by ballot, and by the concurrent vote of each order, each Parish having one vote by its delegates. Vacancies in said Committee, occurring by death or otherwise, shall be supplied by the concurrent vote of the Clerical Members and Lay Members of the Committee.

**SEC. 2.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop in matters of discipline, shall be performed by

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the Standing Committee, except in those cases where such powers and duties are or may be specially delegated to or enjoined upon the Clerical Members of said Committee; in which case such powers and duties shall be exercised by said Clerical Members alone; provided that no sentence shall be pronounced upon a Clergyman but by a Bishop.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of the Standing Committee shall keep a true record of their proceedings, and report the same annually to the Diocesan Convention. He shall preserve all books, Journals and papers belonging to said Committee, and transmit the same to his successor in office.

### CANON X.

#### *Of the Diocesan Missions and Offerings.*

SECTION 1. All Members of the Church in the Diocese of Central New York constitute its Diocesan Missionary Society; and the Convention of the Diocese shall be the Diocesan Board of Missions.

SEC. II. For missionary purpose the Diocese shall be divided into six districts, as follows:

First District—Jefferson and Lewis Counties.

Second District—Oneida County, and Madison County, except the townships including the parishes of Cazenovia, Canastota, Chittenango and Perryville.

Third District—Broome and Chenango Counties.

Fourth District—Onondaga, Oswego and Cortland Counties, and the township of Madison County not included in the Second District.

Fifth District—Cayuga and Seneca Counties.

Sixth District—Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins Counties.

SEC. III. 1. The principal officer of each Missionary District shall be called the Dean of the District. He shall be appointed every four years by the Bishop, from the Clergy of the District, after nomination in a regular Convocation of the same. Under the Bishop he shall have the oversight of all Missionary work in his District.

2. Each Missionary District shall annually elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, at its first regular Convocation after the Annual Convention of the Diocese.

3. If the office of Dean of any Missionary District become vacant, by removal or otherwise, the Bishop shall appoint a successor for the remainder of the term.

SEC. IV. 1. In the general Missionary work of the Diocese, the Bishop shall be assisted by a Diocesan Board of Managers consisting, together with the Bishop, of the Treasurer of the Diocese, who shall also be the Treasurer of the Board, the six Deans, and six Clergymen and six Laymen, one of each from each Missionary District, to be elected severally by the Convocations of the Districts entitled to this representation. In any vacancy of the Episcopate, the Board of Managers shall elect one of its members to preside.

2. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall consult for the promotion of the Missionary work of the Diocese. It shall each year, through its Secretary, present to the Diocesan Board of Missions, at its annual session, a report of the Missionary work of the Diocese during the Conventional year.

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3. At each Annual Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall submit to the Diocesan Board of Missions for its action, an estimate of the sum required for the Missionary work of the Diocese during the current year. Immediately after the adjournment of the Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall meet and determine how much of the money voted by the Diocese for its Missionary work during the year, shall be assessed to each District, and what part of it shall be given to the same for apportionment among its stipendiary Clergy. And this determination shall be published in the Journal of the Convention.

4. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall, through its Treasurer, prepare for publication in each Journal of the Convention, a table, by districts, of all the Parishes and Missions in the Diocese, the sum assessed to each District to be raised for Diocesan Missionary work, the amount assessed by the District to each Parish and Mission for the same, and the sum actually given for this purpose by each Parish and Mission. It shall also contain the amount of Stipendiary Funds given to each District, together with the sum apportioned to each of its Stipendiary Parishes and Missions.

5. Other meetings of the Board of Managers shall be held at the call of the Bishop, or, in a vacancy of the Episcopate, of four Deans. Eleven members of the Board, including three Deans, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; but no action of the Board shall be valid without the approval of the Bishop.

SEC. V. 1. Each Missionary District shall hold not less than two stated Convocations yearly. At the first of these, which shall be held as soon after the adjournment of the Annual Convention as the District may determine, appropriations shall be made by it in aid of the Missionary work in the said District under the advice or direction of the Bishop.

2. Each Missionary District shall be represented in its Convocations by the Clergy canonically resident, and by two Lay Delegates from each of its Parishes and Missions.

3. Each Missionary District shall have power to assess upon its own Parishes and Missions whatever sum may canonically be required of it for the Missionary work of the Diocese, and all moneys raised or collected for Diocesan Missions shall be promptly paid by the Treasurer of the District to the Treasurer of the Diocesan Board of Managers, and by him paid to the Missionaries on the order of the Treasurer of the District.

4. At least two weeks before the Annual Convention of the Diocese, the Secretary of each Missionary District shall make a report of the year's work of the District to the Secretary of the Board of Managers, including the items called for in Section IV, 4, of this Canon.

5. Any Missionary District may, with the approval of the Bishop undertake special Missionary work, provided it shall first have complied with all canonical requirements, and shall be free to make its own regulations and conduct its own Missionary work in all ways not conflicting with the provisions of this Canon.

6. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman in charge of a Parish or Mission, to attend all Convocations of his District, and to report to the same the Missionary work done in his Cure.

SEC. VI. 1. Offerings shall be made systematically in the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese, as follows:

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For the Communion Alms on the first Sunday in each month.

For the Domestic Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Advent.

For the Christmas Fund, on Christmas Day.

For the Foreign Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Epiphany.

For the Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York, or the Bible and Prayer Book Society of New York, in the discretion of the Minister, on Whit-Sunday.

For the Increase of the Ministry, on Easter, or some other near and convenient Sunday.

For the Diocesan Church Building Fund, on the fourth Sundays in March and September.

For the Mission among Deaf Mutes in the Diocese on the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.

2. Offering for Diocesan Missions shall be made in every Parish and Mission in the Diocese on the third Sunday of each month, when one of the above named Sundays is not the third Sunday. All such offerings shall be forwarded promptly to the Treasurer of the District.

It is also recommended that the Minister of each Parish or Congregation, at the Episcopal visitation, ask an offering which shall be placed in the hands of the Bishop, to be used at his discretion for the benefit of needy persons, and which shall be called the Bishop's Relief Fund.

## CANON XI.

*Of the General Fund.*

SECTION 1. In order to provide for what has hitherto been known as "The General Fund," it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of the Diocese, with the Standing Committee, to make an estimate as soon as may be conveniently done after each annual session of the Diocesan Convention, of the amount of money that will be needed during the ensuing year to meet the current expenses and the expenses of the Convention, adding thereto the liabilities of the Diocese chargeable to said Fund, if there be any.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to assess the amount thus agreed upon, on the Parishes in union with the Convention, at the rate of a uniform per cent. on "The Current expenses of the Parish, including the Rector's salary,"—not including any amount that may have been given to the Parish or its Ministry by the Missionary Board of this Diocese, or by any other missionary organization—or in any other way that the Bishop and Standing Committee may see fit to adopt. And it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report at each Convention the names of all Parishes which shall be in arrears to the General Fund, and the amount of such arrears respectively.

SEC. 3. The Treasurer shall notify each Parish of the quota thus assigned to it and it shall be the duty of the Wardens and Vestry of each Parish to see that the amount thus due the Diocese shall be forwarded to the Treasurer in quarterly installments, one quarter of the amount being sent on the first days of September, of December, of March, and of June respectively. And in case any Parish shall fail to remit the amount thus called for, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report the fact to the Bishop and Standing Committee for such action thereon as they may think necessary.



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*Of the Christmas Fund.*

SECTION 1. All moneys raised or contributed for the Relief of Disabled Clergy and the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy, shall be paid to the Corporation known as "The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York." And it shall be the duty of the Convention at each of its annual meetings to nominate by ballot one person to act as trustee in the said corporation, to fill the vacancy which by the by-laws of said corporation will then occur, and to nominate in like manner other persons to fill any other vacancies in the said board that may have occurred during the year since the last Annual Convention.

SEC. 2. In every Parish in the Diocese there shall be made annually, on Christmas Day, a collection for the relief of Disabled Clergy of the Diocese, and for the benefit of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy of the Diocese. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman to give due notice of this collection to the Congregation, and of the Wardens of every Parish to forward the same to the Treasurer of the Christmas Fund.

SEC. 3. All appropriations for the Relief of Disabled Clergy shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, on the certificate of the Bishop that the individual has labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than three years, (except in case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) and is disabled by age or physical infirmity from having a parochial charge; but no appropriation shall be made for a larger sum than five hundred dollars per annum, and it shall be paid semi-annually on the first of January and July.

SEC. 4. All appropriation for the benefit of the widow or children of a deceased Clergyman, shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund on the certificate of the Bishop, that the person or persons is the widow or minor child or children of a deceased Clergyman who was a canonical resident of the Diocese at the time of his death, and who had labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than one year, (except in the case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) but no appropriation for this purpose shall be made for a larger sum than three hundred dollars per annum, to be paid semi-annually, on the first of April and October; and no appropriation shall be paid to the widow after she is married again, or to orphan or orphans after having attained the age of majority.

SEC. 5. The Trustees of the Christmas Fund shall have power to appropriate a sum not exceeding fifty dollars towards the funeral expenses of a deceased beneficiary.

SEC. 6. All moneys belonging to the Fund and not needed for present relief, shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon security upon real estate to an amount not exceeding seventy per cent. of the appraised value of the property, inclusive of buildings, with proper insurance on the buildings, the appraisal to be made by an appraiser appointed by the Trustees for the purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State, or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the Fund; and they shall have the power from time to time to change such securities or investments.

SEC. 7. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees of the Christmas Fund, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers therefor, shall be reported to the appropriate committee according to Canon XIV, signed by said Trustees or a majority of them.



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## CANON XIII.

*Of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.*

SECTION 1. There shall be five Trustees appointed by the Convention to whom the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate in this Diocese shall be entrusted. It shall be the duty of the said Trustees to appoint a President and Secretary: and no act of said Trustees shall be valid unless authorized by a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of said Trustees by a majority of the same and recorded by their Secretary in a book to be kept as the record of their proceedings, and to be opened to the inspection of the Convention. The said Trustees shall hold their office during the pleasure of the Convention; and all vacancies occurring in said Board of Trustees shall from time to time be filled by the Convention.

SEC. 2. All moneys belonging to the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon securities on real estate to an amount not exceeding seventy per cent of the appraised value of the property, inclusive of buildings, with proper insurance on the buildings; the appraisal to be made by one appraiser, appointed by the Trustees for that purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of the said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the said Fund: and they shall have power from time to time to change such securities and investments.

SEC. 3. The salary of the Bishop shall be paid quarterly, by the Treasurer of the Diocese, on the first days of July, October, January and April, in each fiscal year, and the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund shall remit quarterly, in anticipation of such payments, all sums received by them as income of said Fund, and the receipt of said Treasurer shall be a proper voucher for said Trustees in rendering their annual report to the Convention of this Diocese.

SEC. 4. With a view to the further increase of the principal of the said Fund, such portions of the contributions of the Diocese as may be given or appropriated for that purpose, shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Convention to the order of the said Trustees, to be invested by them for accumulation and without diminution, until the further order of the Convention: and all moneys remaining in the hands of said Trustees for investment, shall be deposited in some safe bank in this State, to the credit of the President and Secretary of the Board.

SEC. 5. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers thereof shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

## CANON XIV.

*Of the Fiscal Year and Financial Reports.*

SECTION 1. The fiscal year of the Diocese shall begin on the first day of May annually, and end on the thirtieth day of the April following. And the Treasurer of the Diocese and all Trustees having in charge any funds belonging to the Diocese shall annually make their reports to the appropriate Standing Committees on or before the fifteenth of May in each year.

SEC. 2. Standing Committees shall be appointed at each Annual Convention, to consider and report to the Annual Convention next ensuing, as follows:

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1. On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, consisting of three Laymen.

2. On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, consisting of three Laymen.

3. On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, consisting of three Laymen.

4. On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, consisting of three Laymen.

5. On the Report of the Trustees of the VanWagenen Missionary Fund, consisting of one Clergyman and two Laymen.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of each of these several Committees to meet in each year at some time between the fifteenth of May and the meeting of the next annual Convention, at the place where the Treasurer resides, or where the funds are held, and make an examination into all the books, papers, vouchers, &c., relating to the respective funds held by the Treasurer or Trustees, and prepare a report to be presented to the Annual Convention next ensuing.

CANON XV.

*Of Vacant Churches.*

SECTION 1. Whenever a Church becomes vacant it shall be the duty of the Vestry to give immediate notice thereof to the Bishop.

SEC. 2. The Bishop shall appoint those of the Clergy in the Diocese, who can with most convenience discharge the duty, to supply such vacant Parishes as have been reported to him, at such times as may be deemed convenient and proper. It shall be the duty of such vacant Churches thus supplied to defray all the expenses incident to such occasional services.

CANON XVI.

*Of Elections.*

SECTION 1. All the Officers of the Convention shall be elected by ballot. Election by ballot may be dispensed with by a unanimous vote of the Convention. And when an election is by ballot, a majority of the votes in each order shall be necessary to a valid election.

SEC. 2. To facilitate the stated election by ballot, the Secretary shall provide sheets of paper with printed headings, containing the titles of the various offices to be filled by ballot, for the use of the members of the Convention; and all such officers may be voted for at one balloting. No printed ballots shall be allowed.

SEC. 3. In all cases of failure or omission to elect officers by the Convention, the persons last elected shall continue in office until others be chosen.

CANON XVII.

*Of Attending the Meetings of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. Whereas, the regular attendance of the Clergy and Laity at the meetings of the Convention is of essential consequence to the interests of the Church, this duty is hereby enjoined upon them.

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SEC. 2. And whereas it is often necessary to travel a considerable distance to the place of meeting of the Convention, it is hereby made the duty of the different Parishes to make provision for the expenses of their Clergy in attending the Convention, either by a collection in Church on Sunday, or by some other mode.

SEC. 3. No member of this Convention shall leave the same during its session without having applied for and received leave of absence.

### CANON XVIII.

#### *Of the Trial of a Clergyman not being a Bishop.*

Whenever any Minister of the Diocese, not being a Bishop thereof, shall become liable to presentment and trial under the provisions of any Canon of the General or Diocesan Convention, the mode of proceedings in this Diocese shall be as follows, viz.:

SECTION 1. The trial shall be on a presentment in writing, addressed to the Bishop of the Diocese, specifying the offences of which the accused is alleged to be guilty, with reasonable certainty as to time, place and circumstances. Such presentment may be made by the major part in number of the members of the Vestry of any Church of which the accused is a Minister, or by any three Presbyters of this Diocese entitled to seats in the Convention or as hereinafter mentioned. Whenever from public rumor or otherwise, the Bishop shall have reason to believe that any Clergyman is under the imputation of having been guilty of any offence or misconduct, for which he is liable to be tried, and that the interest of the Church requires an investigation, it shall be his duty to appoint five persons, of whom three at least shall be Presbyters, to examine the case—a majority of whom may make such examination; and if there is, in their opinion, sufficient ground for presentment, shall present the Clergyman accordingly.

SEC. 2. A presentment being made in any of the modes above prescribed, the Bishop, if the facts charged shall not appear to him to be such as to constitute an offence, may dismiss it; or if it allege facts some of which do, and some of which do not constitute an offence, he may allow it in part and dismiss the residue, or he may permit it to be amended. When it shall be allowed in whole or in part, the Bishop shall cause a copy of it to be served on the accused, and shall also nominate twelve Presbyters of this Diocese, entitle to seats in the Convention, and not being parties to the presentment, and cause a list of their names to be served on the accused, who shall, within thirty days after such service, select five of them and notify their names in writing to the Bishop; and if he shall not give such notification to the Bishop within the said thirty days, the Bishop shall select five, and the Presbyters so selected shall form a Board for the trial of the accused, and shall meet at such time and place as the Bishop shall direct, and shall have power to adjourn from time to time and from place to place (but always within the Diocese,) as they shall think necessary.

SEC. 3. A written notice of the time and place of their first meeting shall be served at least thirty days before such meeting on the accused, and also on one of the persons making the presentment.

SEC. 4. If at the time appointed for the first meeting of the Board of Presbyters, the whole number of five shall not attend, then those who do attend may adjourn from time to time; and if after one adjournment or more

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it shall appear to them improbable that the whole number will attend within a reasonable time, then those who do attend, not being less than three, shall constitute the Board, and proceed to the trial, and a majority of them shall decide all questions.

SEC. 5. If a Clergyman presented shall confess the truth of the facts alleged in the presentment, it shall be the duty of the Bishop to proceed to pass sentence; and if he shall not confess them before the appointment of a Board for his trial, as before mentioned, he shall be considered as denying them.

SEC. 6. If a Clergyman presented, after having due notice, shall not appear before the Board of Presbyters appointed for his trial, the Board may nevertheless proceed as if he were present, unless for good cause they shall see fit to adjourn until another day.

SEC. 7. When the Board proceeds to the trial, they shall hear such evidence as shall be produced: which evidence shall be reduced to writing, and signed by the witnesses respectively: and some officer authorized by law to administer oaths may, at the desire of either party, be requested to administer an oath or affirmation to the witnesses, that they will testify the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, concerning the facts charged in the presentment. If on or during the trial, the accused shall confess the truth of the charges as stated in the presentment, the Board may dispense with hearing further evidence, and may proceed at once to state their opinion to the Bishop as to the sentence that ought to be pronounced.

SEC. 8. Upon the application of either party to the Bishop, and it being made satisfactorily to appear to him that any material witness cannot be procured upon the trial, the Bishop may appoint a commissary to take the testimony of such witness. Such commissary may be either a Clergyman or a Layman, and the party so applying shall give to the other at least six days' notice of the time and place of taking the testimony. And if the person on whom the notice shall be served shall reside more than forty miles from the place of examination, an additional day's notice shall be given for every twenty miles of the said distance. And both parties may attend and examine the witness; and the questions and answers shall be reduced to writing and signed by the witness, and shall be certified by the commissary and enclosed under his seal and transmitted to the Board, and shall be received by them as evidence. A witness examined before such commissary may be sworn or affirmed in manner aforesaid.

SEC. 9. The Board having deliberately considered the evidence, shall declare in writing, signed by them or a majority of them, their decision on the charges contained in the presentment, distinctly stating whether the accused is guilty or not guilty of such charges respectively, and also stating the sentence which in their opinion should be pronounced; and a copy of such decision shall be without delay communicated to the accused: and the original decision, together with the evidence, shall be delivered to the Bishop, who shall pronounce such canonical sentence as shall appear to him to be proper, provided the same shall not exceed in severity the sentence recommended by the Board; and such sentence shall be final. Before pronouncing any sentence the Bishop shall summon the accused and any three or more of the Clergy, to meet him at such time as may in his opinion be most convenient, in some Church to be designated by him, which shall for that purpose be opened at the time to all persons who may choose to attend, and the sentence shall then and there be publicly pronounced by the Bishop. But the Bishop, if he shall be satisfied that justice requires it, may grant a

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new trial to the accused, in which case a new Board of Presbyters shall be appointed, the proceedings before whom shall be conducted as before mentioned.

SEC. 10. All notices and papers contemplated in this Canon may be served by a summoner or summoners, to be appointed for the purpose by the Bishop, and whose certificate of such service shall be evidence thereof. In case of service by any other person, the fact shall be proved by the affidavit of such person. A written notice or paper delivered to a party, or left at his last place of residence, shall be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or paper—provided, however, that the service, if not personal, shall be a notice of at least sixty days.

SEC. 11. The accused may have the privilege of appearing by counsel; in case of the exercise of which privilege, and not otherwise, those who present shall have like privilege; which counsel shall in all cases be members of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

SEC. 12. The record of all proceedings upon a presentment of a Clergyman, shall be preserved by the Standing Committee; and for that purpose shall, after final decision, be delivered to their Secretary.

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## **Rules of Order.**

**For Conducting the Business of the Convention of the  
Diocese of Central New York.**

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### **FIRST DAY.**

**I. On the first day the order of business shall be as follows:**

- 1. After Divine Service, the President having taken the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call the names of the Clergy entitled to seats, and enter on the record the names of those who are present.**
- 2. The Secretary shall then call the names of the Parishes entitled to representation, and the Lay Delegates of each Parish shall place their certificates on the table.**
- 3. The President shall then appoint a Committee, consisting of two members and the Secretary, to examine the certificates and report thereon.**
- 4. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared.**
- 5. The names of the Lay Delegates reported by the Committee on Credentials as duly appointed, shall then be called, and the result noted in the record.**
- 6. If a quorum be found in attendance, viz.:—twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and twenty delegations from the Parishes, the President shall then declare the Convention duly organized for business.**
- 7. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an Assistant Secretary to be appointed by the Convention.**
- 8. The Following Committees shall then be appointed by the President:**
  - I. On the Admission into Union with this Convention of Churches applying for the same—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.**
  - II. On Unfinished Business—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.**
  - III. On the Report of the Missionary Board—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.**
  - IV. On the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.**
- 9. Immediately upon the appointment of the aforesaid Committee, the papers to be examined and reported on by them shall be called for and referred.**
- 10. Motions, Notices and Resolutions shall then be in order.**

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**SECOND DAY.**

II. On the second day, after Divine Service, the Order of Business, which shall not be departed from without the consent of two-thirds of the members present, shall be as follows:

1. The reading, correcting and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
2. Calling the names of members not present before, and entering in the Journal those who appear.
3. The Annual Address of the Bishop, unless he shall prefer another time for its delivery; if so, it shall be in order at any time.
4. The Report from the Standing Committee on the Admission of New Parishes; the admission of the Parishes and the reception of their Lay Delegates.
5. The reading of an abstract of the proceedings of the Standing Committee of the Diocese.
6. Report from the Secretary and the Treasurer when those officers have any special communications to make to the Convention.
7. Presentation of Resolutions; the same to be referred to appropriate Committees or placed on the Calendar without debate.
8. The election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, and of the Deputies of the General Convention, and the nomination of Trustees of the General Theological Seminary.
9. The election of the Treasurer of the Diocese.
10. The supplying of vacancies, if any, in the Board of Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; in the Board of Trustees of the Christmas Fund; in the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Fund.
11. Reports from the following Standing Committees:—On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund; on the Treasurer's Accounts; on the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; on Unfinished Business; on the Report of the Missionary Board; on the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society; on Christian Education, on the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order.
12. Reports from Special Committees.
13. The appointing of the following Standing Committees:
  - I. On *Christian Education*—Consisting of **THREE CLERGYMEN** and **TWO LAYMEN**.
  - II. On the *Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—Consisting of **THREE CLERGYMEN** and **TWO LAYMEN**.
  - III. On the *Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Consisting of **THREE LAYMEN**.

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- IV. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- V. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- VI. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- VII. *On the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wageningen Missionary Fund*—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
- 14. The appointment of the Presidents of the Missionary Convocations and the supplying of vacancies, if any, in the list of Deputies to the Federate Council.
- 15. Unfinished Business.
- 16. Motions, Resolutions and Miscellaneous Business.

THIRD AND SUBSEQUENT DAYS.

III. On the third, and any subsequent day, after Morning Prayer, the Order of Business shall be as follows:

- 1. Reading and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
- 2. The disposal of the Unfinished Business of the Convention, in the order above prescribed for the Second Day; the business, if any, however, which was under consideration at the time of adjournment of the Convention to be first disposed of.

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GENERAL RULES.

IV. Every member who shall be present when a question is stated from the Chair, shall vote thereon, unless excused by the House

V. No motion shall be put or debated until it is seconded, and when seconded, it shall be stated by the President before the debate; and every motion shall be reduced to writing, when required by the President or any member.

VI. If the question in debate contains several distinct propositions, any member may have the same divided.

VII. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, except to lay it on the table; to postpone it indefinitely; to postpone it to a certain time; to commit it, or amend it; and motions for either of these purposes shall have precedence in the order here named. But a motion to adjourn shall always be in order when no member is speaking, and shall be decided without debate; and if it be negatived, shall not be renewed until some other business has intervened.

VIII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate; but any matter thus laid on the table may be called up again during the same session, on the motion of any member who voted in the affirmative.

IX. On the question being put by the President, it shall be determined by the sound of voices, for or against it; but any member may require a count of



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the votes, and tellers for that purpose shall be appointed by the Chair—or any three votes may, previous to a decision by count, require the ayes and noes to be taken, which shall be done by calling the names of the Clerical members and the Churches represented, and the votes shall be entered in the Journal.

X. Any five votes may require the ayes and noes to be taken by order, and when so taken they shall be entered on the minutes.

XI. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.

XII. A question being decided shall not be reconsidered during the same session, without the consent of two-thirds of the votes of the Convention; nor without the motion for that purpose being made by one of the majority on the prior decision; nor shall any question be reconsidered more than once.

XIII. All Reports of Committees shall be in writing, and shall, upon reading or presentation of the same, become the property of the Convention, without any motion for acceptance, and any report recommending action by the Convention shall be accompanied with a Resolution.

XIV. All Special Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise specially directed by the House; in which case they shall be appointed by ballot.

XV. No standing rule or order shall be suspended, changed or rescinded without one day's previous notice of a motion to that effect, unless by the vote of two-thirds of the persons present entitled to vote.

XVI. Before the final adjournment of any session of the Convention, the Minutes of the last day's proceedings shall be read, corrected and approved.

XVII. Unless otherwise ordered by the Convention, it shall meet at 9 o'clock in the morning; take a recess from 1 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon; and adjourn for the day at 6 o'clock P. M.

## Assessments and Apportionments.

FROM JULY 1, 1894, TO JULY 1, 1895.

First District,	Assessed	\$1,550,	Apportioned	\$1,900.
Second District,	..	2,850,	..	2,150.
Third District,	..	1,900,	..	1,500.
Fourth District,	..	2,300,	..	1,500.
Fifth District,	..	1,400,	..	1,700.
Sixth District,	..	1,100,	..	2,150.

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FIRST BISHOP OF CENTRAL NEW YORK.



## Twenty-Fifth Anniversary OF THE BISHOP'S CONSECRATION.

At a meeting of Clergymen and Laymen held at the Church Rooms in Syracuse, on the 18th of February, 1894, to consider the matter of a proper observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the consecration of the Bishop of the Diocese, the following were appointed a committee of arrangements for the celebration:

The Rev. A. B. Goodrich, D. D.,	The Rev. W. DeL. Wilson,
The Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,	The Rev. H. M. Clarke Ph. D.,
The Rev. O. E. Herrick, D. D.,	The Rev. H. G. Coddington,
The Rev. C. T. Olmsted, D. D.,	Mr. L. S. Hoskins,
The Rev. G. H. McKnight, D. D.,	Mr. H. V. Bostwick,
The Rev. John Brainard, D. D.,	Mr. William M. White,
The Rev. Philip N. Meade,	Mr. Horace O. Moss,
The Rev. R. G. Quennell,	Mr. A. H. Sawyer,
The Rev. Oliver Owen,	Mr. Hamilton S. White.

The committee organized by the choice of the Rev. A. B. Goodrich, D. D., as President, and the Rev H. G. Coddington, as Secretary.

It was resolved to recommend that on the 8th of April, the date of the Bishop's consecration, special services be held in the churches of the diocese with historical addresses. It was also resolved that further celebration of the anniversary be deferred until the meeting of the annual Diocesan Convention in June. The President, the Secretary, the Rev. Dr. Lockwood, the Rev. W. DeL. Wilson, Mr. William M. White, and Mr. Hamilton S. White, were appointed an Executive Committee to carry out the arrangements in detail.

On the 8th of April, the second Sunday after Easter, and by a happy coincidence the "Sunday of the Good Shepherd," the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Bishop's consecration was observed throughout the diocese. Historical addresses were delivered in the parish churches, and an offering amounting to

more than \$4,000 was made as a testimonial of esteem and affection for the Bishop. The parishes of Syracuse united in a service at St. Paul's Cathedral, at which the Bishop was present and pronounced the benediction. The anniversary sermon was preached by the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D., the Bishop's Chaplain, and was a historical review of the progress of the diocese under the Bishop's supervision. The sermon has been published and placed in the archives of the diocese.

A more formal and elaborate commemoration of the anniversary was made in connection with the annual Diocesan Convention on Wednesday, June 13th, at St. Paul's Cathedral, Syracuse.

There were present three Bishops and ninety-eight other clergy.

*From the Diocese of New York :*

The Right Rev. HENRY C. POTTER, D. D., LL. D.,  
The Rev. F. W. Dennis,  
The Rev. Karl Schwartz,  
The Rev. George Hebbard.

*From the Diocese of Western New York :*

The Right Rev. ARTHUR CLEVELAND COXE, D. D., LL. D.,  
The Rev. Charles W. Hayes, D. D.,  
The Rev. W. D'Orville Doty, D. D.,  
The Rev. W. H. Lord.

*From the Diocese of New Hampshire :*

The Rev. George P. Huntington.

*From the Diocese of Albany :*

The Rev. W. S. Hayward.  
The Rev. G. H. Fenwick.

*From the Diocese of Connecticut :*

The Rev. R. H. Neide.

*From the Diocese of Massachusetts :*

The Rev. C. J. Shrimpton.

*From the Diocese of Michigan :*

The Rev. Edward M. Duff.

*From the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Right Rev. FREDERIC DAN HUNTINGTON,  
S. T. D., LL. D., L. H. D.

<b>Rev. W. E. Allen,</b>	<b>Rev. F. P. Harrington,</b>
“ E. C. Alcorn,	“ A. Harper, Jr.,
“ John Arthur,	“ O. E. Herrick, D. D.,
“ C. D. Atwell,	“ A. G. E. Jenner,
“ Theo. Babcock, D. D.,	“ J. E. Johnson,
“ T. L. Banister,	“ W. Price James,
“ W. M. Beauchamp, S. T. D.,	“ J. H. Kidder,
“ W. E. Bentley,	“ G. H. Kirkland,
“ W. G. Bentley,	“ E. H. Kenyon,
“ W. H. Bown,	“ J. H. LaRoche,
“ G. Bowen, Jr.,	“ H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,
“ John Brainard, D. D.	“ G. H. McKnight, D. D.,
“ A. J. Brockway,	“ C. W. MacNish,
“ J. H. Brown,	“ G. W. McMullin,
“ C. N. C. Brown,	“ P. N. Meade,
“ J. J. Burd,	“ John Muir, M. D.,
“ W. H. Casey,	“ J. B. Murray, D. D.,
“ J. M. Clarke, D. D.,	“ G. L. Neide,
“ W. B. Clarke,	“ Oliver Owen,
“ A. C. Clarke,	“ J. K. Parker,
“ H. M. Clarke, Ph. D.,	“ Robert Paul,
“ H. G. Coddington,	“ G. G. Perrine,
“ W. B. Coleman, Jr.,	“ G. E. Purucker,
“ E. W. Colloque,	“ R. G. Quennell,
“ William Cooke,	“ C. T. Raynor,
“ A. L. B. Curtiss,	“ C. E. S. Rasay,
“ A. Cusick,	“ J. Sanders Reed,
“ Daniel Daly,	“ J. A. Robinson,
“ C. O. Dantzer,	“ A. H. Rogers,
“ Joel Davis,	“ J. T. Rose,
“ C. Donohue,	“ B. Schulte, D. D.,
“ E. B. Doolittle,	“ A. G. Singesen,
“ C. W. Douglas,	“ John Scott,
“ R. M. Duff, S. T. D.,	“ H. D. Stebbins,
“ J. H. Egar, D. D.,	“ S. H. Synnott,
“ J. F. Esch,	“ F. P. Tompkins,
“ A. W. Ebersole,	“ C. H. Tindell,
“ Parker Fenno,	“ A. Watkins,
“ D. L. Ferris,	“ F. N. Westcott,
“ H. R. Fuller,	“ B. E. Whipple,
“ W. T. Gibson, D. D., LL. D.	“ W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D.,
“ A. B. Goodrich, D. D.,	“ W. DeL. Wilson,
“ R. Hudson, Ph. D.,	“ F. P. Winne,
Rev. W. E. Wright.	

Ninety-nine lay delegates, representing fifty-eight parishes of the diocese, were in attendance, and a large congregation of the laity from Syracuse and other parts of the diocese. Among

those present were several who attended the consecration services in Boston twenty-five years ago.

At 10 o'clock A. M. the services of Morning Prayer and Holy Communion were held, the clergy in vestments entering the Cathedral from the chapel in procession, headed by the vested choir of men and boys, singing the hymn, "Songs of Praise," which was the processional at the consecration services in Emmanuel Church, Boston. The Rev. A. B. Goodrich, D. D., Rector of Calvary Church, Utica, began the Morning Prayer, the choir chanting the 20th Selection of Psalms, which was also a part of the consecration service. The first lesson, Deuteronomy viii, was read by the Rev. Robert M. Duff, S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo. After the singing of Goss's Thanksgiving *Te Deum*, the second lesson, Acts xx, 17, was read by the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D., the Bishop's Chaplain. The Nicene Creed and the Collects were said by the Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., Rector of Christ Church, Manlius. The Introit was the hymn, "O, 'twas a joyful sound to hear."

The Holy Eucharist was celebrated by the Right Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, the Right Rev. Henry C. Potter, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of New York, reading the Epistle, and the Right Rev. A. Cleveland Coxe, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of Western New York, the Gospel. The hymn before the sermon was the Trinity Hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty," which was also sung at the consecration service. The sermon was preached by the Right Rev. the Bishop of New York.

The Post-Communion was said by the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., the Bishop of the diocese, pronouncing the benediction. The recessional was the hymn, "The Church's one foundation."

At 7.30 o'clock in the evening a second anniversary service was held. The procession of the morning was repeated, the hymn being, "Rejoice, ye pure in heart." The Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Elmira, began the Evening Prayer, and the choir chanted the Twelfth Selec-

tion of Psalms. The Rev. J. H. Kidder, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Owego, read the first lesson, Isaiah, lxi., and the Rev. James A. Robinson, of Cortland, the second lesson, I Cor. iv. to verse 21. The Creed and Prayers were said by the Rev. William M. Beauchamp, S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Baldwinsville.

After the singing of the hymn, "Glorious things of thee are spoken," the Right Rev. the Bishop of Western New York delivered a congratulatory address, which was followed by the hymn, "O God, our help in ages past." The Rev. John Brainard, D. D., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Auburn, made an address for the Clergy, and Mr. William M. White, of Utica, spoke for the Laity of the diocese. An address by the Rev. Eliphalet Nott Potter, D. D., President of Hobart College, treating of the Bishop's literary labors, was read by the Rev. Henry R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.

During the offertory the hymn, "All people that on earth do dwell," was sung, ending with the Doxology. The Bishop closed with the following prayer, first saying: "My friends, my brethren, my children in the Lord, I believe you will understand me when I say that I will not attempt to make any response to the over-abundant expressions of sympathy and affection that we have heard; I only bid you in the Master's name, joy and thanksgiving. Let us pray."

O Almighty God and Most Merciful Father, the Lord of Hosts and the Ruler of all worlds, accept, we beseech Thee, our humble and hearty thanks for the wondrous care and protection with which Thou hast led us Thy people these many years, under the protection of Thy Providence and in the covenants of Thy grace. As our fathers have declared unto us the noble works that Thou didst in their days and in the old time before them, so hast Thou shown us, their children, Thy goodness and Thy glory. Continue to us, we beseech Thee, in the years that are to come, these Thy loving kindnesses which have been ever of old. Defend us from all dangers, and the fear of them. Think upon Thine inheritance, and make us to remember Thy commandments to do them. Preserve us in the unity of the Faith and in the knowledge of Thy Son.

And O Lord Jesus Christ, most true Pastor and Shepherd of Souls, we entreat Thee graciously to behold this Thy favored flock which Thou hast purchased with Thy precious blood. Further with Thy continual help all



those among us who labor and watch in Thy love and fear for the coming of Thy kingdom on the earth in righteousness and true holiness. Make Thy Zion to arise and shine, her light being come, and the glory of the Lord risen upon her. Send and guide with Thy hand such faithful shepherds and diligent flock-feeders as will seek out the lost sheep, lovingly lay them on their shoulders, and bring them home to Thy Fold with thanksgiving. Give them that Thy wisdom which no man is able to resist, wherewith they may both be able to exhort with wholesome doctrine, and also to overcome and convince them that speak against it. Grant, we pray Thee, most merciful Saviour, that in all things they may so behave themselves according to Thy blessed will and commandment, that when Thou, the Most High Bishop and Chief Shepherd, shalt appear, they may receive the incorruptible crown of glory. And unto Thee, O Christ, with the Father and the Holy Ghost, shall be rendered all honor and praise in Thy church, world without end. Amen.

The recessional was the hymn, "For all the Saints who from their labors rest."

After the services in the church a public reception was held in the parlors of the Yates Hotel, a large number of persons taking the opportunity to offer their congratulations to the Bishop and his family. Many letters of congratulation were received by the Bishop from bishops, clergymen and laymen in different parts of the country, and from the Christian ministers of Syracuse.

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## Anniversary Sermon.

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BY THE RIGHT REV. HENRY C. POTTER, D. D., LL. D., BISHOP  
OF NEW YORK.

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*“And strangers shall stand and feed your flocks, and the sons  
of the alien shall be your plowmen and your vinedressers.”*  
ISAIAH lxi: 5.

There are two aspects of such an occasion as this, the one of which may be called personal and the other historic. Observe, I do not say, on the one hand personal and on the other diocesan, for that would be to limit our view of this anniversary to an estimate at once narrow and fragmentary. If it is true, as St. Cyprian says, that *Episcopatus unus est, cujus a singulis pars in solidum tenetur*,\* the same is certainly no less true, if not in precisely the same sense, yet in a very real sense, of that whole body of which the Episcopate after all is but a part. And so to-day, while there are aspects of this anniversary which are local and circumscribed, aspects let me at once say, the most sacred, the most tender, and the most interesting of all, and with which, verily, just because they are so sacred and tender, “a stranger may not intermeddle,” there are still others in which your Bishop, and this diocese, and this day, are related to a larger whole, and with which mainly this morning I shall take leave to concern myself.

And in doing so let me begin by saying that what I mean by the historic aspect of such an occasion as this, I do not mean, now at any rate, in any narrow or merely ecclesiastical sense. Indeed, when one comes to write Church history anywhere, he cannot do so in any large or scientific way unless he reckons in as well that secular history and those secular conditions amid which in any age of the world the Church has lived and wrought. There is a fine suggestiveness, if one will but see it, in those opening words of St. Luke's Gospel: “Now in the fifteenth year of the reign of Tiberius Cæsar, Pontius Pilate being governor of Judea, and Herod being tetrarch of Galilee, and his brother Philip tetrarch of Ituræa and of the reign of Trachonitis, and Lysanias the tetrarch of Abilene. Annas and Caiaphas being the high priests, the word of God came unto John the son of Zacharias in the wilderness.”† We get at once a wide and intellectually quickening view of the whole situation. We

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\* St. Cyprian “De Unitate Ecclesiæ,” 1, 385.

† St. Luke, iii: 1, 2.

know what it was that drove the Baptist to the wilderness. We know the rotten and corrupt civic, imperial, ecclesiastical environment that stung him into such splendid audacity of reform. We grasp the nature of his task and discern the provocation to his stern cry of repentance, as we never could have done otherwise. It is so all along. You cannot rightly interpret in any smallest degree the history of the Church during the last half of the fourth century and leave out the Emperor Julian; or the birth of the ecclesiastical supremacy of the Bishop of Rome, and forget the story of the invasion of Alaric and the dispersion of ancient Roman society; or the splendid story of the Eastern Church and fail to reckon in the memorable reign of the Emperor Justinian. Nay, you cannot go back to the story of our own ecclesiastical beginnings and disentangle it from the threads of that larger story out of which our colonial ancestors wove the warp of the infant Republic. The Church and the State were never, indeed, on very good terms in those beginnings, and so far as "the Church" stands for our Church, the State in most colonies and commonwealths had little but suspicion or downright hostility to extend to her; but all the same the civic or political situation went a long way to determine the ecclesiastical situation, and to create those conditions which challenged, fostered, or hindered, as the case might be, her growth.

What were those conditions here, and how have they borne upon the story of those twenty-five years of diocesan life, and that quarter of a century of Episcopal service, which we are here to-day to recall? I may not within these narrow limits rehearse them here, nor indeed is it necessary. Whatever was the story of beginnings in that particular territory which is now comprised within the boundaries of the Diocese of Central New York, it is enough for our present purpose to recall those civic and ecclesiastical traditions which existed here when from the elder Diocese of Western New York this jurisdiction was set off, having that curious titular designation ingeniously suggestive of a railway corporation, under which, with such equanimity as you might, you have been called upon, dear brethren, to bear up.

They were, in some aspects of them, very interesting and honorable traditions. The Diocese of Western New York had, from its beginning, been associated with great events and great men. The matchless Hobart had consecrated its territory forever by ending there his memorable Episcopate. The gifted and beloved DeLancey had enriched it with the record of a wise and most gracious rule. The brilliant Coxe, whose still surviving activities shall not deny to us the privilege of gratefully recalling them and him, had touched it with the charm of his stirring and engaging presence. Rare and noble men, priests and laymen.

had wrought and served in its parishes and in many diocesan councils; and it had much to value and still more to be thankful for. But I suppose I shall not be challenged when I say that the infant diocese and the newly-consecrated Bishop had also difficult and often discouraging problems which have been all along a part of the Church's heritage throughout this Empire State. New York has never been as hard a soil for the Church as some other parts of the Republic. Men did not in the beginning as universally hate or distrust it as they did in New England, nor as largely recoil from its traditions as they did in Pennsylvania. But from the beginning its constituency was not a numerous one, and its neighbors did not often greatly love it. We are accustomed to say that, at the outset, there were three strains present in the history of this Commonwealth, Dutch, Huguenot, and Puritan. In one sense, as those of you will own who have read Mr. Douglas Campbell's remarkable book, they were one. At any rate, they were all tolerably well agreed in their common antagonism to the Church. They did not admire her. They "had no use for her," and they were very generally agreed that she was an alien if not a dangerous exotic.

And this was not very surprising. In the beginning she largely stood, to the popular mind, for that hated and, to not a few, hateful domination which had been incarnated in the Church of the Stuarts, which had resented freedom of conscience and had persecuted those who exercised it, and later still, for that ecclesiastical establishment whose Bishops sat in the House of Lords when the colonies cried to the mother country for justice, and who were certainly not very forward in demanding justice in their behalf. One would have said that the spectacle of the foremost men in the building of the Republic. Washington, Marshall, Jay, and their compeers, kneeling at her altars would have dispelled a popular prejudice which confounded the Church with the State, and which held the one responsible for the acts of the other. But as a matter of fact, the colonists who were *not* Churchmen explained the patriotism of their brethren who were, by saying that it was not because of their Churchmanship that they were patriots, but in spite of it. It mattered not that the names of King George and all the royal family had disappeared out of the Prayer Book or as some of us have seen in copies preserved till to-day, had had pasted over them the words "those in authority over us," or some equivalent phrase, so soon as 1776 was reached; men who had suffered at the hands of a king and his council refused to believe that the virus of monarchism was not still lingering in the hearts of those who were willing even to pray out of the same book with the king.

And where this cause of distrust and alienation was wanting,

there were others even more potent and active. The Church was the home of formalists, of sacramentarians, of legalists. It had no "vital piety." It did not believe in conversion. It was fond of worldly amusements (an indictment alas, truer, it is to be feared, than the others) it disesteemed the ordinance of preaching, it was exclusive, aristocratic, inert. And unfortunately in all these accusations there was here and there, if not everywhere that the Church of the Colonies survived, enough,—as indeed there always will be in any body of Christian disciples under the sun,—to point a jest, or to provoke a sneer.

Dear brethren, I am not here to-day to answer the one, nor, as one might easily do, to turn the other upon those who uttered it. We may well own that those conditions under which the Church began her life in this land and extended her influence throughout this commonwealth, were not, originally, greatly favorable to a high standard of conduct, or to great spiritual enthusiasm. The colonies were the refuge of younger sons of decayed families, of often disreputable clergy. That among them there shone in the ministry of this Church and in many a devout and blameless home of the people, some of the best examples of Christian discipleship, you and I well know. But neither the age nor its social conditions were greatly favorable to these, and there were especially wanting those circumstances of persecution and heroic constancy to high convictions under many hardships, which will always touch the often austere narrowness of Huguenot, Hollander and Puritan, with the fine light of saintly purpose and steadfast self-surrender.

And yet, men and brethren, how since, the Church in this land and pre-eminently in this State, has thriven and grown! The courtesy of my brother, the Bishop of Albany, whose affectionate salutations I am privileged to bring you to-day, has placed at my disposal a group of statistics\* which, as they pertain to the quarter of a century whose close we celebrate to-day, I may venture briefly to recapitulate here.

During the last twenty-five years the growth of population in this State has been about 2,685,000 or 70 per cent. During that time the increase of communicants has been at the rate of 165 $\frac{3}{4}$  per cent. Of clergy the increase has been at the rate of 42 per cent.; of churches at the rate of 50 per cent.; of Sunday school teachers at the rate of 67 per cent.; of pupils at the rate of 70 per cent.; and of contributions at the rate of 207 $\frac{3}{4}$  per cent. In this diocese the ratio of increase of population has been 19 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. in twenty-five years, while the ratio of increase of clergy has been 55 per cent.; of churches and missions 33 per cent.; of communicants 97 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.; and of contributions 118

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per cent.; and almost all this has been accomplished under the leadership of five Bishops, of whom only one was born and nurtured in this Church.

What is the explanation of a growth so rapid, so steady, and in its relative proportions to the growth of any other Christian body, so remarkable as this? It is undoubtedly, to be explained in part by that enduring law of reaction which, in the case of all occasional or exceptional movements by way of protest or reform, whether in society or in the Church, tends, when the particular force which produced it is expended, to return to its original centre. An organized ecclesiastical life has enduring advantages over one that is unorganized or whose organization is merely of a temporary or extemporaneous character. The sect idea (using the word according to its derivation, and not in any invidious or unbrotherly sense) must always stand for a part, and not the whole: for exclusion and not for inclusion, for an activity which is intensive and not extensive. And so, as the horizon of men's knowledge expands, as they come to grasp the facts of history, whether in other times or their own, they have come to find it in many instances impossible not to exchange earlier prejudices for a wider vision, earlier antipathies for a larger charity, earlier crudities for a philosophy of religion at once more historic in its traditions, and more catholic and comprehensive in its doctrines and worship. The idea of a Church, rather than of a "religious society," has at length dawned upon them, and they have welcomed it as at once the solution of manifold theological difficulties and the venerable and gracious home of every best spiritual aspiration. They have seen in the Church not alone the place of a reverent worship, but of creeds so simple and elementary, so happily free from over-nice definitions and over-confident anathemas, that they have turned to it with inexpressible relief as the Church of Him who said: "Forbid him not; for he that is not against us is on our side," and again, "Come unto Me all ye that are weary and heavy-laden," doubter, prodigal, fallen one—come, with no sect-fashioned shibboleths on your lips, but only the sense of sin and the need of its forgiveness, "and I will give you rest."

But while all this is true, it is not the whole truth. The growth of this Church in this land and especially in this commonwealth, and pre-eminently, I venture to think, in this diocese, has been due not only to influences that are organic and historic in their characteristics, but also to those that are individual and personal. When you have said for the system, the polity, the ritual, the historic inheritance, in one word, of any Church all that can be said as explaining its achievements, you cannot leave out that other element in those achievements which is personal and

individual. In speaking of it here to-day, I know very well how distasteful will be anything that I may say to him whom it chiefly concerns. Indeed, so conscious have I been all along of the characteristic and habitual shrinking from undue publicity, ostentation, blazonry, whether of insignia, regalia, or personal service, of him who is the Bishop of this diocese, that when I heard recently that he had somewhat suddenly and unexpectedly departed for a foreign land I confess I was greatly tempted to apprehend that his invariable modesty and diffidence would lead him to remain away until these various commemorations were concluded! I am glad that he has not done so; and I shall be sorry if any loving word of mine shall give him pain; but I must beg him and you, dear brethren, to remember that in what I shall have further to say this morning, that personal element in the history of this diocese to which I have referred, will be present, not surely for any mere purpose of fulsome eulogy, (of which let me say I quite agree with your Bishop that we have in these days whether it be of Bishops or of other people, quite too much,) but rather and chiefly as illustrating the large importance of that personal element in the life and work of the Church.

And from this point of view, it belongs to me first of all to say that this diocese has been fortunate in its *intellectual leadership*. An Episcopate of power does not necessarily depend upon intellectual gifts of the highest order; and it is well it is so. With whatever responsibilities of administration and governance a Bishop is charged, there would be something of incongruity in a condition of things which demanded that in a kingdom supremely of spiritual forces, its rulers or leaders shall always conspicuously excel in mental endowments. As a matter of fact it is a happy and inspiring feature of the Episcopate in all lands that it has achieved often the largest and most enduring results when these have been vouchsafed in very modest measure. The life of that really great French prelate, Nicholas Pavillon, Bishop of Alet, as written by the present Archbishop of York, is one which no one who has read it will ever forget. But Nicholas Pavillon was great by virtue not of his intellect, but his soul. He persuaded and won, and overcame, not by the force of an acute mind but of a dauntless and transparent character. He built for Christ with large and enduring results, not because he was an ecclesiastical statesman, or an exceptional theologian, but because his was a fearless and heroic spirit. And so have other men wrought and built in all ages of the Church to the glory of God and the lasting well being of their fellowmen.

And yet, we may not forget that the gifts of intellect are the gifts of God, nor fail to be thankful when they have been generously bestowed upon those who are called to the Episcopate.



And so, to-day, we remember here with affectionate pride and gratitude those exceptional teaching powers, and that fine gift of both intellectual and spiritual vision, which long ago made the name and the fame of him who is your Bishop known in two hemispheres. How many readers and disciples he has had wherever the fruits of his pen have gone, it would not be easy to calculate; but one of them, to whom his printed works came just at the moment when he was turning his face toward the holy ministry, and who has borne his grateful testimony to their influence upon another and more informal occasion in this diocese, would repeat that testimony here. With him, as with many another, it was then true, that truth became at once a more luminous and potential thing, potential both in the realm of the imagination and of the will, from the day when he first read a volume of discourses entitled "Sermons for the People," all the way on to this hour. The clear and sure discrimination that from the outset seized fast hold upon essential things, the vibrant sympathy that brought them down from the upper air of speculation, and laid them close beside the human heart and life, the unerring spiritual apprehension and lofty yet not dryly austere conception of the enduring bonds that bind the soul to God,—these are things in the intellectual ministry of your first Bishop which one at least who is largely indebted to them, will always gratefully remember.

And so will multitudes of others here, for they have had much to do with translating the Church in all these regions to the people, and in lifting the conception of the office of a Bishop to its rightful level. It has often been said by those who loved and revered him—and I am not sure that I have not said it myself—that your Bishop might have been placed in a field where, more even than here, his exceptional gifts and training might have done a great work for the Church. But it is well for us to remember that the problems which some have thought to be peculiar to one part of our country, like New England, are no less the problems, even if not in the same measure, of all the rest of it. The intellectual history of beliefs in America can never be written without reckoning in that considerable and impressive movement which, in England and in this country, issued in what is known as Unitarianism, and which, whatever we may say of its grave doctrinal defects, as we view them, nurtured and inspired some of the most memorable teachers and beautiful lives that recent times have known. To have known this important movement from within, to have been in one sense a part of it, to have recognized and appropriated the best that there was in it, and then to have discovered that which was wanting in it, and to have outgrown it; this was a preparation for a place of leadership in the Church which,



when it was coupled with rare gifts of shepherdship, with large wisdom in discerning and influencing the times, with comprehensive intellectual sympathy guarded by a sensitive reverence for revealed truth, exceptionally fitted him whose it was for the work which was to be done here.

And to this there has been happily joined, in that Episcopate of this diocese which we commemorate to-day, an eminent wisdom of administration. Let me be a little more explicit as to what I mean by a phrase of somewhat vague import. In the Episcopate a wise administration is not merely one which is marked by a prevailing prudence. Prudence may well be an eminent characteristic, for a bishop stands for a great deal more than himself or even his diocese, and he may not therefore hastily commit himself to views and policies which as an individual he might properly advocate or inaugurate. Indeed, if one were to study our Episcopate in any part of the world, it would be pathetic to note how late and often painfully men have learned this lesson. Setting out with a very sharply defined conception of their own of what an ideal Episcopate ought to be, they have very soon come into acute collision with the rights and convictions of other men, only to learn after denying the one and contemning the other, that they had as veritable a place within the lawful liberty of the Church as their own. That sect spirit which would dwarf the life and activities of the Church to the meagre proportions of one man's opinions simply because he had Episcopal consecration, this has been a blemish in more than one Episcopate in the history of the Church, of which we have had painful evidence. It is a happy distinction of the administration which we recall to-day that it has not obtained here. A clear, consistent and unfaltering conviction of the Church's doctrine and order, an explicit insistence upon their enduring authority, have redeemed every hour of it from the faintest suspicion of vagueness, heedlessness, or indifference. You have known what your Bishop believed, and no less the scriptural, apostolic and canonical grounds on which he based his wise and firm rule. But no less have you seen in him that highest gift of administration which takes large views of opportunities, of emergencies, of men. Your missionary work, pre-eminently dear to him, in the adaptation of means, whether new or old, to particular exigencies; that fine insight as to the true idea of the Church which recognizes that just because there is so much that is fixed in her—her creeds, her order, her discipline—there must needs be over against them, those other things that are not fixed but flexible; the just discrimination which, in dealing with the flexible element in what I may call the mechanism of the Church, distinguishes between the visionary and the practicable; these have been

characteristics of the first Episcopate of this diocese which as others have observed them, have always been conspicuous and noteworthy. I remember very well, as illustrating what I mean, the initiation of one agency which, though in form it has not yet come to pass among us, illustrates what I say. It was the Bishop of this diocese, unless I am mistaken, who first recognized the uses and appreciated the value of an order of evangelists. It was he who gave to the formation of such an order and the inauguration of its work, I think even before he came to his present office, his warm sympathy and practical encouragement. Using language in its literal sense there is no such order to-day. But there is, to my own mind, no smallest doubt that the early recognition of its rightful place in the work of the Church by the Bishop of this diocese, had much, if not the most, to do with setting in motion two movements, the one issuing in the Parochial Missions Society and the other in St. Andrew's Brotherhood, which together include most if not all that an order of evangelists implies and much more that is valuable besides. And what is pre-eminently significant just here in such a fact, is that it is typical of that larger characteristic of administration which, as I think, has adorned the history of this diocese for the last twenty-five years. Some one once said of that hardening of the cells of the Episcopal brain which is believed by some to be the pre-eminent characteristic of those who bear that office, that no Bishop was ever known to welcome a new idea or a new method after he was sixty years old. "Talk of a '*mare clausum*'" said a clever Englishman, "there is no such '*mare clausum*' as the Episcopal mind." I am not here to defend my order from that indictment, a task I own not altogether without its difficulties; but I am here to maintain that it has no place in the history of that Episcopate which we are here to-day to recall. And that is what I mean by the highest excellence in Episcopal administration. There is a sentence in the office for the consecration of a Bishop which just here might well be written in letters of gold. Says the presiding Bishop in the charge to him who is presented to him for consecration, "Be so merciful that you be not too remiss; so minister discipline that you forget not mercy." It is a rule for the administration of discipline; but in the essence of it it is a rule for all administration. There is a strong confidence in the Church's positions; let it not degenerate into a boastful conceit. There is a wise dread of untried innovations; let it not deteriorate into a timid bourbonism. There is a just boundary line even to the most catholic sympathies; let it not harden into a sectarian phariseism. Above all, there may well be a resolute faith in well tried methods; let it not become an arrogance which is the prophecy of atrophied powers, because it has ceased to

learn. "Open thy mouth wide and I will fill it," said God to the elder prophets. Let us rejoice in an administration which here has taught us in the Church's work the wisdom and the blessing of a hearkening ear and a hospitable soul.

And that brings me to speak finally of that in the history of the first Episcopate of this diocese which will always be its crowning glory. Intellectual force, exceptional culture, administrative wisdom, wide sympathies, and a temperament hospitable to enthusiasm and ready to own and welcome varieties and even untried instrumentalities in the work of the Church—all these are excellent notes in the character and work of a true Bishop; but there is another that is better than any or all of them, and rarer; and that is that supreme perception of the spiritual and divinest in the religion of Jesus Christ, and the mightiest in its force and efficacy. The Church, men and brethren, is indeed a visible institution; her outward part, the visible, audible, tangible ministry and sacraments, her matchless ritual, her stately structures, her art and architecture, vestment and fabric, and ceremony—all these are verily indispensable to her life and work among men. She is not a ghost; and if she is to reach beings the avenues to whose souls are their senses, she must needs speak to the one by challenging first the other. But she would not be the Church in the world, but already the Church translated out of the world, if from the beginning she had not been in danger of being dominated even in these things by the sense spirit, which is essentially the pagan spirit, materialistic, tawdry, spectacular. You may trace to-day the history of almost every pagan rite and superstition, no matter how gross or coarse the idolatry involved in it, as an eminent English scholar has lately shown, in the modern Roman ritual. And you may trace in imitations of that ritual among ourselves as essentially vulgar, meretricious, and theatrical, the same essential paganism as that to which, insensibly, its votaries are returning. In an age which witnesses these things, and which, alas, is only too rarely roused to resist and resent them, it is a rare blessing to the American Church to have a Bishop who has—denounced them? nay, I hope I show him no scant respect when I say that it would have been of very secondary consequence if he had—but a Bishop who has shown, first by his personal example and then by his clear and consistent teaching, what things are of primary consequence in the Church of God to-day. We forgive a good deal to boys, and a good deal more, often, to priests and deacons who are no longer boys, when, for a little, they are ensnared by the cheap toys of a bedizened ceremonialism; but we expect in the Episcopate a certain sobriety which, in an age over-fond in all departments of life of the merely decorative rather than of the enduringly substantial, shall stand like some

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noble doric column, erect, massive, austere simple, divinely upward-reaching. And so your Bishop has stood, unspoiled and unbedecked, of reverent mien, and tender dignity, telling to all men everywhere, by life and printed page and spoken word, that "the things that are seen are temporal," and that "the things that are unseen are eternal;" that "the life is more than meat and the body than raiment," and that "they that worship God, who is a Spirit, must worship Him in spirit and in truth."

Believe me, men and brethren, there is no message, no witness, no example which the Church of God so sorely needs to-day. She may keep the husk of an outward orthodoxy, which is in truth not greatly threatened, however much those who just now are posing as its defenders may find it in their interest to pretend otherwise. But whether, though she be as orthodox as Athanasius himself, under the richer garb and more elaborate ceremonial and more eager passion for the outward which prevails, she shall keep her spiritual life, this is a question which a leadership such as you have had here, or, on the other hand, the absence of it, will go a long way to decide. And so I bless God for an Episcopate so able, so wise, so far-seeing? Yes, but most of all, so lofty in its spiritual tone. I bless Him that he whose office it has been among you for five and twenty years to invoke upon men the gifts of the Holy Ghost, has shown so plainly and so consistently all along that he believes in them. Wealth, territory, members, temples,—what are these but dead and impotent things, save as the Spirit of Christ shall quicken them. Blessed be God that He has done so here. We cry to him in the *Te Deum*, "Govern them and lift them up." Happy the flock whose chief pastor, in his lower measure and degree, has through all these years been doing no less a work.

## Address

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*My Right Reverend Brother—Brethren of the Laity—Citizens of  
this good city:*

I assume that many are here to-night who love and honor him whom we delight to honor for his works' sake; and I salute you all who are here assembled to celebrate the anniversary of his laborious and fruitful Episcopate.

To you, dear brethren of the Clergy, I may more especially address myself, in very grateful sense of the fact that to your faithful labors, gifts and abilities, in co-operation with your Father in God, he would be the first to accord the tribute of his praise for what God has permitted him to accomplish with you and by you. Without his troops, what could the greatest commander do in any campaign? Your Bishop's loving heart would be dissatisfied on an occasion like this should one of his brethren in the Episcopate, while honoring him, in his great commission, fail to recognize this principle of appreciation, in no secondary degree, of the merits of those reverend co-workers, over whom it has been his crowning glory to preside. For the fourth of a century, under its first Bishop, this diocese has advanced like "an army with banners;" and this day is properly made a Feast of Thanksgiving to the only Giver of all victory. We have kept it accordingly by solemn acts of worship, to testify what God hath wrought. "Hitherto hath He helped us." It is also a Feast of Memories. Let us not forget the noble workers, the zealous and faithful men who have contributed their life-work to the results for which we are so thankful, but who now rest from their labors. Yet, after all, I may be reminded by a world-poet, that human effort is little to be spoken of, in moments of elevated gratitude for any of God's doings, in us or by us or for us. On the field of Agincourt poor Fluellen is quite jealous for the meed of praise due to his statistics; he would tell "how many are killed;" but the hero of the field is impatient of all such reckonings. His great heart gushes with emotions that cannot pause for fractions of computation. It is history and not mere poetry that Henry the Fifth exclaimed, "O, God, thine arm was here! Do we all holy rites—

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“ Let there be sung *Non Nobis* and *Te Deum*,  
And be it death, proclaimed throughout our host,  
To boast of this, or take the praise from God,  
Which is His only. Take it, God,  
For it is none but thine.”

After this we may come to some details of what we are celebrating. The eloquent Bishop who preached to us this morning, in reviewing the Church history of this western portion of the State, profoundly impressed me with a sense of the small beginnings of what has grown so great. Through what severe experiences the pioneer clergy toiled onward, in laying the foundations for all we now enjoy! How much we owe to their ill-requited toils, and amid conflicts and difficulties how patiently and how efficiently they wrought! We are the inheritors of the large estate they left; and how comforting the reflection that their's are the fuller rewards of martyrs and confessors as compared with any crowns that our Master may have in store for us. At times, amid the liturgic rites of the morning service, associations with the past rose before me and stirred emotions that well nigh took away my breath. Occasionally, as I had glanced at the clergy ranks before me, I discovered here and there a veteran who once called me here his Bishop. Yet how few remain over whom I presided, when on this sacred spot were cast the votes with silent solemnity, which sought Dr. Huntington to be your father in Christ. They went forth bearing precious seed and sowed with tears; it is their sheaves we bring with us to-day, while we rejoice with shoutings.

“ Paul has planted and Apollos watered,  
God alone gives the increase.”

But what more can I add? I remarked afterwards to him who preached to us—“ You have left nothing for me to say.” On occasions like this he is the man for the occasion. He never lacks the fitting word, and he seems to delight to speak such words in season, when with untiring love he comes to a scene like this to honor some elder brother in the Episcopate. Fitly spoken by him, his tribute this morning was an expression of the House of Bishops itself; nay, it was the voice of the entire American church. When I seemed to complain that there was nothing to be added by me, your Bishop subjoined—“ Give us your reminiscences of Central New York.” I saw that with that excess of modesty which has been justly ascribed to him, he was anxious to be spared the torture of further encomium. The preacher remarked—“ Yes, our brother has already endured enough!” No doubt he felt so; yet I must be indulged with one reference to Bishop Potter's observation that an occasion like this has a two-fold character. He described it as in part

“personal” and in part “historical.” Now, the personal part is delightful to us, and afflicting only to its subject. Every good churchman in the land takes pleasure in the personal tributes we render to your first Bishop. We are here to attest the fact. But all this is an object-lesson, and rich in its bearings upon your future. We perpetuate what our fathers have told us, and, on the psalmist’s principle, the children that shall be born must profit by the same. This historical feature of our solemnities is grand indeed.

When the architect of St. Peter’s in Rome was leaving Florence to undertake that work, he turned for a last look at the dome of its cathedral; that incomparable work of genius which, architecturally, has never been equaled, and which Michael Angelo generously commended, while yet he despaired of creating anything original which might even approach in meritorious design the marvellous achievement of Brunelleschi. “Better I cannot,” said he, “duplicate it, I will not.” He took his satisfaction in that delight which every good man feels when he beholds the triumphs of others, and he preferred to leave the dome of Florence without a competitor in its construction; the architectural master-piece of its kind in all the world.

I leave my brother Bishop in possession of the field. He has performed his task with unrivalled skill. To do over again the “personal” would be to “paint the lily.” Your Bishop had limited me to the historical; but I shall have nothing to say of the past which has relation to my own brief relations with Central New York. Enough that I gave it over to one whose abilities I cannot equal, and who very speedily enabled you to forget the inexperience and imperfections of my labors among you. But, happy thought for me, in the historical I have found one thing that was not said by Bishop Potter. He has left to me the privilege of paying a tribute to the memory of Bishop Moore.

That saintly man of God I never saw; but his venerable relict once placed her hand upon my head with tender words of approbation. With his grandchildren I played while yet a child; and Clement, his accomplished son, afterwards my instructor in the Seminary, instructed me more effectually by the lofty example to which my boyhood looked up with awe, in his library, amid the charms of his intercourse with his family. A scholar, an expert in music, a man of letters and a charming poet, let me recall his name and worth, and thank God, in this place, for all he accomplished for the church and for the little I have preserved of all he did for me.

I will come to the “historical” about Bishop Moore, by a personal narrative. While a college boy, on a visit to Niagara



Falls, (you will readily believe that was very long ago) I spent a Sunday in Geneva. There I saw the little church, built of timber, and evidently designed in imitation of its nursing mother, Trinity Church, in New York. It occupied the spot on which long afterward I was to be consecrated a Bishop. How little one foresees his future, at such an age!

Look around you and behold the noble architecture of this church; but do not scorn that day of small things. In due time it gave place to a church of solid stone and of very considerable merit. The wooden church I speak of was the root of this and many other branches. It was church-like, and like all churches of those days, the altar was behind the pulpit, under the great window, and the pulpit was a graceful lily on its stem, at the head of the mid-alley. It was canopied and resembled the pulpit of St. Paul's Chapel in New York. In my opinion we have not improved in this particular. The true Anglican pulpit is not a "desk," nor a "platform," nor a barricade of "sounding brass"—fit only for a "tinkling cymbal." The altar, unhappily obscured by this arrangement, was yet a "Holy Table" within its rails, and by its very isolation, preserved its character as eminently the holy place, to which it was the pulpit's function to invite the flock to draw near, with reverence and preparatory offices of faith and penitence. For a few years a mistaken idea of a Bishop's contrivance to meet a special want led to an arrangement which the prayer book itself rebuked. What was the momentary whim of builders soon worked its own cure, and you have before you and about you the restoration which proclaims that "the old was better." "Let the ancient customs prevail." Well, that church in Geneva was consecrated by Bishop Moore. His apostolic feet were the first of the great succession that ever reached this region. He was the pioneer apostle of Northern and Western New York, and the index-finger that pointed further west beyond the lakes and to the Pacific shores.

Bishop Moore was, moreover, the first Bishop of New York who was penetrated with the missionary idea. His predecessors had no confidence in the revival of the little remnant of a church which was left in ruins by the Revolution that separated us from the motherland. Of the first Bishop of New York I speak nevertheless with great consideration. Bishop Provoost was an accomplished scholar, a gentleman, and, I have no doubt, a very good man. But there was little of the missionary spirit in the church of New York. Yet we must not blame him, for it required a very strong faith for one situated as he was to think differently. He had seen the fierce struggles of the Revolution and his diocese had come forth as from a fiery furnace. He had been almost deserted by his reverend brethren



who felt the binding force of the oath they had taken of loyalty to King George. He stood almost alone on the Whig theory of 1688. When he saw the poor remains of the church that were left, he said, (and he should be forgiven for saying it) "Americans do not like the Church of England and they will have nothing to do with anything English hereafter. I consider myself the Bishop of a little dying flock, and I suppose when our old families and old clergy are gone there will be no more church in this country." I have never found any who censured him for looking at it in that light, considering his point of view and the hard facts of the situation.

For, until 1811, the church kept dwindling down to zero. Aged pastors died and young ones did not come forward. In 1813, another Bishop congratulated the diocese on a few young men who were offering themselves; but not until 1818 began the upgrowth. There was faint prospect just then that the church could renew her strength.

Three goodly youths had offered themselves in the year 1813, and they were persons in some respects of similar character; all of them subsequently became men of mark. They were Dr. Berrian, afterwards rector of Trinity, New York; my beloved friend, the learned and justly venerated Dr. Jarvis, and my not less esteemed friend, Rev. Dr. Wyatt, of Baltimore, who so long presided in the House of Deputies.

Davenport Phelps was the pioneer missionary in that portion of Western New York where I now reside; going into barns, and preaching to rude settlers; searching them in log cabins and huts, asking everywhere if there were any who called themselves church people. He was not in Holy Orders for he would not take orders under Bishop Provoost, not because he did not venerate the man, but because he "would not be ordained by a man who did not believe in the perpetuity of this church, and did not suppose that 'out of weakness' the church could be 'made strong.'"

As soon as Moore was consecrated Phelps hastened to New York and was ordained by him who stood for the idea of missions and of the church which defies the gates of hell. By a happy coincidence the uttermost point to which Bishop Moore penetrated westward was the village of Phelps; and no matter how it got its name, I always consider it as a monument of this missionary and of the missionary Bishop who ordained him. When I paid my first visit to that parish the aged warden told me that he remembered that visitation of Bishop Moore; and I was glad to see the present rector of Phelps among the clergy here this morning. I trust he hears me now.

I have paid my grateful tribute to Bishop Moore, and I have been glad to do it in connection with this day's feast. Oh,

what would that holy man of God have thought if he could have been foretold of what you have seen here to-day; if he could have foreseen this splendid house of God, and this gathering here to-night and your beloved Bishop in the chair which once was his.

But we must have pity upon his successor, and I know that many of you are desirous of hastening to offer him your personal congratulations, at the promised reception. I will not enlarge upon the other things that have presented themselves to my mind and which were it not that other speakers are to succeed me, I should have been ready to enlarge upon as not inappropriate.

I felt this morning while Bishop Potter was pointing out those things which are our common bond in the Episcopate; I felt when there were three of your Bishops here together, that even such a quorum presents the Church of Central New York in a new light before this community. When I saw the procession of clergy moving into the Church I thought how our Dear Master sent out his disciples two by two, with a special design. It reminded me of the blessed Apostles in their consultation as a sacred College, and I felt, as I never felt before, that we are not so many isolated dioceses, but are all members one of another. And in a great State like this, where we have so many things in common, we should be more frequently brought together and made to feel how much such society strengthens all. I praise God my own weakness has been made strong by such means, for at times I felt as if I had been wafted heavenward by your worship and its strains of glorious music. It must be strengthening to all of us in such a place as this at such a time, to see and flow together and then go our several ways praising and blessing God for what we have heard and seen. Such was the spirit of that day in the Hebrew Church when their Temple was consecrated; when the people returned to their tents joyful and glad at heart.

These remarks I have indulged in for a practical purpose. Let this day be historical indeed, prompting us to get rid of the swaddling clothes of a "Federate Council," which I do not like more than your own Bishop does; but let us build upon primitive lines a true "province" of which New York shall be the Metropolitan See. We must come together more frequently. We must get rid of the individualism of aggregated dioceses that are not associated in common endeavors for common ends and efficient work.

I remember how much I was affected many years ago in reading of the death of a person with whom I had some acquaintance; the eminent Judge Talfourd, a poet, a man of letters and a jurist. Sitting upon the bench, he was lamenting what I am sure everybody who looks at the condition of England at the present time must feel was the outburst of a prophetic soul,

bewailing the want of sympathy between the different orders of society. He deplored the spread of crime, as produced by lack of such charity. He appealed in behalf of all sorts and conditions of men to the conscience of the higher classes; that is, the privileged classes. He lamented a general apathy among them and urged good men to the promotion of happy reforms. He attributed the growth of crime to lack of sympathy with the poor. Such was his thought. He repeated it, "our great fault is want of sympathy," and as he said this he bowed his head, and suddenly expired upon the bench. That was a sublime death. What a mighty thing sympathy is; and what a delightful thing it is for Christians to "love one another" as of old; yes, and to feel as we do to-day, the ennobling sympathies that have drawn us together around your Bishop, on a day so marked in his personal history, to be noted hereafter as a day of record of the whole church. We are a brotherhood. We are all of one body. What elevates one, elevates another; what depresses one, depresses another. We are parts one of another, and sometimes we are made to feel it as early Christians did. I trust we have all felt it this day.

I remarked to your dear Bishop, going into the service to-night, how little I thought five and twenty years ago that I should be spared to celebrate such an anniversary as this. Little did I dream that I should be spared to meet here again after long years, so many who have claims upon my love, and some upon whom it was my privilege to lay my hands long since in confirmation; some also whom I ordained as youths, who are grayhaired now. God bless you all.

My venerated and beloved brother, I may at least be permitted to add a few words personally, and which I trust you will accept as the homage of a loving heart. I wish thus to thank God, as Bishop Potter did this morning, that you have been spared to do the great work which you have done in Central New York. I praise Him that I have been permitted, with my feeble voice, to stand here to-day a witness for what has been done by its first Bishop, the fruit of his devoted efforts. May the Blessed Master who has just brought you home from the perils of the great deep, and from your only visit to the motherland (the first real vacation with which you have indulged yourself,) still allow you to continue in the glorious path of duty with new and added strength in the might of His Blessed Name. We offer you the congratulations and the tender sympathies of your brethren; and may He, to whom alone you look for a future, grant that before you rest from your labors you may bring forth yet more fruit in your age. May you "run and not be weary and walk and not faint;" going from strength to strength, to cast your crown at Jesus' feet, before the throne of the Lamb.

## Address

OF THE REV. JOHN BRAINARD, D. D.

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*Reverend Father in God :*

On this joyful anniversary the clergy of your united and prosperous diocese delegate to me the distinguished honor of conveying to you, in the most tender and affectionate words, their loving congratulations.

We are keeping not only the twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of the diocese, but your continuous administration of its affairs through all these hasting years, and we thank God that he has permitted you to shape the policy, and carry to a degree of ripe development the things pertaining to the Kingdom of God. I know full well that in your view of this day's observance, no words of affection can come more closely to your heart, or stir your pulses with a quicker throb, than those which give expression to the estimate in which you are held by your fellow-helpers in Christ Jesus, who throughout your diocese have esteemed it a privilege to salute you as their father in God, and with an obedience which has never faltered, have carried forward your cherished plans. You are ready to acknowledge, with deepest gratitude, that the blessed story which you are this day permitted to tell, would not have risen to any such rich psalm of thanksgiving, if the clergy of your diocese had not been animated by your example and quickened by your zeal. And so to-day you have been telling what your devoted and faithful pastors have enabled you to accomplish, as in obedience to your orders and in the prosecution of your plans their feet have been swift and beautiful while they proclaimed the gospel of peace in these bright valleys during the twenty-five years of your fruitful Episcopate. And in an hour like this we must be reminded that we are compassed about with a great cloud of witnesses. These living priests, your clerical staff, at the present hour are not the only interested spectators of this solemnity. The brethren and companions dear whose earthly warfare is accomplished are sharers in our joys. They are not forgotten or uncounted by Him who telleth the number of the stars and calleth them all by their names, each in his lot awaits the fulfillment of God's great plan of providence and grace, and the final gathering of the redeemed family of man out of their wide dispersions into the eternal kingdom of the Father.

It is hard to realize that a little more than fifty years ago

the diocese of New York extended from Montauk Point to Niagara Falls. Doubtless it was more for the sake of convenience in visitation than from any due conception of what would follow, that the first division came in 1839, the year of your graduation from Amherst College. And so at that early day we were preparing the way for you and preparing ourselves for the greater venture which, in its audacity of faith, created three new dioceses, bringing into view the province of New York so rapidly increasing in wealth and population, its mighty possibilities of influence sending out their importunate cries for the church's guardian care, with her doctrine, discipline and worship. And so it came to pass that in our choice of a standard bearer our hearts went out to you. Our traditions forbade the selection of an ordinary man. You heeded the call of God and found yourself in this new field of labor, for which, beneath His guidance, you had been so long in training, and had secured for your Christian scholarship a national reputation. Any thought of the Episcopate as likely to put a dignified finish and completeness to your ecclesiastical career never could have found place in your mind. In the range of your education the office of a bishop was not a coveted honor. But there came a time when the awful perils which beset the great doctrines of the Catholic faith led you to a revision of your earlier views and then you saw that if these great doctrines of the faith are to be handed down in their integrity from age to age, there must be a witnessing church whose ministry receives its authority to-day, as at the first, in those grand, yet awful words of Christ, "As My Father hath sent Me, even so send I you."

And in the fulfillment of this trust the twenty-five years of your Episcopate are a witness of the heavenly inspiration with which that office was taken at the first, with which it has been carried onward to this hour. We congratulate you therefore for what your eyes behold and what our diocesan history records as the result of your fruitful Episcopate. The hopeful possibilities of a quarter of a century ago have been realized, and wherever else there may be darkness and storm and unrest, the favored Goshen of Central New York has light in her dwellings. Your visitations have been as undeviating as the seasons and as welcome as the sunshine and the dew. "And all this has been accomplished with a singular absence of noise and ostentation, and with a steady and quiet growth which is the best earnest of its essential genuineness and permanence." The statistics of this period are a wonderful record of achievement, but they tell not half the story of your blessed work. Each year is the witness of some noble advance. Institutions, academic and theological, blessed charities for the weary and neglected,

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hospitals for the alleviation of suffering and the training of nurses, we owe to you and your cultured family; these have so brightened the area of your diocese as to proclaim that your Episcopate, like His of Nazareth, has been one prolonged journey of doing good. In your relations with your clergy you have been most friendly and paternal. Over us in the Lord your rule has never been arbitrary. It is proved by the absence of party spirit, in the harmonious meetings of convention, in the substantial unity of the diocese. Thus it has been and long may it continue. Long may you have the spiritual oversight of this flock. Long may it be before the Chief Shepherd shall appear and bid you fold your hands. If this silver jubilee tells its story of unceasing labors, so also is it the blessed forecast of the golden jubilee of the well-earned rest. when the golden gate is won and the golden streets are pressed and the golden harps are touched, as the weary pilgrim finds himself in the paradise of God.

## Address

OF PRESIDENT POTTER OF HOBART COLLEGE.

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*Right Reverend Father in God :*

With respectful greetings, affectionate congratulations, and devout aspirations for your welfare from many interested in churchly educational undertakings, and especially from those without the boundaries of your diocese, it is a privilege to salute you, not only as Trustee and Visitor of Hobart College during your entire Episcopate, but also as one long connected with the literary life of the land, and the culture of the Church.

On the second Sunday after Easter, when began what the committee emphatically called this "celebration," it was my privilege, in the chapel of Hobart College and elsewhere, to pronounce eulogistic and heartfelt words, (since published in part) upon your memorable Episcopate. The undersigned, therefore, can only claim to-day the briefest hearing ; and more particularly because of the long list of your educational positions and publications presented to be read herewith.

The happy coincidence was previously mentioned by the undersigned that the Sunday on which this celebration began was that long known as the Lord's Day of the Good Shepherd ; for in the Collect there is reference both to the sacrificial Lamb and to the Shepherd-Exemplar, whose steps are to be followed ; while the Epistle refers to the Shepherd and Bishop of our souls, and the Gospel to the Good Shepherd.

To the lesson from that Episcopal pastoral picture, other writers and speakers add that which touches the many sides, dear Bishop, of your rounded life. As the natural conclusion turn we to the educational significance of your Christian labors and to the culmination of your literary and religious life, in unsparing and influential efforts on behalf of undertakings such as the Christian Social Union.

Amidst the unsoundness of godless theories and the Babel-like distractions of the times, you have boldly reaffirmed the remedy ; and courageously disclosed, as the true source of abiding peace, prosperity and progress, the fundamental social principles of the Gospel of Christ.

(Signed) ELIPHALET NOTT POTTER,

*President of Hobart College, and Advocate-Regent of the  
Church University Board of Regents.*



# PUBLICATIONS OF BISHOP HUNTINGTON.

Editor for several years each of "The Christian Register," "The Monthly Religious Magazine," "The Church Monthly."

Books—Christ in the Christian Year: Vol. I., Advent to Trinity; Vol. II., Trinity to Advent. Good Talking a Fine Art. Good Manners a Fine Art. Home-Keeping a Fine Art. Gospel and Judgment. Christian Believing and Living. Christ and the World. The Common Things of Divine Service. Forty Days with the Master. Helps to a Holy Lent. New Helps to a Holy Lent. Sermons for the People. The Fitness of Christianity to Man. Human Society: Its Providential Structure, Relations and Offices. The Golden Rule Applied to Social Life. Moral Cowardice: a Charge to the Clergy. Personal Christian Life in the Ministry. The High Calling. The Gospel and the People. The Work of the Brotherhood, Definite and Positive. Unconscious Tuition.

Introductions to "Martyria," "Euthanasy," "Hymns of the Ages," *Lyra Domestica*, "Waring's Poems," two editions of Bickersteth's "Rock of Ages," on the divinity of Christ, "Memorials of a Quiet Life," (Mrs. Hare), "Life of Catherine and Crawford Tait."

Contributions to Reviews, Magazines and Papers, e. g.: Old Democratic Review. Christian Examiner. North American Review. The Forum. American Church Review. Homiletic Review. "The Independent," "Boston Courier," "The Churchman," "The Congregationalist," (on the Episcopalians, and on social topics.)

Miscellaneous Pamphlets.—Addresses at the opening of Mt. Hope and Newton Cemeteries. Addresses before Agricultural Societies in Massachusetts. Paper on the objects of "The Church Association in the Interests of Labor." Graham and Lowell Lectures on Divine Aspects of Human Society. Duty of the Church respecting Social Problems. The Religion that is Natural. Sermon in the "Pulpit Eloquence of the 'Nineteenth Century.'" On Three Dispensations in History and in Soul. On Questions on the Parables of the New Testament. Steps to a Living Faith. Address before Evangelical Education Society on The Golden Rule Applied to Business and Social Life. Strikes: or the Conflict between Capital and Labor. Address on Church Unity before the Presbyterian Union in New York. Paper on the Future Life in Bacon's "That Unknown World." Address at the Bi-Centennial of the town of Hadley, '59. Sermon on God's House Open to God's Children, before the Massachusetts Free Church Association. Systematic Offerings for Christ. The Religion of Christ not of Man. The Church a Body and a Life. The Faith of the Church in the Supernatural, for the consecration of St. Stephen's at Lynn, Mass. Thoughts about a Financial System for the General Charities of the Church. Pastoral Letter of the House of Bishops for 1883. Sermon before the Society for the Prevention of Pauperism. Thorough Service, before Church Women in New York. Confession and the Confessional. The One Source of Missionary Power, a sermon before the Board of Missions. Spiritual Helps and Failures in keeping the Royal Law. Reply to President Walker at my inauguration as Plummer Professor and Preacher at Harvard College, '55. The Church and the Labor World, a sermon before the Iron Cross. Life the Test of Learning, a baccalaureate sermon. The Human Spirit a Child. Address before the Business Men's Association in Syracuse, '94. Also the "Agony and Victory," "Fast and Feast," and other poems.

Educational Institutions.—Trustee and Visitor of Hobart College, as already stated. Professor and Preacher at Harvard College, 1855-1860. Trustee of St. Paul's School, Concord, several years. Trustee of St. Mark's School. Trustee of Vassar College. President of the Board of Trustees of St. John's School for Boys. Trustee of the Keble School for Girls, Syracuse. Lecturer one season at the Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge.

The above is reported as a true copy of the memoranda furnished.

E. N. POTTER,  
*President and Advocate-Regent.*



### Address of Mr. William M. White.

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*Right Rev. Father in God and First Bishop of the Diocese of Central New York :*

It has fallen to my lot to speak for the laity of your diocese, and to bear our testimony on the influence your teachings, your preaching, your life has had upon us—for you have been our teacher, our shepherd, and our guide, our chief pastor and our bishop. I am to tell you that you have won and held our esteem, our confidence and our affection.

As a man we have been proud of you and rejoiced in your powers of mind, in your strength of reason, in the clearness of your logic, and above all in your love of the truth. So we have rejoiced in the influence and importance of our diocese in the councils of our Church in America, in seeing the position to which our bishop was assigned or which naturally fell to him, the influence he exerted, the good he accomplished in the legislation of the general conventions of the Church. Looking at home we see a half of the old diocese of Western New York, in the space of a quarter of a century under your wise administration and labors, grow and increase, by the heavenly blessing, so as to demand a subdivision with as much need as existed when it was created. The parable reads: "Lo! thou gavest me five talents, and they have produced five other talents beside them!" and the response was, "Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord!"

We regard this as a day of rejoicing, especially set apart for "counting up our mercies." A day of thanksgiving by both clergy and laity, for the growth, development, peace and prosperity that has been the lot of this diocese for this quarter of a century, the amount of good that has been done, the truth that has been cultured, the purity and the simplicity which have been inculcated, the approximation that made has been towards the Christian unity, the promulgation of the Church's "idea" throughout the land,—“The Bible and prayer book, the creed, the Lord's prayer and the ten commandments and the historic episcopate.” The time will come when we will be regarded as the "primitive Church" of America, and our days as the days of purity, as the days when the prayer book was enriched and corrected, and the Book of Common Prayer was approved and established, when it became a law that cannot be questioned, the standard prayer book the grand "magna charta" of the Church, the American Church,—the constitution of the Church, protecting the laity from the encroachments of the clergy and holding the laity to the purity of the primitive Church,—that blessed book, the Book of Common Prayer, with its dogmas

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and ritual giving the minimum of the public worship of God, and also giving the maximum of the public worship of God. If it falls below it fails in using all it has to use, if it exceeds or varies it may be permitted by the bishop, and indulged in by the priest, and shared in by the worshippers, yet neither the one nor the other has the authority of the Church, neither the one nor the other has the sanction of the Church. This standard prayer book and its authority is and will be the salvation of the Church. And in establishing this book you have done what you could for the continued purity of the Church in America.

The time will come when the "seventy" of our time will be revered as the "seventy" of old are now regarded. And that book will be teaching the truth, the Church truth, when our labors are over and we will have been gathered to our fathers. This, right reverend father!—your part in it, your co-operation, will be the jewel of your crown and of your episcopate. To many of us you have been the friend, the counselor, "the beloved disciple." To all of us you have been "the voice of one crying in the wilderness; prepare ye the way of the Lord, make His paths straight."

## Action of the Standing Committee.

At a meeting of the Standing Committee of Central New York, held in St. Paul's Cathedral, Syracuse, N. Y., June 12, 1894, all the members being present, the following minute was ordered to be entered on the records, and the Secretary was instructed to send a copy of it to the Bishop of the diocese:

"In recognition of the completion of twenty-five years of our diocesan existence, it being also the twenty-fifth anniversary of the consecration of our honored and beloved Bishop, the Right Reverend Frederic Dan Huntington, S. T. D., LL. D., we desire hereby to express our sense of the goodness of Almighty God, as manifested not only in many signal blessings conferred upon our diocese during this quarter of a century, but especially in putting it into the hearts of the founders of the diocese to make choice, for the first Bishop of Central New York, of one so eminently fitted for the sacred duties of the Episcopal office.

In the multiplication of parishes, the building of churches, the founding of institutions of mercy and of Christian learning, and in manifold like tokens of the prosperity and growth which have characterized our diocesan history hitherto; a growth and prosperity to many not conversant with the facts surprisingly disclosed in the many valuable historical sermons recently preached throughout the diocese, we gratefully recognize visible and striking proofs of the wisdom of that primary choice calling to the foundation work in this fertile section of our Lord's kingdom the untiring zeal and industry, the extraordinary intellectual gifts, the devoted spirit, the consecrated life of our distinguished and revered father in God.

May the divine favor which has vouchsafed us during the whole of our existence thus far so illustrious and efficient a leader, grant that he may still for many years to come, go in and out among us, discharging as hitherto the gracious functions of his holy office as a Bishop in the church of God."

(Attest)          H. R. LOCKWOOD,  
Secretary.

## Resolutions of the Woman's Auxiliary.

At the annual meeting of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, held in St. Paul's Cathedral, Syracuse, N. Y., May 24, 1894, the following memorial was put on record:

We, the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Central New York, wish to extend our loving congratulations to our Reverend Father in God, the Right Reverend Frederic D. Huntington, on the twenty-fifth anniversary of his pastoral labors in this diocese.

*Resolved,* That special thanks are due to our beloved Bishop for his wise and nurturing care of this society, from its inception, eighteen years ago, to the present time.

*Resolved,* That our first feeble efforts in missionary work were aided and sustained by his ever ready sympathy and encouragement, and that whatever success we may have achieved during these years as an auxiliary to the Board

of Missions, has emanated from the godly counsel and noble example of our chief pastor.

*Resolved*, That we give thanks and praise to our heavenly Father for His goodness and mercy in sending such a shepherd to guide His flock, and pray that He will vouchsafe to him length of days in which to continue his good work; and that at the last, with those committed to his care, he may attain to everlasting life.

*Resolved*, That we pledge two hundred dollars (\$200) as an expression of our grateful appreciation of the Bishop's labors among us during the last twenty-five years.

Signed: Emma L. Knickerbocker, Diocesan President; Emma V. Chittenden, Diocesan Secretary; Martha E. Wilson, Superintendent Diocesan Junior Branch; Frances C. Sawyer, President First District; Lucia E. Baker, Secretary First District; Ella M. Thorn, President Second District; Lucy Carlile Watson, Secretary Second District; L. S. Capen, President Third District; M. S. C. Westcott, Secretary Third District; Celeste P. Fuller, President Fourth District; Mary M. White, Secretary Fourth District; Elizabeth Manning, President Fifth District; Eva G. White, Secretary Fifth District; Anna F. Rankin, President Sixth District.

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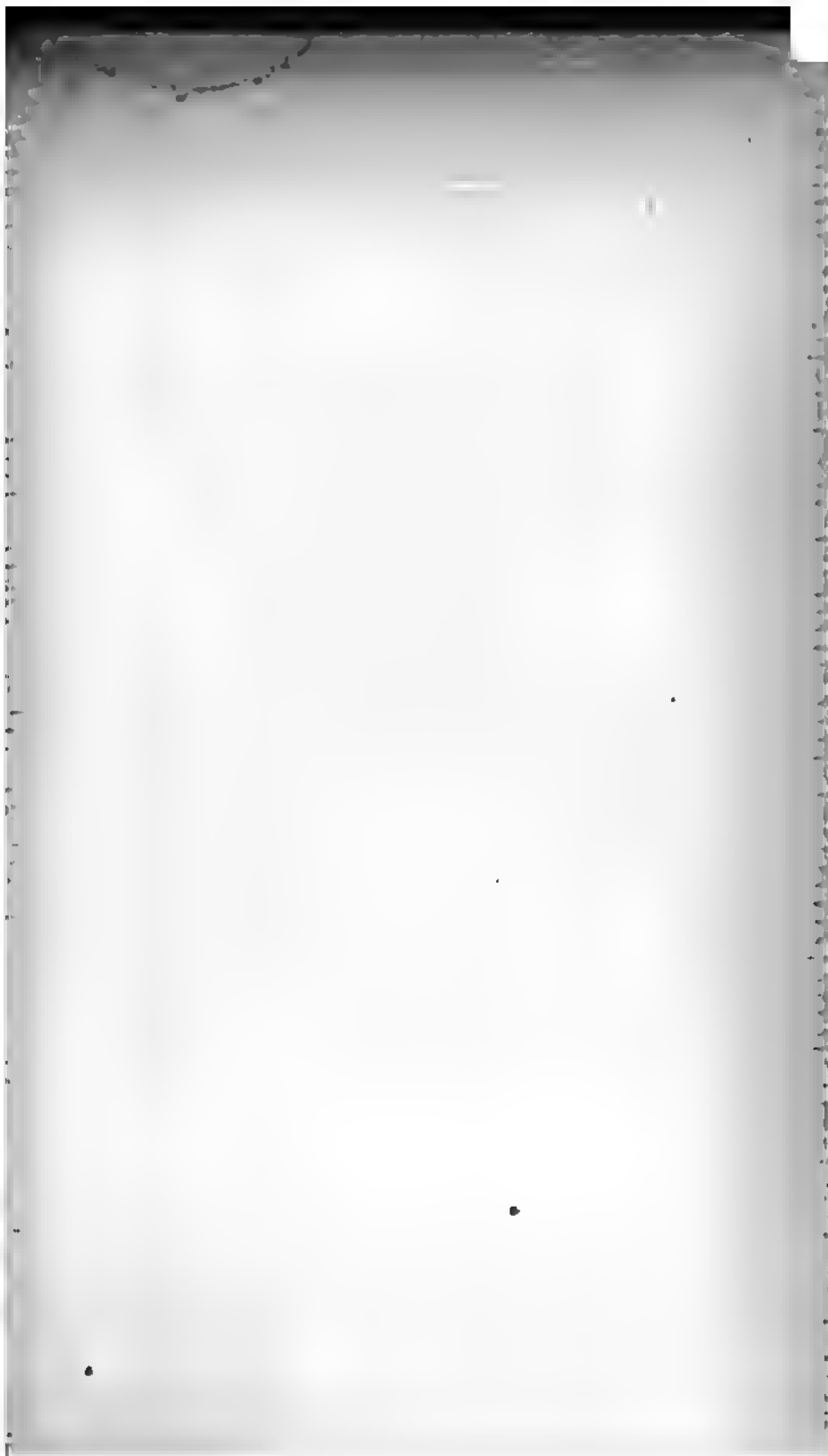
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FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS:—*On a Sunday in Epiphany.*

FOR THE INCREASE OF THE MINISTRY:—*On Easter or some other near and convenient Sunday.*

FOR THE BIBLE AND PRAYER BOOK SOCIETY:—*On Whitsunday.*

FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS:—*On the Third Sunday of every month when one of the above named Sundays is not the Third in the month.*

FOR THE BISHOP'S RELIEF FUND:—*At the Episcopal Visitation.*

FOR THE DIOCESAN CHURCH BUILDING FUND:—*On the Fourth Sunday in March and September.*

FOR THE MISSION AMONG DEAF MUTES:—*On the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.*

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#### Form of Bequest.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby bequeath to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the \_\_\_\_\_ of Central New York, or (unit) \_\_\_\_\_ The \_\_\_\_\_ Fund for the Support of the Episcopal \_\_\_\_\_ The Trustees of the Christmas \_\_\_\_\_ the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars

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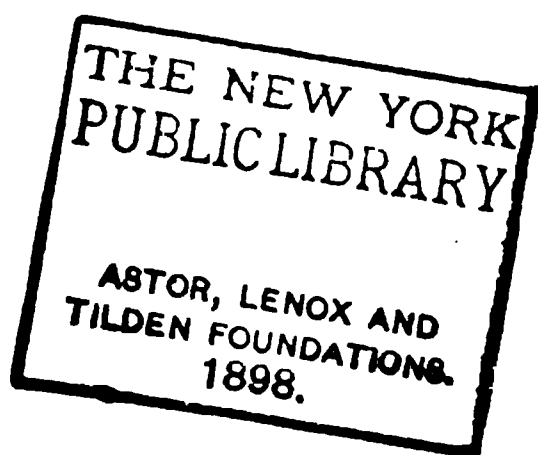
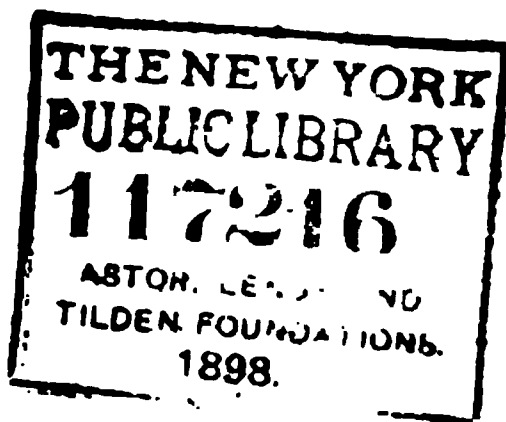
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*Missionary Board—Convocations.*


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*III. On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese.*

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# **List of the Clergy.**

**In the order of Present Canonical Residence.**

**The year attached to the name indicates the beginning of former residence in the Diocese**

## **BISHOP.**

**THE RIGHT REV. FREDERIC DAN HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL.D., L.H.D.,**

**Consecrated April 8th, 1869.**

## **PRESBYTERS.**

**The Rev. William D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Received December 1, 1844.**

**The Rev. William Thomas Gibson, D. D., LL. D., Ordained Dec. 18, 1853.**

**The Rev. William Roberts, Ordained Nov. 21, 1858.**

**The Rev. Alfred Bailey Goodrich, D. D., Received August 17, 1859.**

**The Rev. Nathan F. Whiting, D. D., Received August 12, 1862.**

**The Rev. William Martin Beauchamp, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 21, 1862.**

**The Rev. Almon Gregory, (1847) Received June 8, 1863.**

**The Rev. John Brainard, D. D., Received Dec. 14, 1863.**

**The Rev. Joshua Law Burrows, Ph. D., (1858) Received 1864.**

**The Rev. George Gustavus Perrine, Ordained July 2, 1865.**

**The Rev. Henry Roswell Lockwood, S. T. D., Ordained Sept. 22, 1867.**

**The Rev. James Holwell Kidder, Received Sept. 26, 1868.**

**The Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., Received Aug. 9, 1869.**

**The Rev. Alexander H. Rogers, (1861) Received Dec. 2, 1870.**

**The Rev. Thomas L. Randolph, Received Dec. 28, 1870.**

**The Rev. Robert Paul, Received Sept. 25, 1871.**

**The Rev. Charles Babcock, Received Dec. 20, 1872.**

**The Rev. Joel Davis, Received Jan. 20, 1873.**

**The Rev. Robert George Quennell, Received Nov. 1, 1874.**

**The Rev. Frederick P. Winne, Ordained Sept. 23, 1875.**

**The Rev. James A. Robinson, (1852) Received Oct. 14, 1875.**

**The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., (1857) Received Nov. 4, 1875.**

**The Rev. William DeLancey Wilson, Ordained Jan. 25, 1876.**

**The Rev. Frederick Beverly Cossitt, Ordained June 6, 1876.**

**The Rev. William H. Casey, Ordained June 6, 1876.**

**The Rev. Bernard Schulte, S. T. D., Received June, 1876.**

**The Rev. John Muir, M. D., Ordained March 7, 1877.**

**The Rev. John H. Egar, D. D., Received Feb. 18, 1881.**

**The Rev. Charles W. MacNish, Ordained May 31, 1881.**

**The Rev. Samuel Wesley Strowger, Ordained May 31, 1881.**

**The Rev. Benajah Emory Whipple, Ordained Dec. 3, 1881.**

**The Rev. John Everett Johnson, Received Jan. 24, 1882.**

**The Rev. John Woodworth Craig, Received Feb. 27, 1882.**

**The Rev. William Ernest Allen, Received June 16, 1882.**

**The Rev. William B. Coleman, Jr., Received June 27, 1882.**

**The Rev. Robert Murray Duff, S. T. D., (1864) Received Aug. 24, 1882.**

**The Rev. Oliver Owen, Received Jan. 13, 1883.**

**The Rev. Moses Coit Tyler, LL. D., Ordained April 29, 1883.**

**The Rev. Thomas Lewis Banister, Received May 14, 1883.**

**The Rev. William Cooke, Ordained May 18, 1883.**

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- The Rev. George H. Kirkland, Received Dec. 31, 1883.  
The Rev. Gustav E. Purucker, Received March 3, 1884.  
The Rev. Charles Tyler Olmsted, S. T. D., Received June 1, 1884.  
The Rev. Ezekiel Wilson Mundy, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
The Rev. Frank Nash Westcott, Ordained June 2, 1884.  
The Rev. George Bowen, Jr., Ordained June 25, 1884.  
The Rev. James Kellogg Parker, Ordained Dec. 18, 1884.  
The Rev. Stephen Henry Synnott, Received April 10, 1885.  
The Rev. John Arthur, Ordained April 2, 1886.  
The Rev. James Ferdinand Taunt, (1878) Received March 29, 1887.  
The Rev. George L. Neide, Received May 10, 1887.  
The Rev. William Bours Clarke, Ordained May 20, 1887.  
The Rev. John Scott, Received Oct. 4, 1887.  
The Rev. John T. Rose, Received Jan. 18, 1888.  
The Rev. Edwin W. Colloque, Received May 4, 1888.  
The Rev. William Higgs, Ordained May 27, 1888.  
The Rev. Philip Nelson Meade, Received May 13, 1889.  
The Rev. Henry Dows Stebbins, Ordained May 29, 1889.  
The Rev. Herbert Guibord Coddington, Ordained Dec. 11, 1889.  
The Rev. James Jones Burd, Received Dec. 31, 1889.  
The Rev. Arthur Cleveland Clarke, Ordained June 4, 1890.  
The Rev. James B. Murray, D. D., Received October 6, 1890.  
The Rev. Charles H. Tindell, (1881) Received Jan. 3, 1891.  
The Rev. Samuel D. Day, Received Jan. 27, 1891.  
The Rev. Antoine G. Singsen, Received April 25, 1891.  
The Rev. Anson J. Brockway, Received April 27, 1891.  
The Rev. Charles D. Atwell, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
The Rev. William Gordon Bentley, Ordained May 15, 1891.  
The Rev. Edwin Cheney Alcorn, Received June 5, 1891.  
The Rev. Joseph Morrison Clarke, D. D., (1852) Received Nov. 27, 1891.  
The Rev. John Frederick Esch, (1868) Received Jan. 19, 1892.  
The Rev. Robert Hudson, Ph. D., Received April 10, 1892.  
The Rev. Walter E. Bentley, Ordained Sept. 21, 1892.  
The Rev. Frank P. Harrington, Received Dec. 26, 1892.  
The Rev. William T. Tierkel, Received Dec. 26, 1892.  
The Rev. William Henry Bown, Received March 30, 1893.  
The Rev. Frank P. Tompkins, Ordained May 18, 1893.  
The Rev. C. N. Clement Brown, Received May, 1892.  
The Rev. Osgood Eaton Herrick, D. D., Received June 16, 1893.  
The Rev. Abram Willis Ebersole, (1890) Received June 19, 1893.  
The Rev. Herbert Morison Clarke, Ph. D., Received Aug. 19, 1893.  
The Rev. J. Sanders Reed, Received Sept. 25, 1893.  
The Rev. J. Henry LaRoche, Received Nov. 6, 1893.  
The Rev. Amos Watkins, Received Nov. 15, 1893.  
The Rev. A. George E. Jenner, Received Dec. 4, 1893.  
The Rev. Earl Henry Kenyon, Ordained Dec. 21, 1893.  
The Rev. John R. Harding, Received Sept. 8, 1894.

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The Rev. David L. Ferris, Ordained Oct. 9, 1894.  
 The Rev. John Leal, Received Nov. 26, 1894.  
 The Rev. George Henry Ottaway, Ordained Dec. 22, 1894.  
 The Rev. John Smiley, Ordained March 9, 1895.  
 The Rev. Joseph Hypkin Brown, Ordained March 9, 1895.  
 The Rev. Edward Burdick Doolittle, Ordained March 9, 1895.  
 The Rev. Charles Tefft Raynor, Ordained March 9, 1895.  
 The Rev. Frederick William Webber, Received April 10, 1895.  
 The Rev. John Bartlett Wicks, (1870) Received May 24, 1895.  
 The Rev. George Harvey Trickett, Received May 28, 1895.  
 The Rev. Burr Miller Weeden, Ordained June 7, 1895.  
 The Rev. Charles E. S. Rasay, Ordained June 7, 1895.  
 The Rev. Charles Orvis Dantzer, Ordained June 7, 1895.  
 The Rev. William Stone Hayward, (1874) Received July 4, 1895.

DEACONS.

The Rev. Henry Riley Fuller, Ordained Jan. 8, 1888.  
 The Rev. Daniel Daly, Ordained March 9, 1890.  
 The Rev. Albert Cusick, Ordained Oct. 1, 1891.  
 The Rev. George N. Smith, Ordained Sept. 23, 1892.  
 The Rev. Arthur Lester Byron-Curtiss, Ordained Dec. 20, 1892.  
 The Rev. Parker Fenno, Ordained Oct. 15, 1893.  
 The Rev. George Wharton McMullin, Ordained Oct. 15, 1893.  
 The Rev. George Fletcher Potter, Ordained, June 17, 1894.  
 The Rev. David Benton Matthews, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 The Rev. Christopher John Lambert, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 The Rev. William Harman van Allen, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 The Rev. George Maxwell, Ordained June 17, 1894.  
 The Rev. Dwight A. Parce, Ordained Oct. 11, 1894.  
 The Rev. Gilbert William Laidlaw, Ordained March 9, 1895.  
 The Rev. Henry Elijah Hubbard, Ordained June 8, 1895.

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**Candidates for Holy Orders.**

John Ernest Bates,	DeLancey Burdette Hamblin,
Joseph Bishop,	Matthew Irving Hunt,
Robert Westlake Bowman,	Frederick Brymer Keable,
George Ward Bushnell,	Francis William Maccaud,
James Winslow Clarke,	Samuel Macpherson,
Leonard Jacob Christler,	Charles H. McKnight,
English Crooks,	Guy Harte Purdy,
Herbert Henry Fox,	Henry Sears Sizer,
	Frederick C. Wilcox.

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**Postulants.**

Walter Harwood Betts,	John P. Kirtland, Jr.,
Lucien Adelbert Davison,	William Doane Manross,
Ernest Frederick George,	William Earl Stillwell.

## Alphabetical List of the Clergy.

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**BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE, SYRACUSE.**

**Allen, William E., Rector of Christ Church, Sherburne.**

**Alcorn, Edwin C., Missionary at Oriskany Falls, (p. o.) Augusta and Brookfield.**

**Arthur, John, Rector of St. John's Church, Oneida.**

**Atwell, Charles D., in charge of Emmanuel Mission, Elmira, (p. o.) and Christ Church, Wellsburgh.**

**Babcock, Charles, Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.**

**Babcock, Theodore, D. D., Rector of Christ Church, Manlius, (p. o.) and St. Mark's Church, Jamesville.**

**Banister, T. Lewis, Rector of St. Stephen's Church, New Hartford.**

**Beauchamp, William M., S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Baldwinsville.**

**Bentley, Walter E., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge.**

**Bentley, William G., Rector of Grace Church, Waverly.**

**Bowen, George, Jr., Waverly.**

**Bown, William H., Rector of Grace Church, Watertown.**

**Brainard, John, D. D., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Auburn.**

**Brockway, Anson J., Rector of Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor.**

**Brown, C. N. Clement, Rector of St. John's Church, Auburn.**

**Brown, Joseph H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Antwerp.**

**Burd, James J., Rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, Utica.**

**Burrows, Joshua L., Ph. D., Ashtabula, Ohio.**

**Byron-Curtiss, Arthur L., Minister of St. Joseph's Church, Rome.**

**Casey, William H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Aurora, (p. o.) Grace Church, Union Springs, and St. Luke's Church, Cayuga.**

**Clarke, Joseph M., D. D., Bishop's Chaplain, Syracuse.**

**Clarke, William B. Rector of Trinity Church, Seneca Falls.**

**Clarke, Arthur Cleveland, Chaplain of St. John's School, Manlius.**

**Clarke, Herbert M., Ph. D., Rector of Zion Church, Fulton.**

**Coddington, Herbert G., Rector of Grace Church, Syracuse.**

**Coleman, William B., Rector of St. George's Church, Utica.**

**Colloque, Edwin W., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Oxford.**

**Cooke, William, Rector of St. Peter's Church, Oriskany, (p. o.) and St. John's Church, Whitesboro.**

**Cossitt, Frederick B., Waterville.**

**Craig, John W., Englewood, N. J.**

**Cusick, Albert, Missionary, Onondaga Reservation.**

**Day, Samuel D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.**

**Daly, Daniel, Missionary at Lacona, Redfield and Sandbank. p. o. Lorraine.**

**Dantzer, Charles O., Missionary to Deaf Mutes.**

**Davis, Joel, in charge of Grace Mission, Earlville.**

**Doolittle, Edward B., Rector of Christ Church, Bridgewater, (p. o.) and St. John's Church, Clayville.**

**Duff, Robert M., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Waterloo.**

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*Alphabetical List of the Clergy.*

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- Ebersole, Abram W., Rector of Trinity Church, Fayetteville.  
 Egar, John H., D. D., Rector of Zion Church, Rome.  
 Esch, John F., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Smithboro.  
 Fenno, Parker, Minister of Calvary Church, Homer.  
 Ferris, David L., Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Horseheads, (p. o.) and St. John's Church, Big Flats.  
 Fletcher, Robert, officiating in Emmanuel Mission, East Syracuse.  
 Fuller, Henry R., New York City.  
 Gibson, William T., D. D., Chaplain of the N. Y. State Hospital, Utica.  
 Goodrich, Alfred B., D. D., Rector of Calvary Church, Utica.  
 Gregory, Almon, Syracuse.  
 Harding, John R., Rector of Trinity Church, Utica.  
 Harrington, Frank P., Rector of St. Thomas' Church, Hamilton.  
 Hayward, William S., Missionary at Memphis.  
 Herrick, Osgood E., D. D., Assistant Minister of Trinity Church, Watertown.  
 Higgs, William, Missionary at McDonough.  
 Hubbard, Henry E., Missionary at Chenango Forks.  
 Hudson, Robert, Ph. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Syracuse.  
 Jenner, A. George E., Rector of the Church of the Evangelists, Oswego.  
 Johnson, J. Everett, in charge of Calvary Church, Syracuse.  
 Kenyon, Earl H., Rector of Christ Church, Clayton.  
 Kidder, James H., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Owego.  
 Kirkland, George H., Rector of St. Andrew's Church, New Berlin.  
 Laidlaw, Gilbert W., Minister of Zion Church, Windsor, (p. o.) and St. Luke's Church, Harpursville.  
 Lambert, Christopher J., Minister of Trinity Church, Camden.  
 LaRoche, J. Henry, Rector of Trinity Church, Binghamton.  
 Leal, John, Assistant Minister of Grace Church, Utica.  
 Lockwood, Henry R., S. T. D., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Syracuse.  
 MacNish, Charles W., Missionary at Hayt's Corners and Willard. p. o. Ovid.  
 Matthews, David B., Minister of St. John's Church, Syracuse.  
 Maxwell, George, Missionary at North Watertown and Glen Park. p. o. Watertown.  
 McKnight, George H., D. D., Rector of Trinity Church, Elmira.  
 McMullin, G. Wharton, Missionary at Van Etten.  
 Meade, Philip N., Rector of Christ Church, Oswego.  
 Muir, John, M. D., Merrickville, Ontario, Canada.  
 Mundy, Ezekiel W., Syracuse.  
 Murray, James B., D. D., Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Moravia.  
 Neide, George L., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Holland Patent.  
 Olmsted, Charles T., S. T. D., Rector of Grace Church, Utica.  
 Ottaway, George H., Missionary at Canastota, (p. o.) and Chittenango.  
 Owen, Oliver, Rector of St. James' Church, Clinton.  
 Parce, Dwight A., Missionary at Candor, (p. o.) Slaterville and Speedsville.  
 Parker, James K., Rector of Grace Church, Waterville.

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- Paul, Robert, Rector of St. James' Church, Pulaski.  
 Perrine, George G., Rector of Christ Church, Guilford.  
 Potter, George F. Minister of St. John's Church, Marcellus.  
 Purucker, Gustav E., Geneva, Switzerland.  
 Quennell, Robert G., Rector of Christ Church, Binghamton.  
 Randolph, Thomas L., Denver, Col.  
 Rasay, Charles E. S., Rector of Grace Church, Carthage.  
 Raynor Charles T., Rector of Grace Church, Copenhagen.  
 Reed, J. Sanders, Rector of Trinity Church, Watertown.  
 Robinson, James A., Rector of Grace Church, Whitney's Point.  
     P. O. Cortland.  
 Rogers, Alexander H., Rector of Zion Church, Greene.  
 Roberts, William, in England.  
 Rose, John T., Rector of St. Peter's Church, Cazenovia.  
 Schulte, Bernard, S. T. D., Rector of St. Luke's Memorial Church, Utica.  
 Scott, John, in charge of the Indian Mission, Onondaga Reservation.  
 Singsen, Antoine G., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Constableville, (P. O.) and  
     St. Mark's Church, Port Leyden.  
 Smiley, John, Rector of St. James' Church, Theresa, (P. O.) and St. Peter's  
     Church, Redwood.  
 Smith, George N.  
 Stebbins, Henry D., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Norwich.  
 Strowger, Samuel W., Rector of St. John's Church, Cape Vincent.  
 Synnott, Stephen H., Rector of St. John's Church, Ithaca.  
 Taunt, James F., New London, Conn.  
 Tompkins, Frank P., Syracuse.  
 Tierkel, William T.  
 Tindell, Charles H., Rector of Trinity Church, Lowville.  
 Trickett, George H., Assistant Minister of St. Luke's Church, Utica.  
 Tyler, Moses Coit, LL. D., Professor in Cornell University, Ithaca.  
 VanAllen, William H., Minister of the Church of Epiphany, Trumansburgh.  
 Watkins, Amos, Rector of Grace Church, Cortland.  
 Webber, Frederick W., Rector of St. James' Church, Syracuse.  
 Weeden, Burr M., Rector of Christ Church, Sacketts Harbor.  
 Westcott, Frank N., Rector of St. James' Church, Skaneateles.  
 Whipple, Benajah E., Missionary at Salmon River.  
 Whiting, Nathan F., D. D., Cape Vincent.  
 Wicks, John B., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Paris Hill.  
 Wilson, William D., D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Dean of St. Andrew's Divinity  
     School, Syracuse.  
 Wilson, William DeL., Rector of St. Mark's Church, Syracuse.  
 Winne, Frederick P., Assistant Minister of Trinity Church, Watertown.

# List of Parishes, Chapels and Missions.

With the Names of Ministers and Date of Organization.

Self-Supporting Parishes in SMALL CAPITALS. Not admitted to Union in Italics

## BROOME COUNTY.

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
BINGHAMTON .....	CHRIST CHURCH..	Rev. R. G. Quennell ....	1810
" .....	TRINITY .....	" J. H. LaRoche. ...	May 12, 1886
" .....	GOOD SHEPHERD.	" S. D. Day .....	Feb. 3, 1873
<i>Chenango Forks</i> .....	<i>St. John's</i> .....	" H. E. Hubbard ....	Nov. 20, 1880
Harpursville .....	St. Luke's .....	" G. W. Laidlaw.....	April 15, 1799
Whitney's Point....	Grace .....	" J. A. Robinson ....	Dec. 19, 1870
Windsor.....	Zion .....	" G. W. Laidlaw ....	August, 1842

## CAYUGA COUNTY.

AUBURN.. .....	St. PETER'S .....	Rev. J. Brainard, D. D.,	July 1, 1805
" .....	St. John's.....	" C. N. C. Brown ..	April 13, 1868
Aurora.....	St. Paul's.....	" W. H. Casey .....	Feb. 11, 1835
Cayuga.....	St. Luke's .....	" " " .....	July 5, 1871
Moravia .....	St. Matthew's ..	" J. B. Murray, D.D.,	July 14, 1823
Port Byron .....	St. Paul's .....		1849
Union Springs .....	Grace .....	" W. H. Casey .....	Feb. 9, 1867
Weedsport.....	St. John's .....		Feb. 26, 1866

## CHEMUNG COUNTY.

Big Flats.....	St. John's .....	Rev. D. L. Ferris.....	1862
ELMIRA .....	TRINITY .....	" G.H.McKnight,D.D.	June 12, 1833
" .....	GRACE .....		June 20, 1864
" .....	Emmanuel Mis'n	" C. D. Atwell .....	
Horseheads .....	St. Matthew's...	" D. L. Ferris .....	1862
Millport ....	St. Mark's Mis'n		
Van Etten ...	St. Thoma's Mis'n	" G. W. McMullin ...	
Wellsburg .....	Christ Church...	" C. D. Atwell.....	1871

## CHENANGO COUNTY.

Afton .....	St. Ann's .....	Rev. W. E. Bentley .....	1860
Bainbridge .....	St. Peter's .....	" " " .....	1825
GREENE .....	ZION .....	" A. H. Rogers.....	1833
Guilford.....	Christ Church...	" G. G. Perrine ..	Sept. 9, 1830
McDonough .....	Calvary Mission.	" W. Higgs .....	
Mt. Upton.....	Grace .....	" G. G. Perrine.....	April, 1833
NEW BERLIN. ....	St. ANDREW'S...	" G. H. Kirkland....	June 22, 1814
NORWICH .....	EMMANUEL . ...	" H. D. Stebbins ....	Sept. 17, 1832
OXFORD .....	St. PAUL'S.....	" E. W. Colloque....	1814
SHERBURNE .....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" W. E. Allen.....	July, 1828

## CORTLAND COUNTY.

CORTLAND . ....	GRACE.....	Rev. A. Watkins.....	Oct. 14, 1847
Homer .....	Calvary .....	" P. Fenno.....	June 6, 1831



*List of Parishes and Missions—Jefferson—Lewis—Madison—Oneida.***JEFFERSON COUNTY.**

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
Adams.....	Emmanuel.....		Feb., 1849
Alexandria Bay....	St. Lawrence.....	Rev. J. Bown . . . . .	
Antwerp.....	St. Paul's.....	" J. H. Brown . . . . .	Jan. 19, 1869
Brownville . . . . .	St. Paul's.....	" G. Maxwell . . . . .	August, 1826
Cape Vincent.....	St. John's.....	" S. W. Strowger . . . .	1841
CARTHAGE.....	GRACE.....	" E. S. Kasay . . . . .	1862
Champion.....	St. John's.....	" C. T. Raynor.. . . .	April, 1867
Clayton . . . . .	Christ Church....	" E. H. Kenyon.....	1868
Dexter . . . . .	All Saints'.....	" B. M. Weeden . . . .	1839
Ellisburgh.....	Christ Church....	" A. J. Brockway....	1879
Evans Mills.....	Mission.. . . .		
Erederick's Corners.	Mission. . . . .	" A. J. Brockway....	
Glen Park . . . . .	St. Andrew's Mi'sn	" G. Maxwell.....	
Great Bend.....	Trinity Chapel..		
LaFargeville.....	St. Paul's.....	" E. H. Kenyon.....	1891
North Watertown..	Redeemer.....	" G. Maxwell . . . . .	
PIERREPONT MANOR.	ZION.....	" A. J. Brockway . . .	Jan. 4, 1836
Redwood . . . . .	St. Peter's.....	" J. Smiley... . . . .	August, 1850
Sackett's Harbor ..	Christ Church....	" B. M. Weeden . . . .	1822
Theresa.....	St. James . . . . .	" J. Smiley.....	1848
WATERTOWN . . . . .	TRINITY . . . . .	" J. S. Reed.....	May, 1828
" . . . . .	GRACE.....	" W. H. Bown. . . . .	August, 1867

**LEWIS COUNTY.**

Constableville.....	St Paul's.....	Rev. A. G. Singsen . . . . .	1817
Copenhagen.....	Grace.....	" C. T. Raynor . . . . .	Dec. 12, 1879
Greig.....	Mission.....	" A. G. Singsen . . . . .	
LowVILLE.....	TRINITY.....	" C. H. Tindell . . . .	Sept. 24, 1838
Port Leyden.....	St. Mark's.....	" A. G. Singsen . . . . .	June 14, 1865

**MADISON COUNTY.**

Brookfield.....	St. Timothy's....	Rev. E. C. Alcorn.....	
CAZENOVIA.....	ST. PETER'S ..	" J. P. Rose . . . . .	1845
Canastota . . . . .	Trinity Mission..	" G. H. Ottaway . . . .	
Chittenango . . . . .	St. Paul's . . . . .	" " . . . . .	1855
Earlville.....	Grace Mission....	" Joel Davis . . . . .	
HAMILTON.....	ST. THOMAS'....	" F. P. Harrington ..	Sept. 21, 1835
ONEIDA.....	ST. JOHN'S.....	" J. Arthur.....	May 6, 1843
Perryville.....	St. Stephen's....		1816

**ONEIDA COUNTY.**

Augusta.....	St. Andrew's....	Rev. E. C. Alcorn . . . . .	1866
Boonville....	Trinity.....		1857
Bridgewater.....	Christ Church..	" E. B. Doolittle....	Oct. 1839
Camden.....	Trinity.....	" C. J. Lambert . . . .	1843
Chadwicks.....	St. George's.....	" T. L. Banister . . . .	
Clark Mills . . . . .	St. Mark's.....	" O. Owen.....	1863
Clayville... . . . .	St. John's.....	" E. B. Doolittle....	1849
CLINTON . . . . .	ST. JAMES' . . . .	" O. Owen.....	May 19, 1863
Durhamville.....	Mission.....	" J. Arthur.....	
Forestport.....	Christ Church....		1857
Holland Patent . . . .	St. Paul's.....	" G. L. Neide . . . . .	June 21, 1821
NEW HARTFORD . . . .	ST. STEPHEN'S....	" T. L. Bannister ..	Sept. 1, 1824
New York Mills....	St. James'.....	" B. Schulte, D. D. . .	1890
Oriskany . . . . .	St. Peter's.....	" W. Cooke . . . . .	May, 1830
Oriskany Falls.....	Good Shepherd..	" E. C. Alcorn . . . .	
Paris Hill.....	St. Paul's.....	" J. B. Wicks . . . . .	1795
ROME . . . . .	ZION.. . . .	" J. H. Egar, D. D... .	1827
" . . . . .	St. Joseph's.....	" A. L. B. Curtiss . . .	
UTICA . . . . .	CALVARY.....	" A. B. Goodrich, D.D.	Dec. 16, 1850
" . . . . .	GRACE . . . . .	" C. T. Olmsted, D.D.	May 21, 1838
" . . . . .	HOLY CROSS . . . .	" J. J. Burd . . . . .	April 19, 1810
" . . . . .	ST. GEORGE'S....	" W. B. Coleman, Jr.	May 19, 1862

*List of Parishes and Missions—Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins.*

PLACES.	CHURCHES.	MINISTERS.	ORGANIZED.
UTICA.....	ST. LUKE'S.....	Rev. B. Schulte, D. D....	April 14, 1878
" .....	TRINITY.....	" J. R. Harding .....	1798
" .....	St. Andrew's.....	" .....	
WATERVILLE.....	GRACE.....	" J. K. Parker .....	Aug. 10, 1840
Westmoreland.....	Gethsemane.....	" O. Owen.....	1842
Whitesboro .....	St. John's.....	" W. Cooke .....	1845

ONONDAGA COUNTY.

BALDWINSVILLE.....	GRACE.....	Rev. W. M. Beauchamp, D. D.	July 27, 1835
East Syracuse.....	Einmanuel Mis'n	" R. Fletcher .....	
FAYETTEVILLE.....	TRINITY.....	" A. W. Ebersole .....	1830
Jamesville .....	St. Mark's .....	" T. Babcock, D. D....	July 12, 1831
JORDAN.....	CHRIST CHURCH..		Nov. 30, 1840
Manlius .....	Christ Church...	" T. Babcock, D. D....	Jan. 16, 1811
Marcellus .....	St. John's. ....	" G. F. Potter.....	1824
Onondaga.....	Indian Mission..	" J. Scott.....	
SKANEATELES.....	ST. JAMES'... ..	" F. N. Westcott.....	Jan. 4, 1816
SYRACUSE.....	Calvary .....	" J. E. Johnson.....	1881
" .....	GRACE.....	" H. G. Coddington..	Mar. 27, 1871
" .....	ST. JAMES'.....	" F. W. Webber.....	Aug. 14, 1848
" .....	St. John's .....	" D. B. Matthews....	1889
" .....	St. Luke's Miss'n	" J. E. Johnson.....	
" .....	ST. MARK'S.....	" W. DeL. Wilson ...	Jan. 10, 1832
" .....	ST. PAUL'S.....	" H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.	May 22, 1826
" .....	TRINITY .....	" R. Hudson, Ph. D....	March 3, 1856

OSWEGO COUNTY.

Cleveland .....	St. James' .....		July 22, 1867
Fulton.....	Zion.....	Rev. H. M. Clarke, Ph. D.	June 23, 1835
Lacona .....	Mission.....	" D. Daly .....	
Mexico .....	Grace. ....		Dec. 4, 1848
OSWEGO. ....	CHRIST CHURCH..	" P. N. Meade.....	1817
" .....	EVANGELISTS....	" A. G. E. Jenner....	August, 1850
Pulaski.....	St. James' .....	" R. Paul.....	1846
Redfield .....	Grace Mission...	" D. Daly.....	
Sandbank .....	Mission.....	" .....	

SENECA COUNTY.

SENECA FALLS.....	TRINITY .....	Rev. W. B. Clarke.....	1831
Dey's Landing.....	St. Andrew's....		
Hayt's Corners.....	Calvary Mission.	" C. W. MacNish.....	
Jerusalem.....	Mission.....		
Romulus .....	St. Stephen's....		
WATERLOO .....	ST. PAUL'S .....	" R. M. Duff, S. T. D.	October, 1817
Willard.....	Mission .....	" C. W. MacNish.....	
Willowdale .....	Grace.....		

TIOGA COUNTY.

Candor.....	St. Mark's.....	Rev. D. A. Parce.....	1831
OWEGO.....	ST. PAUL'S.....	" J. H. Kidder.....	Feb. 10, 1834
Smithboro .....	Emmanuel.....	" J. F. Esch .....	1871
Spencer.....	Mission.....	" G. W. McMullin ...	
Waverly.....	Grace .....	" W. G. Bentley.....	1854

TOMPKINS COUNTY.

ITHACA .....	ST. JOHN'S.....	Rev. S. H. Synnott.....	1822
McLean .....	Zion.....	" P. Fenno.....	1833
Speedsville. ....	St. John's.....	" D. A. Parce.....	
Slaterville.....	Mission.....	" .....	
Trumansburgh.....	Epiphany.....	" W. H. van Allen...	Jan. 6, 1871

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## Clergy in Attendance.

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“ T. L. Bannister,	“ H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,
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“ G. Bowen, Jr.,	“ P. N. Meade,
“ W. H. Bown,	“ J. B. Murray, D. D.,
“ John Brainard, D. D.,	“ G. L. Neide,
“ A. J. Brockway,	“ C. T. Olmsted, S. T. D.,
“ C. N. C. Brown,	“ Oliver Owen,
“ J. H. Brown,	“ J. K. Parker,
“ J. J. Burd,	“ Robert Paul,
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“ E. W. Colloque,	“ A. H. Rogers,
“ William Cooke,	“ J. T. Rose,
“ S. D. Day,	“ B. Schulte, S. T. D.,
“ F. B. Doolittle,	“ A. G. Singsen,
“ R. M. Duff, S. T. D.,	“ H. D. Stebbins,
“ A. W. Ebersole,	“ G. H. Trickett,
“ J. H. Egar, D. D.,	“ Amos Watkins,
“ D. L. Ferris,	“ B. M. Weeden,
“ A. B. Goodrich, D. D.,	“ W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D.,
“ J. R. Harding,	“ W. DeL. Wilson,
“ F. P. Harrington,	“ F. P. Winne,
“ W. Price James,	“ F. W. Webber.
“ A. G. E. Jenner,	

### DEACONS.

Rev. A. L. Byron-Curtiss,	Rev. George Maxwell,
“ Parker Fenno,	“ G. W. McMullin,
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“ C. J. Lambert,	“ George F. Potter,
“ D. B. Matthews,	“ W. H. van Allen.

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### BROOME COUNTY.

BINGHAMTON, *Christ Church*—JAMES S. CARY.  
 " *Trinity*—JOHN ANDERSON, ROBERT H. ROSE.  
 WINDSOR, *Zion Church*—FRANK M. SMITH.

### CAYUGA COUNTY.

AUBURN, *St. Peter's*—A. N. HOLLISTER.

### CHEMUNG COUNTY.

ELMIRA, *Trinity*—R. T. TURNER, W. C. BUCK, HERBERT MANDEVILLE.  
 " *Grace*—EUGENE LAING.

### CHENANGO COUNTY.

GREENE, *Zion Church*—JOSEPH E. JULIAND.  
 NEW BERLIN, *St. Andrew's*—H. O. MOSS, WARREN REYNOLDS.  
 NORWICH, *Emmanuel*—D. E. COMSTOCK.  
 OXFORD, *St. Paul's*—JOHN R. VANWAGENEN, NOYES B. ECCLESTON.

### CORTLAND COUNTY.

CORTLAND, *Grace*, H. B. HUBBARD, ALBERT ALLEN, GEORGE J. MAGER.

### JEFFERSON COUNTY.

PIERREPONT MANOR, *Zion Church*—WILLIAM M. WHITE.  
 WATERTOWN, *Trinity*—S. S. TROWBRIDGE.

### MADISON COUNTY.

CAZENOVIA, *St. Peter's*—ROBERT J. HUBBARD.  
 ONEIDA, *St. John's*.—D. WARD CLARK, A. D. HAMBLIN.

### ONEIDA COUNTY.

UTICA, *Calvary*—W. W. NICHOLSON.  
 " *Grace*—WILLIAM M. WHITE, FRANK T. WOOD.  
 " *Holy Cross*—JAMES EAGAN.  
 " *St. Luke's*—HENRY HOPSON.  
 " *Trinity*—N. CURTIS WHITE.

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## ONONDAGA COUNTY.

MANLIUS, *Christ Church*, CHARLES A. LAKIN.

MARCELLUS, *St. John's*—A. M. SEYMOUR, CHARLES H. BAKER.

SKANEATELES, *St. James'*—JOHN D. BARROW, JOHN E. WALLER.

SYRACUSE, *Grace*—GEORGE T. JACK.

“ *St. James'*—GEORGE J. GARDNER, CHARLES L. BEHM.

“ *St. Mark's*—FRANK P. LYMAN.

“ *St. Paul's*—W. D. DUNNING.

“ *Trinity*—JOHN L. KLING, JABEZ H. NORTON.

## OSWEGO COUNTY.

OSWEGO, *Christ Church*—GEORGE C. MCWHORTER.

“ *Evangelists'*—ALFRED FOOTE.

## SENECA COUNTY.

SENECA FALLS, *Trinity*—WILLIAM V. VANRENSSELAER.

## TIOGA COUNTY.

OWEGO, *St. Paul's*—WILLIAM H. SHAW.

WAVERLY, *Grace*—ALBERT B. BALDWIN, FRANK A. PERKINS.

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## FIRST DAY.

TRINITY CHURCH, ELMIRA, }  
Tuesday, June 11th, 1895. }

This being the day appointed for the meeting of the Twenty-seventh Annual Convention of the Diocese of Central New York, the Right Rev. FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., LL. D., L. H. D., Bishop of the Diocese, and a number of the Clergy and Laity, assembled in Trinity Church, in the city of Elmira, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

Evening Prayer was said by the Rev. A. L. Byron-Curtiss, the Rev. D. L. Ferris, and the Rev. D. B. Matthews.

At the conclusion of Divine Service, the Rt. Rev. the President took the chair and called the Convention to order.

The Secretary called the roll of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, when sixty-six answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 16.*)

The credentials of Lay Delegates were presented and referred to a committee consisting of the Rev. F. P. Winne, Mr. John Anderson and the Secretaries.

On the report of the committee the roll was called, when thirty-nine delegates, representing twenty-eight parishes, answered to their names and took their seats. (*See page 17.*)

A quorum of the Clergy and of the Lay Delegates being present, the Right Rev. the President declared the Convention to be duly organized and ready for business.

The Convention proceeded to the election of a Secretary, when, on motion, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and the Rev. Alfred B. Goodrich, D. D., was chosen.

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*Clergy Invited to Seats—Committees.*

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On nomination of the Secretary, the Rev. James K. Parker was appointed Assistant Secretary.

On motion, the Rules of Order were suspended for the present to facilitate the business of the Convention.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Babcock, it was

*Resolved*, That the Secretaries of the Convention be instructed, within thirty days of the meetings of all future Conventions to make arrangements with the Railroads approaching the place of meeting for special rates to the members attending, and that the expense therefor be defrayed from the General Fund.

On motion of the Rev. F. P. Winne, it was

*Resolved*, That all Clergy of this Church, and of any Church in communion with this Church, not canonically resident in this Diocese, and also all Candidates for Holy Orders, and representatives of missionary stations, who may be present, be admitted to honorary seats in this Convention.

Under this resolution there were present the Rev. Robert Fletcher, of this Diocese, the Rev. John A. Staunton, of the Diocese of Massachusetts, and the Rev. F. M. Baum, of the Diocese of Western New York.

Mr. George J. Gardner read his report as Treasurer of the Diocese, and the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund. (*See Appendix I. F. G.*)

On motion, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and Mr. George J. Gardner was unanimously re-elected Treasurer of the Diocese.

The Convention then, on motion, took a recess until seven o'clock this evening.

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TUESDAY EVENING, 7.30 o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the chair.

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following Committees:

*On the Admission of Churches into Union with the Convention*—The Rev. E. W. Colloque; Messrs. C. L. Behm and R. H. Rose.

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*Resolutions on Sale of Liquors on Sunday.*

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*On Unfinished Business*—The Rev. W. G. Bentley; Messrs. A. M. Seymour and James Eagan.

*On the Report of the Missionary Board*—The Rev. F. P. Harrington; Messrs. Frank N. Smith and D. E. Comstock.

*On the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society*—The Rev. S. D. Day; Messrs. J. S. Cary and N. Curtiss White.

The Rev. Dr. Lockwood read the Report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. (*See Appendix I. A.*)

The Bishop read a part of his Annual Address.

The Convention proceeded to the election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese. The Chair appointed as tellers to receive the votes of the Clergy, the Rev. J. J. Burd and Mr. F. L. Lyman; and to receive the votes of the Laity, the Rev. John Arthur and Mr. S. S. Trowbridge.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Babcock, it was

*Resolved*, That it be referred to the Standing Committee on the Constitution and Canons, to prepare an additional Canon to be numbered Canon —, authorizing the Bishop to nominate for the approval of the Convention a person skilled in ecclesiastical and civil law to be the Chancellor of the Diocese, whose office shall be to act as legal adviser and counsellor to the Bishop, the Standing Committee, ecclesiastical courts and the Convention when called upon.

That it be referred to the same Committee to arrange the Rules of Order so that they shall conform to the changes of time made in the later Canons.

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, it was

*Resolved*, That this Convention nominates John W. Yale to the Trustees of the Christmas Fund to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of his term of office as Trustee.

Mr. W. D. Dunning read the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund. (*See Appendix I. J.*)

The Rev. Dr. McKnight offered the following preamble and resolutions:

*Whereas*, An effort has been made, and in all probability will be repeated, to legalize by legislative enactment the sale of liquors on Sunday, therefore

*Resolved*, That we, as members of the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York here assembled, desire to place on record our earnest protest against this movement which, if successful, would, in our judgment, be highly injurious to society, demoralizing especially to young men and the so-called laboring classes, who thereby would be tempted to spend not only



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*Election of Officers—Standing Committee.*


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their time, but their hard-earned wages, at these resorts, and hence in many cases depriving their families of the comforts if not necessities of life.

*Resolved.* That we also protest against the movement because we believe, if successful, it would largely increase those forces already enlisted in breaking down the Lord's Day as a holy day, whose proper observance is not only required by Divine law, but is vital to the highest interests both of the Church and State.

On motion, the resolutions were adopted unanimously.

Mr. William M. White, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, presented the following

### REPORT:

On behalf of the Committee to report on the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, we would report that we have examined and find the same correct. We also find the full amount of the permanent fund, namely, \$12,200, fully accounted for, and in our judgment the securities ample for amount loaned.

Utica, June 4th, 1895.

WM. M. WHITE,  
WM. M. STORRS,  
WM. M. GIBSON.

A vote by ballot being taken, the Secretaries acting as tellers, Mr. Seymour H. Stone and Mr. Edward D. Brandegge were declared duly elected Trustees of the Parochial Fund for three years from September 1st, 1895.

A ballot being taken, the Secretaries acting as tellers, Mr. Egbert Bagg was declared duly elected a Trustee of the Bible and Prayer Book Society, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. T. W. Seward.

Mr. J. R. VanWagenen read his report as Trustee of the VanWagenen Missionary Fund. (*See Appendix I. K.*)

The Tellers presented their report, from which it appeared that the following named persons had received a majority of all the votes given, and they were therefore declared duly elected.

### STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Rev. John Brainard, D. D.,  
The Rev. Henry R. Lockwood, S. T. D.,  
The Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D.,  
The Rev. Alfred B. Goodrich, D. D.

Mr. Azariah H. Sawyer,  
Mr. John R. VanWagenen,  
Mr. George T. Jack,  
Mr. W. D. Dunning.

*Opening Services Second Day—Standing Committees.*

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The Convention then, on motion, adjourned until nine o'clock to-morrow morning.

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SECOND DAY.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 1895.

The Convention met pursuant to adjournment, at nine o'clock A. M.

Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. F. W. Webber, the Rev. Amos Watkins, the Rev. C. N. C. Brown, and the Rev. J. H. LaRoche.

The Bishop celebrated the Holy Communion, assisted by the Rev. G. H. McKnight, D. D., the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., and the Rev. John Brainard, D. D.

The Bishop delivered the remainder of his Annual Address.

At the conclusion of Divine Service, the Rt. Rev. the President called the Convention to order.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

On calling the names of members not present yesterday three clergymen and seven lay delegates appeared and took their seats. (*See pp. 16, 17.*)

The Rt. Rev. the President appointed the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

*On Christian Education*—The Rev. J. H. LaRoche, the Rev. J. E. Johnson, the Rev. H. M. Clarke, Ph. D.; Messrs. William Verbeck and R. J. Hubbard.

*On the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., the Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., the Rev. John H. Egar, D. D.; Messrs. George B. Sloan and John D. Barrow.

*On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Messrs. F. G. Clarke, Frederick Junaud and E. C. Delavan.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund*—Messrs. H. O. Moss, W. Cary Sanger and E. R. D. Mayne.

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*Missionary Appropriation.*

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*On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Messrs. W. M. White, T. R. Proctor and W. M. Gibson, M. D.

*On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Messrs. Henry Hopson, J. C. Champion and D. Ward Clarke.

*On the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund*—Messrs. H. V. Bostwick, W. C. Wey, M. D. and L. L. Barney.

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, the Standing Committee of the Diocese were instructed to include in their assessment for the General Fund \$800 for the Bishop's assistance.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Babcock, it was

*Resolved*, That the Committee on apportioning the assessment for the General Fund upon the parishes be requested and authorized to condone the accumulated past delinquent assessment in the case of parishes where, in its judgment, it would be just and proper, said parishes agreeing for the future to be prompt and faithful in returning the amount of their assessment to the Treasurer of the Diocese.

On motion of the Rev. W. B. Clarke, it was

*Resolved*, That the Convention appropriate the sum of \$10,900 for the missionary work of the Diocese for the coming year, and to meet the deficit in the missionary treasury.

The Convention proceeded to the election of Deputies to the General Convention. The Chair appointed as tellers to receive the votes of the Clergy, the Rev. A. G. Singsen and Mr. A. N. Hollister; and to receive the votes of the Laity, the Rev. W. H. van Allen and Mr. R. J. Hubbard.

Mr. John Anderson, from the Standing Committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, presented the following:

### REPORT:

The undersigned, member of the Standing Committee on examination of the accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, and J. R. VanWagenen substituted by request for one who was unable to act, report that they have examined the vouchers for all disbursements reported, and find them regular and correct; that their sum total, with a balance of \$2,478.32, equals the amount on hand at date of his last report and the several items acknowledged in the *Gospel Messenger* during the twelve months following.

JOHN ANDERSON.  
J. R. VAN WAGENEN.

*Reports of Committees.*

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The Rev. H. D. Stebbins, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustee of the VanWagenen Missionary Fund, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The undersigned, members of the Committee for the examination of the securities of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund, report as follows: We have examined in person all the securities and find them to agree in all particulars with the Trustee's statement prepared for the Convention, viz.: securities amounting to \$25,457, cash in hand \$1,287.16, making a total of \$26,744.16. We would further state that since the date of the Trustee's report, viz.: May 15, 1895, the amount of \$1,000 of the cash in hand has been invested in bond and mortgage.

We beg leave to congratulate the Diocese on having the continued services of this most efficient and faithful officer.

HENRY D. STEBBINS,  
W. J. RUSSELL.

Oxford, N. Y., May 31, 1895.

The Rev. Dr. McKnight made a verbal report of the present condition of the General Theological Seminary.

On motion of Mr. George C. McWhorter, the vote by ballot was dispensed with, and the Rev. George H. McKnight, D. D., was reelected a Trustee of the General Theological Seminary on the part of this Diocese.

Mr. H. O. Moss, from the Standing Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The undersigned, appointed as a Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund, hereby make report that they have in connection with the Treasurer, Mr. Weaver, examined the statement of the Trustees, showing the items of receipts of income and principal of the fund, and also of the disbursements of same, and as usual found the same correct. They also examined the securities, consisting mainly of bonds and mortgages, and on which payments of interest or principal are not usually endorsed, and found their several face amounts to correspond with same as stated in account or Report of the Trustees. Also, that they found the state of the securities of the DeLancey Fund to be as stated in the Report of the Trustees.

H. O. MOSS,  
E. S. HAMBLIN,  
T. R. PROCTOR,

Utica, May 17th, 1895.

The Convention then, on motion, took a recess until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

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*Chancellor of the Diocese—Amendments to Canon X.*

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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, 3 o'clock.

The Convention reassembled, the Rt. Rev. the President in the chair.

On motion of Mr. George J. Gardner, it was

*Resolved*, That \$250 be appropriated from the General Fund towards defraying the expenses of the Bishop and Clerical Deputies to the General Convention.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson, for the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, to whom was referred the resolution relating to the Chancellor of the Diocese, recommended the adoption of the following as

CANON XIX.

*Of the Chancellor of the Diocese.*

The Bishop may nominate for the approval of the Convention a person skilled in ecclesiastical and civil law to be the Chancellor of the Diocese, whose office shall be to act as legal adviser and counsellor to the Bishop, the Standing Committee, ecclesiastical courts, and the Convention, when called upon to do so.

On motion, the Canon proposed by the Committee was adopted.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson, from the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, presented the following

REPORT:

The Committee on the Constitution and Canons, to whom were referred the proposed amendments to Canon X, having had the same under consideration, beg leave to report:

1. That they recommend that in Section II relating to the Second District, after the words, "Oneida County," be inserted the words, "the Village of Oneida and all the rest of" before the words, "Madison County."

2. That in Section v, after paragraph 1, be added: "2. Each Parish and Missionary Station seeking aid from the Convocation shall make written application through its Vestry or Committee, stating the facts necessary to a full understanding of the case, particularly the number of contributors and the amount pledged or secured in the Parish or Station for the support of the Minister."

3. That the subsequent paragraphs of Section v be numbered 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 accordingly.

W. D. WILSON,  
*For the Committee.*

*Missionary Report.*

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On motion, the amendments proposed by the Committee were adopted, two-thirds of each Order concurring therein.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson, for the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, reported back the proposed substitute for Canon X, (see JOURNAL of 1894, page 27,) without recommendation.

The Rev. F. P. Harrington, from the Committee on the Report of the Missionary Board, presented the following

REPORT:

Your Committee have examined the Report of the Board of Missions, and note with satisfaction that in the year just past the actual receipts for Missions are only \$35.76 less than for the preceding year, in spite of the severe financial depression prevailing throughout the country. This fact is a comforting one in view of the \$942.67 deficit in the year's operations reported by the Treasurer. It is distinctly the opinion of this Committee that this deficit is due to irregularity in making the canonical collections. A study of the columns of the *Gospel Messenger* for the year reveals that of the seventeen hundred and forty collections due for Diocesan Missions from the one hundred and forty-five parishes and missions, six hundred and forty appear never to have been taken. Some of these were taken and held back to accumulate for a larger draft, and so failed to obtain proper credit. The practice of retaining collections is in violation of Canon X, Sec. vi. 2: "All such collections shall be forwarded promptly to the Treasurer of the District." But after making all deductions for this cause, the very large number of six hundred and forty indicates that many collections were never taken at all. There is little doubt that if the law had been obeyed and the collections made, the Board would have been able to report a surplus instead of a deficit. The neglect of this duty also discloses a profitable field of labor for the various Deans. Much good might be accomplished by letters of inquiry and kindly exhortation addressed by the Deans to all parishes whose names fail to appear in the *Gospel Messenger* "with figures opposite them instead of a blank."

We also suggest that a quarterly or semi-annual letter from the Bishop and Board of Managers on the subject of Diocesan Missions, required to be read in all parishes, would stimulate missionary interest and zeal and materially increase collections.

Respectfully submitted.

FRANK P. HARRINGTON,  
D. E. COMSTOCK.  
FRANK M. SMITH.

The Rev. S. D. Day, from the Committee on the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society, presented the following

REPORT:

The Committee on the Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society respectfully report that they have examined the same and find it correct.

S. D. DAY.  
J. S. CARY.

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*Unfinished Business—Rules of Order Amended.*

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The Rev. W. G. Bentley, from the Committee on Unfinished Business, presented the following

**REPORT:**

The Committee appointed for the purpose have examined the Journal of the last Convention, and find on page 32 a recommendation presented by the Rev. Dr. Wilson for the Committee on the Constitution and Canons, and adopted by the Convention, that the proposed amendments to Canon X offered by the Rev. Dr. Babcock and the Rev. Mr. Banister be laid over till the present Convention.

No further unfinished business appears in the Journal.

Respectfully submitted,

W. GORDON BENTLEY,  
JAMES EAGAN.  
A. M. SEYMOUR.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Banister, it was

*Resolved*, That no further action be taken by the Convention on the amendments referred to in the above report.

The Rev. Dr. Wilson, for the Committee on the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order, reported that, in accordance with the resolution of the Rev. Dr. Babcock, they had re-arranged the Rules of Order so as to bring them into conformity with the present arrangement for the meeting of the Convention at four-thirty o'clock in the afternoon. (*See Appendix V. B.*)

The Bishop nominated the Hon. Azariah H. Sawyer as Chancellor of the Diocese, and the nomination was unanimously approved by the Convention.

The Bishop appointed as Examining Chaplains the Rev. Theodore Babcock, D. D., the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D., and the Rev. William M. Beauchamp, S. T. D.

The Rev. William B. Clarke read a portion of the Report of the Missionary Board. (*See Appendix I. B.*)

The Tellers submitted their report, from which it appeared that the following named persons had received a majority of all the votes given, and they were therefore declared duly elected.

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*Deputies to the General Convention - Adjournment.*

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DEPUTIES TO THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

The Rev. John Brainard, D. D.,	Mr. Horace O. Moss,
The Rev. Charles T. Olmsted, S. T. D.,	Mr. William M. White,
The Rev. John H. Egar, D. D.,	Mr. George C. McWhorter,
The Rev. Robert G. Quennell.	Mr. Robert J. Hubbard.

The Rev. Herbert M. Clarke, Ph. D., read the Report on Christian Education. (*See Appendix I. E.*)

The Secretary of the Convention presented the following

REPORT:

The undersigned respectfully reports that since the last Convention the following contributions to the Diocesan Archives have been received:

From the Bishop of the Diocese thirty Convention Journals and other pamphlets.

From Mr. W. W. DeAngelis, of Holland Patent, the *Gospel Messenger*, Vol. I, No. 1, 1827, Vol. 18, 1892, and the *Living Church*, Vol. 16, 1894.

From George C. McWhorter, Esq., papers of the Vestry of Christ Church, Oswego, (1843.) and a Letter from Bishop DeLancey, (1844.) vindicating the Rev. John McCarty, Rector of the parish, against misrepresentation.

Respectfully submitted.

Utica, June 11th, 1895.

A. B. GOODRICH.

On motion of the Rev. William Cooke, it was

*Resolved*, That 1,300 copies of the Journal of this Convention, together with the Constitution and Canons, and various forms and legislative acts of incorporation, be printed under the direction of the Secretary and distributed as directed by Canon V.

On motion of the Rev. R. G. Quennell, it was

*Resolved*, That the members of this Convention desire to express their cordial thanks to the Rectors and Officers of Trinity and Grace Churches and Emmanuel Mission, Elmira, who have so generously entertained them during the meetings of the Convention.

The Convention then, on motion, resolved to adjourn after the reading of the minutes and the usual devotions.

The minutes of this day's session were read and approved.

The Convention joined with the Bishop in saying the *Veni, Creator Spiritus*. The Bishop offered prayers and pronounced the Benediction, and the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

FREDERIC D. HUNTINGTON.

*President of the Convention.*

ALFRED B. GOODRICH, *Secretary.*

JAMES K. PARKER, *Assistant Secretary.*



# THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS

To the Twenty-Seventh Annual Convention.

DEAR BRETHREN:

I have ordained Deacons: June 17th, 1894, Burr M. Weeden, Albert Edward Bentley, George Maxwell, David B. Matthews, George F. Potter, Christopher T. Lambert, William Harman van Allen; October 11th, 1894, Dwight A. Parce; March 9th, 1895, William Gilbert Laidlaw; June 8th, 1895, Henry Elijah Hubbard.

I have ordained Priests: October 9th, 1894, David L. Ferris; December 22d, 1894, George H. Ottaway; March 9th, 1895, John Smiley, Joseph H. Brown, Edward B. Doolittle and Charles T. Raynor; June 7th, 1895, Burr M. Weeden, Charles E. S. Rasay and Charles Orvis Dantzer.

By Letters Dimissory, Clergymen have been received as follows: From Western New York, September 8th, 1894, Rev. John R. Harding; from Wyoming and Idaho, November 26th, 1894, Rev. John Leal; from Massachusetts, May 24th, 1895, Rev. John B. Wicks; from New York, George Harvey Trickett, May 28th, 1895.

Clergymen have been transferred, as follows: to Colorado, Rev. Charles W. Douglass, January 26th, 1895, and Rev. Orin A. Sands, February 14th, 1895; to Long Island, Rev. Charles Donohue, April 12th, 1895; to Newark, Rev. Albert E. Bentley, April 13th, 1895; to Fond du Lac, Rev. Andrew Harper, Jr., April 15th, 1895; to New Jersey, Rev. W. E. Wright, May 4th, 1895.

Arthur L. Mowry, candidate for Orders has been transferred to the Diocese of Albany.

We have seventeen candidates for Orders: Matthew Irving Hunt, John Ernest Bates, James Winslow Clarke, Robert Westlake Bowman, Herbert Henry Fox, Charles H. McKnight, DeLancey Burdette Hamblin, Francis William Maccaud, Frederick Brymer Keable, Leonard Jacob Christler, Henry Sears Sizer, Guy Harte Purdy, Frederick C. Wilcox, Joseph Bishop, Samuel Macpherson, George Ward Bushnell, English Crooks.

There are six Postulants, viz., William Earl Stillwell, Lucien Adelbert Davison, Walter Harwood Betts, William Doane Munross, Ernest Frederick George, John P. Kirkland, Jr.

Eleven hundred and sixty-four persons have been confirmed, a noticeably large number of them men and boys.

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*The Bishop's Address.*

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I have baptized three infants and three adults, rendered the marriage service six times, and the burial service three times.

Four churches have been consecrated: October 11th 1894, St. Thomas's Church, Slaterville; January 25th, 1895, St. Paul's, Owego; April 19th, 1895, Emmanuel, Lacona; May 23d, 1895, St. Timothy's, Brookfield.

On the 22d of May, assisted by several Presbyters, I laid in Binghamton, amidst the joy and hope of many hearts and the brightness of a springtide noon, the corner-stone of what is to be known as Trinity Memorial Church, largely the gift of the widow of John Ray Clarke, a devoted churchman whom many knew and loved, wishing there were many of like energy and purpose.

March 15th I gave my consent to the consecration of the Rev. John Hazen White, D. D., as Bishop of Indiana, who now stands in the place made sadly vacant by the lamented death of Bishop Knickerbacker, a brave, single-hearted and meek-hearted servant of the cross and shepherd of souls.

Examples of repairs, enlargements and improvements in church edifices, as well as of proper ornaments, have been too numerous to admit of particular mention or description. They are generally noticed in the *Gospel Messenger*. The change for the better in the venerable sanctuary of Christ Church, Guilford, with the erection of a chapel, seemed to warrant a special office of consecration, which, on December 18th, drew together many friends of the Parish and the Rector, the Rev. Mr. Quennell preaching the sermon.

On the twentieth of December, 1894, at Grace Church, Utica, I received into the office and service of a Deaconess Mary Savage Johnson, assigned at present to charitable work in that parish.

At the invitation of the White Cross organization in Hobart College I addressed the members in one of the college buildings November 20th.

A yearly graduation of a large class of qualified nurses, with diplomas, at the Training School and Hospital of the House of the Good Shepherd, in Syracuse, testifies to an intelligent sense among us of the duty of the Church to extend her influence and help towards every form of human effort in the diversified operations of the law and love of Christ, of which Christian nursing is one of the best.

Within ten days of the month of May we observed public demonstrations of our two most efficient Church Guilds—that of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and that of the Girls' Friendly Society. Of the former an annual meeting of the several

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*The Bishop's Address.*

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Diocesan Chapters of the State of New York was held in Syracuse, May 18 and 19, at the invitation of St. Mark's Rector and parish, with the coöperation of other Chapters of the Local Assembly in Grace, Calvary, St. Paul's, St. John's and Emmanuel. Of the latter the semi-annual meeting of the Diocesan Branches was held on the 28th of the month in the parish of St. Paul's. I had the privilege of preaching at both occasions. Both were largely aided, in the marked impression they made on the Church-mind of the city, by the sympathetic presence and vigorous speech of strong men and women from other places. The General Secretary of the Brotherhood came from New York, and the President of the Girls' Friendly Society from Oswego. While the immediate stirring, by such means, of religious life on the spot where it is needed is to be acknowledged gratefully, it must not be forgotten that the real test of value is found in a subsequent permanent and increased activity on the part of the members; in a matching of practical personal sacrifices with the speeches; in additions to the working force in missions as well as parishes, from the more privileged classes. In this proof of lively zeal by lively work there is hitherto something wanting.

The advantage, intellectual and spiritual, of an occasional "Conference" in the Diocese, primarily to the clergy and indirectly to the people, was realized in good measure, I think, on the 20th and 21st of February, when we were hospitably received by the Rector and his parishioners at St. John's, Ithaca. The papers read by brethren, and the devotions, yielded the twofold benefit of an institute in sacred studies and literary production, and a Pre-Lenten Retreat.

In February a suit brought against me as Bishop to compel the admission of a Presbyter into this Diocese and the rectorship of a parish from the Diocese of Western New York, came to a unanimous decision by the Supreme Court, on appeal, adverse to the plaintiffs. The action complained of and the defense rested on a purpose to maintain the honor of the ministry and the law of the Church according to the provisions of Canon 18, Title I, of the Digest. Comment on events, expressions and measures connected with the contention, which lasted more than two years, is obviously needless, and is withheld. Names and details, if wanted, must be sought elsewhere than in our official records. The parish in question has resumed a position in loyal submission to constituted authority, in harmony with its previous honorable history. Our Diocese, as well as the Church at large, is under obligations of gratitude and esteem to the Hon. A. H. Sawyer, of our own Standing Committee, for

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an exhaustive and weighty argument, which won him the admiration and encomiums of distinguished judges and lawyers, and which, together with the extended opinion of the Court, must be recognized henceforth as conclusive in judicial proceedings and tribunals affecting ecclesiastical government.

My thanks are due to the Bishop of the Missionary Jurisdiction of Northern Texas, and to the Assistant Bishop of Central Pennsylvania, each for an Episcopal service, Bishop Garrett at Elmira, and Bishop Rulison at Alexandria Bay, where he consecrated the Church of St. Laurence, August 12th. The interesting function at the consecration of the satisfactory structure reared by St. Paul's Parish, Owego, was enriched by a sermon from Bishop Leonard of Ohio.

In connection with a meeting of the House held in New York, October 23d, the Bishops of the Church, acting with unanimity, sent out a Pastoral Letter explicitly restating and reaffirming certain doctrines of the Catholic Faith. Such an epistle, with solemn warnings, suitable at any time, was called for by some tokens of lax discipline and erroneous teaching in two or three Dioceses. That its emphatic admonitions were seasonable was made to appear in more ways than one by the manner in which it was received.

I believe some brief notice ought to be taken, at this time, of an opinion that has rather recently been proclaimed publicly, touching at vital points the Faith and Teaching of the Church. I call it an opinion because I do not find that it is anything more. Though held by accredited Ministers, it appears to have the sanction of no Ecclesiastical Authority as such. On the contrary, it prefers the suspicious reputation of originality. It claims to be more orthodox than Athanasius and Augustine among the ancients, and more advanced in comprehension than Frederic Robertson and Denison Maurice among moderns. It proposes a peculiar analysis of human nature, a peculiar theory of the relation of mankind to Jesus Christ the Son of God, and a view of the constitution of the Christian Church and of the Sacraments in logical accordance with that analysis and that theory.

By the New Testament, by Christ and His Apostles, what we are taught of human nature is that the Creator has planted in it the capacity of apprehending, but not comprehending, God and the mystery of redemption. Among his other capabilities, man believes. He may also have a knowledge of God. This element in his natural constitution being unfolded, trained, disciplined, in the Church of which he is made a member by the gracious baptism of water and the Spirit, he becomes spiritually,

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organically and visibly united to Christ and to God in Christ. According to the measure of his willingness or receptivity, which is the obedience of faith, the life of the Son of God flows into him. A likeness to Christ is measurably formed in him. All the evangelic language respecting him as a partaker of the Divine Nature, a child of God, a member of Christ, an inheritor of the Kingdom of Heaven, is fulfilled for him and in him. The language is clear, positive and consistent. If this is what is meant when it is said and reiterated that "All life is religion, all thought is theology, all history ecclesiastical history;" that "in the truest sense all men are theologians;" that "Jesus does not introduce some new quantity into human life;" that "the Church belongs to all and all to the Church;" that "all men belong to the Church;" that "Humanity is the *Ecclesia*;" that "every human being is, by being naturally born, a Church-man" that, as a sermon of this "theology" says, "The hard, iron-faced man whom I meet upon the street, the degraded, sad-faced man who goes to prison, the weak, silly-faced man who haunts society, the discouraged man who drags the chain of drudgery—they are all members of the Church, members of Christ," if these quoted expressions mean what the New Testament means, we can only wonder what the right use of language can be. If they mean what they appear to mean, there is no room for question that, as the author of some of them has said, between the two doctrines "the Church must sooner or later express its opinion."

It is not necessary to establish by definition the doctrinal distinction which Catholic authority, following Holy Scripture, has always drawn between the Church, as to its corporate character, its visible entrance and boundaries, and its membership, on the one hand, and mankind at large, heathen or unconverted, on the other. That distinction the expressions I have quoted would obliterate, discredit and despise. Names of preachers who having been ordained by Bishops of the Church have so avowed, in fact have uttered these very expressions, need not be mentioned. They are well enough known. No doubt a clever and impassioned delivery of such a message, intermixed with admirable and sincere sentiments and unimpeachable ethical instructions, richly colored, would be likely to give pleasure to miscellaneous assemblies. Some hearers with a habit of discrimination and sound training would see, in it, its logical conclusions—a minimizing of the enormous fact of sin, a suppression of all prophetic rebuke and apostolical denunciation and warning, a beclouding of any idea of regeneration, a hiding of the Judgment Seat, a degrading of the majesty of Law,

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“mother of our peace and joy,” and a lowering of the doctrine of the Incarnation of the Son of God, which is the root and centre of the Christian Faith, to a pantheistic rationalism. That such a “theology,” religiously seasoned and handsomely arrayed, should be popular may be easily imagined. The surprise is that they who hold to it and are proud of it should read aloud to their hearers the Gospels and Epistles of the New Testament, or concern themselves with the Creed, ordinances and offices set forth in the Book of Common Prayer. That from such preaching people not a few should go away in a cheerful and contented mood is quite conceivable. It does not much affect their habits or sensibilities; it soothes rather than disturbs complacency. It requires no inward wrench; it draws no sharp-cut line; it rouses no alarm; it points to no tribunal. The hearer knows well enough that he is enlisted in no army of Christ, breaks some commandments, makes no confession, shares no sacrament, gives to no missions, kneels at no altar; yet he is complimented by being told that there is a portion of the Divine Life in him. Why should he trouble himself with the painstaking of marking off the divine part in him from the carnal part? To be sure it looks a good deal as if he belonged to “the world;” but is not God in the world, and is not worldliness as natural and safe as otherworldliness? As to “the flesh and the devil,” why the flesh is a part of his divine composition, too, and the preacher says there is no devil. We are all moving one way, only some are farther along than others. To be sure there are some terrible things about sinners in the Bible, but the Bible is not to be taken very seriously.

That a clergyman should be so much of a philosophical optimist as to pass very lightly over the sternest passages in Old Testament or New, or should take no texts from them, is intelligible. He may read his Pantheism into the philosophy of Hegel, or his Universalism into the theology of “Lux Mundi,” and keep on using the Prayer Book. But we continue to conjecture how he can keep his understanding quite clear and his conscience comfortable when in his own behalf he extols the Hebrew prophets, or when he hears the Lord say that except a man be born of water and the Spirit he can not enter into the Kingdom of God, or when he reads the parable of Dives, or of the building on the sands, or Christ’s woes and threats to the Pharisees and rich oppressors, or the declaration about the sheep and the goats, or St. Paul’s Epistles to the Romans and the Ephesians. We behold a phenomenon of which we have no explanation. They may construct a theory of revelation by man, but sooner or later this school of thinkers and discourses will have to break with the Revelation in the Scriptures.



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In support of these strictures I need here—and only need—to repeat to you the following sentences, which by recollection or reference you can readily verify as of the Word of God:

“He that believeth not the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God abideth on him.”

“They that have done good unto the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation.”

“Ye have not the Son of God in you. Ye have not His Word abiding in you.”

“Every man that hath learned of the Father cometh unto Me.”

“Ye shall die in your sins. Whither I go ye can not come.”

“If God were your Father ye would love Me. Ye do the deeds of your father. Ye are of your father, the devil.”

“Ye believe not because ye are not of My sheep. My sheep hear My voice and I give unto them eternal life.”

“If a man abide not in Me, he is cast forth as a branch and is withered.”

“Because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you. Now they have both seen and hated both Me and My Father.”

“I have manifested Thy Name unto the men which Thou gavest Me out of the world.”

“In this the children of God are manifest and the children of the devil.”

“Every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God.”

St. John repeatedly divides mankind into two classes—those who are and those who are not “born of God.” Then there must be some who, born in the natural life, are not yet born of God.

By way of application to our ministerial obligations, I can not better say what is a burden on my soul than I find it said, as I come to this point in my charge, in a Church periodical lying before me:

“People ask: What is the use of going to Church? When we have made them feel that they have souls to be saved, then they will see the use. This, we take it, is the starting point of the whole matter. There is need of a new era of intense and solemn earnestness, such as will make it impossible for men to doubt that religion is a thing of overwhelming importance; impossible to say that nothing is to be gained or found at Church which a man need care about.

“First, to preach the Gospel, pure, unmixed, not watered down. Then to bring this Gospel home to the multitude who

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now know nothing of it. How to do this is the real problem. We suppose it must be done through many experiments, through a higher and more self-sacrificing enthusiasm, through the struggles and strivings of many individuals, amid much disappointment and numerous apparent failures. The main thing is that the Gospel should be so preached, and that it should be the real Gospel, not any kind of modern counterfeit, but the Gospel of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, convincing men of sin and offering pardon through the Precious Blood. Whoever has gone among men, working men or others, and preached this Gospel with all his heart and soul, may not perhaps have won any large numbers—sin and Satan may seem too strong for him—but he has done his duty and may leave the rest to Him that sent him. But when an army of such preachers shall have gone forth, persisting in the contest and constantly filling up the ranks, the Gospel will surely be found to have its old power still.

But we deceive ourselves if we think the process will ever be easy, or that wonderful things will be accomplished at once, so soon as some new system or fine plan of work shall be devised, or that anything whatever can take the place of the Gospel of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ."

Most earnestly I entreat my brethren not to omit from their studies, their labors or their discourses, a direct, searching application of Christian principles to social life, industrial problems and business affairs. It is too late to ignore them, futile to trifle with them, cowardly to shut eyes or ears upon them. A Christianity detached from the moral relations of society would be a skeleton in a museum. A church that would countenance that divorce is doomed. Forsaking the Master by that disobedience to His instruction and example, it could only inherit the curse He pronounced on an upper-class religion. Prophets are set to declare the righteousness of the kingdom He set up not in the skies but on the earth. Look at the unrestrained exposures to impurity and to ruin, in city or village, of the young of both sexes, shown most alarmingly in the streets; and, seeing what you will see, teach your people anxiously what is the first duty of fathers and mothers, what is the divine law of wedlock, what the God of the family ordained the family to be and to do, what the perils to the nation and to all our welfare are if its sanctities are profaned. Take honestly into your responsibility as ministers or as citizens what you owe to God and man in resisting with all your might, and at all costs, the frightful destructions wrought around us everywhere by intoxicating drinks. Act and speak as they must who are bidden by



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the Almighty to stand between the living and the dead, at the parting of the ways which never meet, between Heaven and Hell. Hide not from your conscience or from your flocks whatever wrongs are inflicted by the strong on the weak, the hatreds, strifes, falsehoods, oppressions, wastes, greedinesses, whereby the better taught, better housed, better clad and better fed refuse to enter themselves into the blessed kingdom of equity and mercy where God's will is done, as all Christendom prays it may be done, and will not suffer them that are entering to go in. Repeat the old Prophets' cry. Repeat the Saviour's rebukes and promises. Speak the truth in love, and remember that to keep it back is not love. Remember that the God of charity is just, and that there is no respect of persons or positions, property or titles, with Him.

In many respects the safeguards of virtue seem to be weakened rather than strengthened, in public sentiment, in manners, in theatrical entertainments, in the popular press, in the liquor trade, in dangerous liberties allowed to the young of both sexes. Sidewalk scenes at evening are too often a sad sight. The vicious notion that such exposures to iniquity are in any way or degree outside the province of plain Church instruction and the incessant vigilance of the Church ministry, and of Church men and women, can have no place in those who take their views of duty from the Bible, the Prayer-Book, or common sense. In communities and under a government like ours, where the clergy are citizens and all citizens hold the tremendous responsibility of electing law-makers and shaping public measures, shepherds of souls are not to be excused from the obligation to possess and express definite convictions on whatever subjects practically affect the purity, temperance, rectitude or honor of the people. Who shall teach the truth, who shall resist error, who shall expose abuses, who shall rebuke the patrons and abettors of vice, if they do not? I specially urge our preachers to press upon parents their duty in training and protecting their children, in fortifying them early against the subtle influence of promiscuous or hurtful companionships, in elevating their tastes and pleasures, in making homes happy, pure and sacred. In that high wisdom why should the disciples of Moses and the Law be more scrupulous than the disciples of Christ, and the out-of-door Christians of our time and land less serious than their home-keeping ancestors?

Our ecclesiastical harmony continues, thanks be to the God of peace and the judgment and patience of good men! As to what causes friction and mutual disagreement in some diocesan families, viz., innovations in ritual use or in the proportioning of doctrine

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brought in on a plea of foreign precedent, indications are wanting that any considerable number of people in any profession or walk of life find questionable excesses on either side, really to be edifying to character or helpful to a substantial and healthy piety. Our steady gain from year to year in a reverent observance and the orderly ways of a true and sensible churchmanship could only be hindered by superzealous efforts to introduce some unauthorized practices, or strained and sickly imitations of them, or some alien phrases. The right of quiet worshippers to be undisturbed in their most precious devotions by what is strange or dubious is argument enough for restraint as to matters of preference. I suspect that if those dear brethren, of ardent temperament and exemplary activity, tempted by taste or fancy, could read letters which some of their parishioners write to their Bishops—of which they never hear—they would let ripening experience persuade them to three conclusions—first, that what the Church has indisputably permitted in Bible and Prayer-Book and law is sufficient; secondly, that non-conformity or individualism in one direction is likely to provoke a similar license in the opposite; and thirdly, that to distract, by anything non-essential to communion, the least of the Lord's worshippers, causing perplexity or grief at the holiest of all the acts of their worship, would be a sacerdotal sin.

An English critic in art has lately written: "It is doubtful whether a religion kept alive by art were not better dead. For it is one of the curious anomalies in our perplexed nature that enjoyment of the beautiful does not always mean admiration of the holy, or cultivation of the good. It is significant that the highest moment in the history of sacred art was also one of the lowest in the practice of the religious virtues. The use of art in religion is one of the things that have need to be most jealously watched lest, in cultivating the beautiful, in time the majesty of the eternal be forgotten, or even cast down from its seat."

Much might be said of a balance of doctrine in a sound Churchmanship, what St. Paul enjoins as a right dividing of the Word of Truth. Limitations of the common mind make it difficult. There are, we all know, those whose tendencies run towards a religion of external simplicity, a plain ritual, or to a type of character where ethical integrity rather than a highly symbolized sentiment prevails. There are those who incline with equal sincerity and perhaps intenser enthusiasm to an ecclesiastical system where signs appealing to imagination and feeling are conspicuous and reverence is demonstrative. Both tendencies are related to doctrines not always definitely formu-

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lated. Both classes wish to maintain a standing, and would like to have control, where they exist. Both may be tempted to concealment or evasion if exposed to disfavor or suspicion or discipline, a subtle moral danger, possibly worse than either of the two "tendencies" in itself. Without invidiousness, we may say that the ethical party still claims to be loyal to the Church, and the ecclesiastical party still claims to be scrupulous as to morality. It creates anxiety to see, notwithstanding, that in sticklers for ecclesiastical ceremony loyalty sometimes goes overboard at the instigation of a favorite fancy, and that the subjectivists say little, because they feel little, of the danger of the evils of irreverence, neglect of ordinances, or looseness as to the creed. Ritualists may be so little afraid of superstition as to crowd in acts and phrases that are without sanction; rationalists may be so much afraid of dogmatism as to put their own interpretation on rubrics and vows of conformity. In this sense both are "liberalists," individualists and disturbers. Both encourage immature ministers in doings without sense, and words without knowledge. Both forfeit sacred opportunities. Both break the unity, or at least jar the harmony, of the many-membered Body of Christ. Both sometimes try our patience with their language, as the "speech of Ashdod" vexed the soul of Nehemiah. Both cruelly obtrude into the holiest and tenderest mysteries, which are at once evangelical and catholic, feelings that are not worshipful, fears that cast out love, thoughts which are not thoughts of comfort or peace.

If one must choose between disproportion in favor of forms of faith and disproportion in favor of the unseen reality, few, I hope, will hesitate. For us there is no such choice. Our Household is wide enough for sane-minded and oath-keeping sons and daughters of God. The Churchmanship that I want to see, and think I do see, is a Churchmanship that is firm without self-will, uncompromising without bigotry, free with the spirit of the Lord but not "liberal" with the "spirit of the age" or self-liberated from the rule of a pledge-kept veracity or from veneration for a hallowed and glorious past.

It is sometimes said in extenuation of language or practices of a ceremonial character not according to the Canons, the Book of Common Prayer or Holy Scripture, "But the good man is so devoted, such a hard worker, and so useful in his work and preaching!" Whatever is to be amiably allowed on this plea by those who are bound and sworn to see that laws are administered, all but weak minds must see that there is a limit to its admissibility. Laws and courts and penalties are for the protection of large and general interests. They would soon

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come to contempt if their operation were made to depend on striking a balance of merits and demerits in the person of the law-breaker.

It will lie quite within the lines of our proper business if we enter into a somewhat more particular and careful examination than has been usual of that part of our service to Christ and the Church which we share together and in common, *i. e.*, with a united purpose and under a responsibility extending to every minister and every member in our Church family. We habitually call that department of our work "missionary work," and its methods "missions." Convenient as the term is, there is this drawback about it, that it tends, in a degree, to separate one of our spheres of duty from another, to put parish work and mission work apart, as if one of them were more imperative in obligation than the other, and to treat what we are commanded and commissioned to do collectively, in preaching Christ's Gospel and extending His Kingdom, as of less authority, and more at our option, than what we do in our parochial limits. This fallacious distinction lies at the bottom of a great deal of our religious confusion, narrows our Christian culture, hinders our growth as a Body, and perverts both our theory and our practice of Catholic evangelization. Till we set ourselves free from this pernicious influence of a technical phrase, with the false impressions it makes upon our congregations, we can only partially get rid of restrictions which cramp our energies and keep us struggling from year to year with a problem we fail to solve, and disappointed at results which only half satisfy our consciences, our judgment, or our hearts.

I want to give you, as I have not done it hitherto, for the consideration of some of you, and the information of many more, an outline of what the care, experience and anxiety of twenty-six years have taught me in this regard.

It cannot be a new thought to most of you, for it has been urged upon you many times and in many ways, that when we became a Diocese we were set and organized into something better, nobler and stronger, than a group of isolated bands of worshippers, within certain territorial boundaries, each occupied with its own interests, jealous of its own advantage, concerned for its own dimensions, economies and reputation, only acknowledging common standards of faith, and feebly united by a few special institutions. Such a conception would be pitifully unworthy of our confession of the Son of God, our membership in Him, our apostolical constitution, our training in the New Testament school, and the inviting opportunities before us in these communities and this Nation. We were

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pledged at the outset, have been pledged all along, and are pledged now, so to administer our trust, so to shape our policy, and so to consecrate our substance, as to offer the religion of the Bible and the Book of Common Prayer to all the souls and families that we can reach within the region covered by our Diocesan name. We are a unit, and out of that fact comes the operation of a specific law of the spiritual and social life.

You are not without acquaintance with the way in which we have measurably attempted to apply this law, working under it and working it out, *i. e.*, with our Tenth Canon and its modifications. You will not suppose I disparage our own workmanship, or undervalue what has been accomplished. It is generally admitted, I believe, that in what has been given and done the Diocese of Central New York presents a record standing high among the best, according to its visible or computable resources. I hope there is no one among us who would suggest that this circumstance furnishes any right measure of our account before God, or ought to govern our toils, gifts, or sacrifices in the future.

Glance a moment at accounts and statistics, in money and numbers; for, subordinate as they are in final importance, we cannot reckon without them. Let it be remembered that all the services of all the officers of the missionary organization, in its several districts, including the general and district treasurers, are rendered gratuitously. All the money contributed to the cause, whether by the canonical monthly offerings in the parishes and missions, or otherwise, is expended by authority strictly for the religious benefit of the beneficiaries, except as legacies or endowments may be permanently invested. Hitherto the average annual receipts from all sources have been considerably less than \$12,000. That sum would barely suffice for a comfortable supply of a reasonable demand; \$15,000 would be satisfactory; \$18,000 could be used to manifest and unquestionable advantage. By our last Journal there are in the Diocese 9,540 families, with 16,635 communicants. Thirty thousand would be a low estimate of the number of regular adult worshippers. I would rather the comparison between the number of worshippers and the sum received *per capita* should be made without being pronounced.

To most of you here, but not by any means to all the thirty thousand as it ought to be, it is known how the method of obtaining and disbursing the income is managed. Canon Ten states and explains the provisions and requirements. As amended, 1892 and 1893, that Canon declared all members of the Church, *i. e.*, all baptized persons in the Diocese, to be

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members constituting the Diocesan Missionary Society, and the Convention to be the Diocesan Board of Missions. This, following the action begun by the Church at large in the General Convention of 1839, was a step forward as affirming a universal yet personal accountability. The division into six territorial District Convocations is an obvious convenience as lessening the expense of travel.

It is of several points in the practical operation of this system that I wish to speak, plainly rather than complainingly, and helpfully rather than critically.

To a large extent the Missionary Society is a Parish Aid Society. The whole number of parishes and missions is 145. Of these, less than a third, forty-five, are self-supporting; less than a dozen are not in connection with the Convention; some missions have been started within the year; more might have been started with more money. Reasons for the Parish Aid appropriations are, that without it half of the congregations could not have public worship or Sacraments at all, and that many church buildings put up and consecrated by devout people, some of the benefactors not belonging to the flocks, must be shut, and probably in the end desecrated, but for such relief as their thoughtful and generous friends provide.

In the present allotment of duties, while those of the Bishop and the Convocations are closely connected, they are distinct, as they should be—the appropriations and assessments belonging to the Convocations, and the appointment of missionaries and local services to the Bishop.

There is an inequality, in both the offerings of the benefactors and the appropriations to the beneficiaries, which becomes only the more evident and causes more and more unfavorable notice as time goes on. What offerings Christ's people, disciples of the Cross, shall bring for the honor of His Name, the enlargement of His Kingdom and the saving of souls, can be finally determined only by their personal will, conscience and heart. It is beyond the control of ecclesiastical or economic regulation. Yet inasmuch as the entire matter before us has a financial character, it can hardly be considered obtrusive or incongruous if those who are virtually trustees should expect to be dealt with fairly and equitably in respect to the funds entrusted to them. Can it be pretended that they are always so treated? Call the support of missions an obligation or a privilege—it is really both—is it distributed even with a tolerable evenness among our parishes and our people? Take up any number of the *Gospel Messenger* and look on the last page at the treasurer's monthly report of his receipts, marking the blanks where there



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ought to be figures, and comparing the figures themselves, making whatever just allowances you please for differences in ability among the givers. Whether you know it or not, I can assure you that those tables are not unnoticed, that, far and wide, inferences are drawn from them respecting certain large parishes in cities, and prosperous parishes in the country, and small ones in both, of which the results appear in the returns to the treasury, and will appear more and more—inferences respecting both clergy and laity, shepherds and flocks. There are contrasts which official prominence, speeches at Convocations, general good nature, and social respectability, will not conceal.

How to carry up the income above the settled average is the question of all the Convocations and Conferences, and the anxious question of not a few of us day and night, year in and year out. If appeals, circulars, pastoral letters, addresses, sermons, will do it, it should have been done illustriously long before this time. That the opportunity and ability to do it lie especially with the persistency, zeal, tact, enthusiasm, determination of those to whom the cure of souls is committed, whose office brings them into the most intimate contact with all classes, and who are the chosen leaders of all Christian movements, will hardly be denied. This being beyond question, I also believe that if the subject could be specifically presented, in every church, with facts and reasons, and with some skill and force by a preacher who is not the rector, once a year or thereabouts, not before a fragment of a congregation here and there at Convocation meetings, but on a Sunday morning, when those are present who are best able to give yet most rarely hear or see why they should give, I believe that our annual receipts might be nearly doubled. That this, as I have put it, is practicable I do not say, because I do not see; but I say so much because of what it may possibly suggest. It is a belief in my mind that there are business men in our parishes who have the feeling, the sense and the property, to furnish what we need, for the good of society and the Kingdom of God, if they knew what is to be known.

There is a decanal scheme conceivable in districts partly rural like ours, where the Dean would owe his appointment to a special experience and special attainments and gifts gained in missionary life, and who could visit every congregation in the deanery every few months, not to trespass on the rector, but to confer with and assist him, without forsaking the obligations which bind the rector to his charge.

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religious life of the people, if, in every parish or mission where the minister in charge can officiate only once on a Sunday, a Lay Reader, suitably qualified and instructed, of character and good repute, should be licensed to serve regularly in the minister's absence.

We come to the appropriations, which we have generally agreed not to call by the less graceful name of stipends. Here, as a matter of fact, clings one of the most tenacious and complicated of our infirmities. The appropriations, though not as blameworthy, are as unequal, perhaps, as the receipts. They are designated and are practically fixed by the clergy and a few lay delegates residing within a limited geographic area and representing contiguous congregations. It is delightful that there grows up among them a relationship and an intercourse other than that of financial business, and quite unlike it. In the distribution of the missionary bestowments it is unavoidable that in this way personal preferences, sympathies, tastes, sensibilities and interests, should be felt. If it is patent that as between two appropriations one is disproportionately large and another disproportionately small, it is easy enough for a Brother, or the Dean, to propose that the smaller should be increased, but not so easy that the larger should be reduced. It may happen, it has happened, that what was once a just division has run on, out of regard to "feelings." So one workman gets too little, whether or not another gets too much. Some of the excuses are hard to discredit without a hardening of the heart. The missionary was first employed on an avowed expectation that the station would "in a few years be made self-supporting," which it never was and never will be; or the olive branches bud on all four sides of his table; or he reasonably desires a high education for sons or daughters. Missionary boxes are resorted to, but each has a bottom, and there are fashions of dress, not foreseen when the box was packed. It comes about, in short, that a square application of "business ideas," such as would be possible if the appropriations were made out by a business committee simply on a showing of statistics of labor and wages, fails, and the Convocation's countenance and vote are pathetically helpless. Then, sometimes, the flock to be fed is so remote from all others, or the rich parishioner is so scrupulous a member of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals as to refuse the use of his horse by the Missionary of a Sunday afternoon, or the bicycle is so costly or so mysterious to him, that he fails to stretch his cure or his powers to a wider field, and he and his household must be kept alive where they are. These are difficulties, not



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fatal, not alarming, not too perplexing to be overcome by patience and genuine faith in the Master. But it is not wise to hide them. Some of them can be abated by courage and pains. Some of them will be of small account to the resolute and strong-hearted laborer. None of them will undo the will or word of the Lord Who sends us. None of them will change in the least the irreversible command, or its ground—"Freely ye have received, freely give."

I must say in conscience that I do not see how the defects in this part of our duty can be supplied by altering our system. The system is probably not perfect, but it works well, and the longer the better. The real defect is one that mechanism can not mend. We perceive and feel it sorely in insufficient funds, but law does not reach the heart, from which alone the relief must come.

The sadness of it all, the deeper sadness—is that we have among us not a few men and some women, persons baptized, confirmed, taking places at the Feast of their Lord's Sacrifice, members in the Church which has the cross for its symbol and sign, paying a price perhaps to set that cross up as an ornament, living in the light which has been poured for centuries on the earth from the Sun of Righteousness, who, by their own confession, made by what they say and do and refuse to do, declare that they have no obligation, and no disposition, to give the inestimable privileges of the Gospel and Kingdom to those who are destitute of them, no purpose to "send money out of the parish," no practical concern in that irreversible and universal law of God which makes missionary sacrifice the test of both faith and obedience towards Him. Here, in this year 1895, this twenty-seventh year of our life and worship together, they believe that!

It must be generally known that the "Religious Corporations Law," which has been much considered in the Five Dioceses and generally approved, has been enacted by the two Houses of the Legislature of the State, at the late session, and signed by the Governor. Clergy and parishes will take note of the alterations it makes in parish proceedings.

Last January, more than a dozen of our best and busiest clergymen and laymen were called to attend a meeting in New York city of representatives of the Five Dioceses of the State for the purpose of breaking up their present division lines, and dismembering their interiors, with a view to rearranging the *membra disjecta* on some novel scheme. Such a scheme was advocated by no one of the Five, approved by no two, and finally defended by nobody. In a Moravian Litany there is a

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petition with a response reading, "From untimely projects deliver us, gracious Lord and God!"

Of my own working condition, I have only to say, save to return further thanks to God, that you are to understand what I said to you in my annual address two years ago, as to assistance in my official duties, as expressing my feelings and wishes now. Any one of the three modes of relief then pointed out would be acceptable to me, at your desire, at any time. I must repeat, definitely, that henceforth, when I have given the required notice beforehand of a confirmation in a Parish or Mission, candidates must be presented at the time and place specified, unless a *serious and permanent* spiritual loss would be occasioned; or they may be presented elsewhere. *Otherwise* the presentation must go over for the year. A correspondence on these matters is an unnecessary burden and involves a waste of time. When a grave reason occurs I assume that a *postponement*, on my part, is likely to be generally accepted willingly. I believe these rules are not exacting beyond what is usual and reasonable.

On the 18th of January I attended, at Trinity Church, Utica, the funeral of the Rev. Dr. Samuel Hanson Coxe. There are reasons why I should mention that honored name, and should recall the personality it brings to mind, with a very tender feeling. When this Diocese was organized I had not seen Dr. Coxe or corresponded with him. Before the preliminary Convention he made known to me in affectionate terms his intention to promote my election in such frank and honorable ways as were sure to be taken in everything that he did. Probably, no one man so earnestly or efficiently advocated that measure, or more cheerfully incurred the responsibility. Till the day of his death our friendship was intimate and firm—on his part unobtrusive and disinterested, on mine delightful. With his fine manners, accomplishments and character it could not be otherwise. The marks of his high breeding were always upon him. The same harmony which blended the dignity of his bearing with the benignity of his countenance gave an impression of the consistency between the public and private excellency of his ministry. As Rector of three of our best and oldest parishes, St. Peter's, Auburn, St. Paul's, Oxford, and Trinity, Utica, he gained the unqualified love of his flocks and the unvarying confidence and esteem of his Brethren of the clergy. After a pathetic decline of vigor in his stately form and well-ordered mind he departed in that peace which passeth understanding and in the presence of those dearest to his heart.

Dear Brethren, I again commend you heartily to the favor, guidance and blessing of God.

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*Confirmations.*


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### Confirmations.

Adams . . . . .	3	New Hartford . . . . .	12
Albion . . . . .	2	Norwich . . . . .	10
Alexandria Bay . . . . .	2	Oneida . . . . .	21
Antwerp . . . . .	11	Onondaga Reservation . . . . .	2
Auburn, St. Peter's . . . . .	87	Oriskany Falls . . . . .	3
"    St. John's . . . . .	14	Oswego, Christ Church . . . . .	21
Aurora . . . . .	3	"    Evangelists . . . . .	32
Bainbridge . . . . .	9	Owego . . . . .	16
Baldwinsville . . . . .	4	Oxford . . . . .	11
Big Flats . . . . .	2	Paris Hill . . . . .	1
Binghamton, Christ Church . . . . .	23	Pierrepont Manor . . . . .	3
"    Trinity . . . . .	28	Port Leyden . . . . .	2
"    Good Shepherd . . . . .	8	Pulaski . . . . .	4
Boonville . . . . .	13	Rome, Zion . . . . .	31
Bridgewater . . . . .	1	"    St. Joseph's . . . . .	17
Brookfield . . . . .	2	Sacketts Harbor . . . . .	11
Brownville . . . . .	13	Seneca Falls . . . . .	12
Camden . . . . .	4	Sherburne . . . . .	6
Canastota . . . . .	5	Skaneateles . . . . .	19
Candor . . . . .	3	Slaterville . . . . .	3
Cape Vincent . . . . .	26	Smithboro . . . . .	1
Carthage . . . . .	12	Speedsville . . . . .	2
Cazenovia . . . . .	9	Syracuse, Calvary . . . . .	10
Chenango Forks . . . . .	2	"    Grace . . . . .	16
Clarks Mills . . . . .	9	"    St. John's . . . . .	23
Cleveland . . . . .	3	"    St. Luke's . . . . .	2
Clinton . . . . .	9	"    St. James' . . . . .	12
Constableville . . . . .	8	"    St. Mark's . . . . .	27
Copenhagen . . . . .	2	"    St. Paul's . . . . .	36
Cortland . . . . .	10	"    Trinity . . . . .	27
Dexter . . . . .	1	Theresa . . . . .	7
Earlville . . . . .	10	Utica, Calvary . . . . .	37
Elmira, Trinity . . . . .	25	"    Grace . . . . .	16
"    Grace . . . . .	18	"    Holy Cross . . . . .	16
"    Emmanuel . . . . .	14	"    St. George's . . . . .	14
Fayetteville . . . . .	9	"    St. Luke's . . . . .	35
Forestport . . . . .	6	"    St. Andrew's . . . . .	7
Greene . . . . .	5	"    Trinity . . . . .	10
Guilford . . . . .	2	Van Etten . . . . .	10
Hamilton . . . . .	2	Waterloo . . . . .	18
Harpursville . . . . .	8	Watertown, Trinity . . . . .	36
Holland Patent . . . . .	1	"    Grace . . . . .	19
Homer . . . . .	10	"    North, Redeemer . . . . .	15
Ithaca . . . . .	22	Waterville . . . . .	10
Jamesville . . . . .	4	Waverly . . . . .	6
Jordan . . . . .	10	Weedsport . . . . .	4
Lacona . . . . .	5	Wellsburgh . . . . .	12
Lowville . . . . .	4	Westmoreland . . . . .	9
Manlius, St. John's School . . . . .	7	Willard . . . . .	6
Marcellus . . . . .	5	Willowdale . . . . .	6
McLean . . . . .	1	Whitneys Point . . . . .	8
Millport . . . . .	9		
Moravia . . . . .	8		
New Berlin . . . . .	11		
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## APPENDIX I.

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# REPORT OF OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES,

### With Accompanying Papers.

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## A. Report of the Standing Committee,

FOR THE CONVENTIONAL YEAR 1894-95.

The Standing Committee respectfully report that during the Conventional year 1894-95, they have held six meetings, five in St. Paul's Cathedral, Syracuse, and the sixth in Trinity Church, Elmira.

At the first meeting, held June 14th, 1894, all the clerical members, and Messrs. Sawyer, VanWagenen and Jack were present. The Committee was organized for the year by the election of the Rev. John Brainard, D. D., President, and the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Secretary. The Treasurer submitted his estimate of expenses of the Diocese for the year as follows: Printing of Journal of Convention and other printing, \$400; appropriation of Convention for the Bishop's traveling expenses, \$360; rent of the Episcopal residence, \$600; Secretary of Convention and his Assistant, \$250; appropriation of Convention for the Bishop's Assistance, \$1,500; making a total of \$3,050. It was ordered that this sum be charged upon the parishes, and that they be severally notified of the amount of their assessment for the same.

The second meeting was held September 17th, 1894, with all the clerical members and Messrs. Sawyer, Green and Jack in attendance. Consent was given to the proposed election by the Diocese of Iowa of an Assistant Bishop of that Diocese. Papers were signed by all present recommending that the Rev. David L. Ferris, Deacon, be advanced to the Priesthood, Mr. Dwight A. Parce ordained to the Diaconate, and Messrs. Guy Harte Purdy and Henry S. Sizer admitted candidates for Holy Orders. Testimonials asking that Mr. William Maccaud be recommended for ordination to the Diaconate were in view of the Canon on term of candidacy laid over for future consideration. The following minute regarding the retirement from the Committee of the Rev. William T. Gibson, D. D., LL. D., and Mr. Daniel O. Salmon was unanimously adopted, and the Secretary was instructed to send a copy of the same to Dr. Gibson and Mr. Salmon:

"The withdrawal at the last Convention of two representative members of our Diocese from the Standing Committee, of which they had so long been honored and valuable co-workers, leads not only to some reflections upon the 'changes and chances of this mortal life,' but to the adoption of this minute, and the taking order for its insertion upon our records."

"It will be twenty-six years, on the twelfth day of next November, since, at the Primary Convention of the Diocese of Central New York, Daniel O. Salmon was elected a member of our Standing Committee, and ever since, with at times a well nigh unanimous vote, he has been annually re-elected.

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Our records show that he has seldom been absent from our meetings. Two or three times perhaps in the course of more than a quarter of a century, through sickness, he has failed to appear. With a kind manner and a sympathetic spirit, his presence has always been welcome, while his steadfast determination that the Canon law of the church should be strictly enforced, made him at all times watchful against unworthy intrusion into the ranks of the sacred ministry. This Diocese will remember with gratitude his prolonged period of devotion to her interests.

“It was in 1878, at the Convention held in Trinity Church, Watertown, that the Rev. Dr. William T. Gibson was elected a member of the Standing Committee. For many years the Diocese has enjoyed the full benefit of his ripe learning and Christian scholarship. His extended reputation as a writer on theological and churchly subjects, and his successful management of the *Gospel Messenger* and the *Church Eclectic* has brought his name before a great multitude of readers, and the Diocese of Central New York has been honored by his renown. Dr. Gibson has always brought his wide range of study to guide the deliberation of our Standing Committee, and he has always stood forth as an advocate of the highest attainment in learning as the rule of literary fitness in all candidates for Holy Orders. The Diocese will not cease to accord to him their gratitude for his faithful attendance at their meetings and the benefits of his distinguished learning.

“To both of these Christian gentlemen, retiring from the office which they have so long and so honorably filled, their associates, in behalf of themselves and the entire Diocese, extend their kindest greeting, with the hope that many years of usefulness are yet in store for them, till in the Lord's own time, He may give them a gentle release from the cares of this life, and an abundant entrance into the rest and peace of Paradise.”

At the third meeting, held December 10th, 1894, all the clerical members and Messrs. Sawyer, VanWagenen and Jack were present. A letter from Mr. D. O. Salmon to the Secretary in response to the minute adopted at the last meeting was read. Papers looking to the ordination of the Rev. Charles T. Raynor, Deacon, to the Priesthood, were in view of Canon 9, Section III, laid over for subsequent consideration. The Rev. George Henry Ottaway, Deacon, was recommended to be ordained a Priest, and Messrs. Frederick C. Wilcox, Robert Westlake Bowman, and Leonard Jacob Christler were recommended to be made candidates for Holy Orders.

At the fourth meeting, held March 25th, 1895, all the clerical members and Messrs. VanWagenen and Jack being present, consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. John Hazen White, as Bishop of the Diocese of Indiana. The proper testimonials having been presented, the Rev. Messrs. Edward B. Doolittle, Charles T. Raynor, Joseph Hypkin Brown, and John Smilay, Deacons, were recommended for advancement to the Order of Priests; Mr. Gilbert William Laidlaw for ordination to the Diaconate, and Messrs. Joseph Bishop and S. McPherson for admission as candidates for Holy Orders.

At the fifth meeting, held June 4th, 1895, all the clerical members and Messrs. Sawyer, VanWagenen and Jack were present. The Rev. Charles E. S. Rasay, the Rev. Burr Miller Weeden, and the Rev. C. Orvis Dantzer, Deacons, presented satisfactory papers, and were recommended to be ordered Priests, Canon 9, Section III, Title I, being applicable in Mr. Weeden's case. Mr. Henry Elijah Hubbard was recommended for admission to the Order of Deacons, and Messrs. English Crooks and William Doane Manross were recommended to be made candidates for Holy Orders. Testimonials presented by the Rev. Parker Fenno, and the Rev. George Maxwell, with a view to their advancement to the Priesthood, not meeting requirements of Canons 9 and 10, Title I, action thereon was postponed to a future meeting. The following minute regarding the death, since our last meeting, of one of

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our associates, was unanimously adopted and ordered to be placed upon the records:

“The death of Mr. Thomas Dickson Green, which occurred in Syracuse, on the 7th day of March, creates another vacancy in our Diocesan ranks, and makes the twelve months last past memorable for the inroads which change has wrought in our Standing Committee. Mr. Green was elected a member of our body on the 10th of June, 1874, to fill a vacancy created by the retirement of the Hon. Charles Andrews, whose incessant labors as Judge of the Court of Appeals made his regular attendance at our stated meetings quite impossible. The records of our Committee indicate with what undeviating fidelity Mr. Green fulfilled the duties of the office to which he has been re-elected for twenty years. His attendance could always be counted on as well nigh certain, and it is well known that very often it was at the sacrifice of personal and business convenience. His genial manners and inbred refinement gave a charm to our intercourse with him, while his sound judgment, enlightened sagacity and loyalty to the church at large and in our own Diocese, made his membership especially valuable. We think of him as one who, ‘faithful over a few things,’ has entered into the joy of his Lord, and to his bereaved family we extend our loving sympathy and the assurance that we are sharers in their sorrows.”

At the sixth meeting held June 11th, 1895, all the clerical members and Messrs. VanWagenen and Jack being present, consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Frank Rosebrook Millspaugh, as Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas. The Secretary's report of proceedings during the year was approved and ordered to be presented to the Convention.

All which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the Committee,

H. R. LOCKWOOD,  
*Secretary.*

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**B. Missions of the Diocese.**

**(1) Report of the Board of Managers.**

The Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions of the Diocese of Central New York respectfully submits the following report:

At a meeting of the Board in the Chapel of St. Paul's Cathedral, Syracuse, on June 12th, 1894, just previous to the assembling of the Twenty-sixth Annual Convention of the Diocese, the following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved.* That the Convention be asked to appropriate the sum of \$11,100 for the Missionary work of the Diocese for the financial year beginning July 1st, 1894.

On this basis the following assessments and apportionments were made:

First District, Assessed.....	\$1,550	Apportioned.....	\$1,900
Second District, “.....	2,850	“.....	2,150
Third District, “.....	1,900	“.....	1,500
Fourth District, “.....	2,300	“.....	1,500
Fifth District, “.....	1,400	“.....	1,700
Sixth District, “.....	1,100	“.....	2,150

Total Assessments.....	\$11,100	Total Apportionment, \$10,900
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The Treasurer was also instructed by resolution to pay stipends for St. Joseph's, Rome, and for the Church Mission to Deaf Mutes in the Diocese, at the direction of the Bishop.

A second meeting of the Board was held in Trinity House, Elmira, on Tuesday, June 11th, 1895, at 3 P. M., when the Treasurer presented his report, which is herewith submitted, and the subjoined reports from the six Missionary Districts of the Diocese were read and ordered to be presented to the Convention.

**FIRST DISTRICT.**

The first Missionary District of the Diocese comprises the counties of Jefferson and Lewis. The mission parishes and stations are: In Jefferson County, Adams, Frederick's Corners, Antwerp, Evans Mills, Brownville, Glen Park, North Watertown, Cape Vincent, Millens Bay, Clayton, LaFargeville, Pierrepont Manor, Ellisburgh, Sacketts Harbor, Dexter, Redwood, Theresa, Champion, and Great Bend; in Lewis County, Copenhagen, Constableville, Port Leyden and Greig.

The officers of the District are: The Rev. W. H. Bown, Dean; the Rev. A. J. Brockway, Secretary; Mr. J. M. Tilden, Treasurer; the Rev. F. P. Winne and Mr. J. M. Tilden, delegates to the Board of Managers.

	Assessment from May, 1894, to May, 1895.	Paid from May, 1894, to May, 1895.	Stipend granted.
Adams .....	\$56 52	\$70 44	\$300 00
Fredericks Corners.....	5 04	3 70	
Antwerp .....	59 40	52 87	200 00
Brownville .....	17 04	17 04	
Evans Mills .....	11 52	10 93	
Glen Park.....	5 04	4 12	
North Watertown.....	18 00	17 14	200 00
Cape Vincent .....	70 08	93 44	150 00
Millens Bay .....		1 09	
Clayton .....	69 96	83 86	200 00
LaFargeville ....	26 40	25 91	
Pierrepont Manor .....	15 60	24 62	100 00
Ellisburgh .....	3 00	6 69	
Sacketts Harbor ....	53 52	68 84	150 00
Dexter ...	5 04	1 26	
Redwood .....	18 24	30 69	
Theresa .....	28 20	38 81	200 00
Copenhagen .....	30 60	25 82	200 00
Champion.....	5 04	7 28	
Constableville.....	52 56	50 50	250 00
Port Leyden .....	16 20	18 75	
Greig .....		1 08	
Great Bend .....	2 52	3 57	
Lowville .....	103 56	52 27	
Watertown, Trinity....	502 80	627 68	
"    Grace.....	295 56	206 41	
Carthage .....	112 20	121 54	
	<hr/> \$1,583 64	<hr/> \$1,666 35	<hr/> \$1,950 00

The officers and members of the first Missionary District gratefully acknowledge the manifest tokens of God's blessing on the Missionary work of the District during the past year. A careful survey of the whole field, with



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diligent study of the reports of the parishes and mission stations will reveal a healthy life or a steady growth in every parish and mission except one, which is without a rector. The Rev. A. J. Brockway was chosen to fill the vacancy in the secretaryship caused by the removal from the District of the Rev. W. Gordon Bentley.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM HENRY BOWN, *Dean*,  
ANSON J. BROCKWAY, *Secretary*.

SECOND DISTRICT.

The Second Missionary District comprises Oneida County, the village of Oneida, and all the rest of Madison County, except the townships including the parishes of Cazenovia, Canastota, Chittenango and Perryville. The mission parishes and stations are: In Oneida County, Augusta, Oriskany Falls, Boonville, Clayville, Bridgewater, Camden, Clark's Mills, Westmoreland, Durhamville, Holland Patent, New York Mills, St. Joseph's, Rome, Whitesboro, Oriskany, Paris Hill and Forestport; in Madison County, Brookfield and Earlville.

The officers of the District are: The Rev. Oliver Owen, Dean; the Rev. James J. Burd, Secretary; Mr. Edward Trevvett, Treasurer; members of the the Board of Managers, the Rev. J. H. Egar, D. D., and Mr. Charles S. Symonds.

Sum assessed on the District by Board of Missions .....	\$2,850 00
Sum allowed the District for its own use .....	2,250 00
Sum appropriated to the parishes and missions .....	1,850 00
Offerings for the year as given in the District Treasurer's Report of April 30, 1895.....	2,029 77
Offerings for the same time plus balance carried over from last year of \$737.72 as reported by Mr. Charles S. Symonds, April 24, 1894,.....	2,769 49
To this should be added \$17.53 reported by him as sent by parishes direct to Mr. Gardner, making a grand total of offerings for the year .....	2,785 02
Sum paid to the Stipendiary Clergy from April 27, 1894, to April 26, 1895, inclusive.. ..	2,284 17
Leaving balance with Mr. Gardner, Treasurer, Syracuse..	500 85
Increase in offerings over last year....	89 09

In the annexed table taken from the District Treasurer's Report the sum paid to some stipendiary parishes and missions seems to be largely in excess of the annual appropriations to the same, the reason being that orders drawn by direction of the Convocation April 27, 1894, which amounted to \$468.75, were not included in the last annual report of the District Treasurer, as his report was dated three days earlier; they are therefore added to the sum of appropriations paid for this conventional year, and comprise in all five quarterly payments. Several changes have been made in the grouping of the missionary parishes since the annual appropriations were made, necessitating some changes in the appropriations.



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	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.	Stipends Paid.
{ Augusta .....	\$12 00	\$1 00	\$150 00	\$142 50
{ Oriskany Falls.....	30 00	35 79		
{ Boonville .....	27 00	12 50	200 00	125 00
{ Forestport ... ..	36 00			
{ Clayville .....	15 00	12 50		
{ Bridgewater .... .	15 00	19 65	350 00	412 50*
{ Brookfield.....	5 00	2 26		
Camden .. .....	36 00	25 45		62 50
{ Clark's Mills .....	12 00	12 00	300 00	375 00*
{ Westmoreland .....	36 00	39 00		
Clinton ... .....	76 00	90 77		
Durhamville... ..	6 00	5 06		
Earlville .....	18 00	18 00	250 00	300 00
Earlville S. School ....		1 25		
Hamilton ... .....	60 00	43 54		
{ New Hartford .....	60 00	35 00		
{ Chadwicks.....	15 00			
{ Whitesboro.....	54 00	18 55	300 00	375 00*
{ New York Mills .....	15 00	3 82		
Oneida . .....	90 00	65 86		
Paris Hill.....	28 00	15 00	250 00	291 67*
Rome, Zion .....	250 00	285 84		
“ St. Joseph's....	12 00	6 84		
Utica, Trinity .....	267 00	181 52		
“ Grace ... ..	818 00	700 09		
“ Calvary.....	267 00	118 00		
“ “ Jun. Aux		10 00		
“ St. George's....	72 00	46 15		
“ St. Luke's .....	180 00	20 30		
“ Holy Cross. ...	80 00	87 92†		
“ St. Andrew's ...	6 00			
{ Oriskany. ....	36 00	8 38	200 00	200 00
{ Holland Patent .....	30 00	9 97		
Waterville .....	100 00	64 12		
“ W. Aux ....		14 90		
Mrs. T. R. Proctor, Utica, N. Y.,		25 00		

The Rev. E. B. Doolittle still faithfully ministers to his flock at Bridgewater and Clayville. Brookfield in Madison County, which formed for a considerable time a part of his important cure, is not now included in his charge. It was impossible for him to do justice either to himself or to his people when he had the care of three places so far separated from each other. It is expected that other arrangements will soon be made for the care of Brookfield; possibly it will be put in the charge of a missionary in connection with Augusta and Oriskany Falls. The work at Clayville progresses. Two new furnaces last winter were placed in the church, and the work paid for by the ladies of the parish. As the church is very much larger than the needs of the parish require, the expense of keeping it in repair is very considerable. At present several hundred dollars could be used to good advantage for this purpose. The church in Bridgewater worships in a “union” building, although for a considerable time the building has not been used for sacred purposes by any other religious body. The church people, therefore, are

\* Including draft ordered by Convocation April 27, 1894.

† Including \$5.92 not credited to “Holy Cross” in Treasurer's Annual Report dated April 24, 1894.

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unwilling to spend much money in improving property to which they have no legal title. A committee has been appointed to try to secure a clear title to the same, but as they have met with many difficulties, it has been thought best to try to secure a new lot and erect on it a modest but churchly building. This project has also met with difficulties. The priest in charge, however, feels that the permanent success of the church work in Bridgewater demands such a building and demands it speedily. It is to be hoped that the committee may be able to secure a desirable lot, and that friends of the church may come to the assistance of the devoted missionary so that he may be able to accomplish his laudable purpose. A very interesting report of St. Timothy's Mission, Brookfield, has been prepared by Captain E. R. D. Mayne who labors so earnestly for the church in that village. He reports the debt on the mission wiped off through the generosity of two ladies of New York city, mother and daughter. They gave in addition \$100 to liquidate any further incidental indebtedness. From St. James' Church, Skaneateles, was received a Mason & Hamlin organ, the Bishop paying for repairs on the same; a handsome altar has also been built by local mechanics, the cost of which was met by the Bishop and the aforesaid ladies. St. Timothy's has now eighteen communicants. On last Ascension Day the church was consecrated by the Bishop. Services have been regularly held every Sunday at 11 A. M., and other times by Captain Mayne.

The Rev. Charles T. Raynor resigned the charge of Augusta and Oriskany Falls last summer. Mr. D. L. Burdett Hamlin, lay reader, has conducted services at the latter place since that time. The Rev. James K. Parker, Rector of Grace Church, Waterville, by arrangement with the Convocation has administered the Holy Communion monthly at both Augusta and Oriskany Falls. This is a temporary arrangement to meet the present necessity until the vacancy be filled. The Dean of the Convocation with the assistance of two lay readers, students in Hamilton College, continues to care for the work in Westmoreland and Clark's Mills. This arrangement has proved very satisfactory and beneficial to these places, the indefatigable and conscientious work of the Dean bearing good fruit there. It is a serious problem how best to care for our rural parishes; but when arrangements so satisfactory as those in force in Westmoreland and Clark's Mills can be made for the spiritual oversight of such parishes, it becomes a matter for hearty congratulation. The hopes concerning Forestport and Boonville expressed in last year's report have not been entirely realized. It has been found difficult, if not impossible, to work Forestport and Boonville as one charge. The priest in charge, therefore, Rev. W. Price James, gives only a celebration of the Holy Communion monthly at Forestport, and devotes the remainder of his time to Boonville. A Sunday School is still maintained at the former place, and it is hoped that with the revival of trade more satisfactory arrangements can be made for fuller services at such an important and otherwise promising place as Forestport. At present the church at Forestport does not seem to be able to contribute much to the support of the missionary or to the Convocation. At Boonville, the priest in charge reports: "Everything is very encouraging; the services are well attended, and the communicants increasing in number."

It was thought that the Rev. A. Harper, who had charge of Whitesboro, Oriskany and New York Mills, had too extensive a field, and a re-arrangement of some of the parishes and missions was made, whereby the Rev. William Cooke was put in charge of Holland Patent and Oriskany; the Rev. Mr. Harper retaining charge of Whitesboro and New York Mills without any diminution of his stipend. He resigned his work last month, returning west; and the Rev. William Cooke was then put in charge of Whitesboro and Oriskany. Mr. Cooke has received a good deal of help from the Utica Local Council of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, in furnishing him with lay

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readers, thus enabling him to maintain regular morning services at Oriskany, for which he desires to express his thanks in this report. He reports a steady improvement at both Oriskany and Whitesboro.

The Rev. Dr. Schulte, Rector of St. Luke's Church, Utica, at present takes charge of the mission at New York Mills.

The Rev. George L. Neide has recently taken charge of Holland Patent.

The Rev. B. E. Whipple has recently resigned the parish of Paris Hill, and the vacancy has been promptly filled by the appointment of the Rev. J. B. Wicks, a former rector of the parish.

The Rev. C. J. Lambert is the missionary in charge of Camden. He reports the organization of a large vested choir.

St. Andrew's Mission, Durhamville, continues under the care of the Rector of St. John's Church, Oneida, assisted by Mr. D. Ward Clarke, lay reader. The church property is in good condition. A new furnace was placed in the church last autumn. Six persons have been confirmed in St. John's Church, Oneida, during the year, from this mission.

The Rev. Joel Davis has been in charge of Earlville since last December. He reports: "The Bishop visited the parish April 30, and confirmed nine persons. The Sunday School has been re-organized and is doing fairly well. On the whole there are indications of prosperity, and I am looking for a prosperous year." Mr. Davis has purchased a residence in the village, which pleases the people very much, as it gives some assurance of permanency to his work there.

The Rev. A. L. Byron-Curtiss of St. Joseph's, Rome, reports: "The spiritual life of the people seems to be quickened; the congregation increased, and general aspect of affairs cheering and most hopeful. A chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew is doing faithful work. An additional furnace was put into the church last winter. The church can now at all times be comfortably warmed; something unknown before." The debt which still remains on St. Joseph's is a great burden. The resources of the parish are practically exhausted in paying the interest, and with the exception of taking the monthly offerings for Diocesan Missions, the people can do little in addition for the minister's support. If this debt were removed they would be able to increase his support, which is much to be desired. St. Joseph's Church is supported at present from the general mission fund of the diocese, and is not a financial charge of the Second District. A resolution recommending that the appropriation from the Board of Missions to this district be increased so that the Second District may be held responsible for the support of St. Joseph's was passed at the April meeting of Convocation.

St. George's, Chadwicks, is cared for by the Rector of St. Stephen's, New Hartford, and will be found reported in the Journal in connection with the latter parish.

The missionary work of the Convocation has been prosecuted with vigor during the year under the wise and conscientious leadership of the Dean. Vacancies have been promptly filled; emergencies have been wisely met; offerings for Diocesan Missions have been very generally and systematically taken; and although few parishes have fully maintained their proper assessments, some have largely increased them, so that on the whole the offerings for Diocesan Missions have exceeded the amount given last year by nearly one hundred dollars. Altogether the Second District can be said to be in a fairly good condition, for which we render devout thanks to Almighty God.

JAMES J. BURD, *Secretary.*

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THIRD DISTRICT.

The Third Missionary Convocation of the Diocese of Central New York consists of the counties of Broome and Chenango. The mission parishes and stations are: in Broome County, Chenango Forks, Harpursville, Whitney's Point and Windsor; in Chenango County, Afton, Bainbridge, Guilford, Mt. Upton and McDonough. The officers of the District are the Rev. R. G. Quennell, Dean, the Rev. W. Ernest Allen, Secretary; Mr. Joseph E. Juliand, Treasurer; the Rev. A. H. Rogers and Mr. Horace O. Moss, delegates to the Board of Managers.

At the meeting of the Board of Managers held in June last, this District was assessed \$1,900 towards the support of the missions in the Diocese, and an appropriation was made to it of \$1,500 for work within its own limits. During the year it has turned into the general treasury \$1,698.78, and has drawn from it for mission work in the District \$1,157.08. It has therefore made an offering to the Diocese of \$541.70, which on the basis of the assessment and appropriation for the current year is \$141.70 more than was asked from it; but as the last year's assessment and appropriation did not terminate until the first of August, 1894, it becomes necessary, in order to see how far this District has fulfilled its obligations to the Diocese, to calculate the first quarter's assessment at the rate of \$2,250 per annum, and the appropriation for the same period at \$1,800. This being done, it is found that the Third District should have made offerings to the extent of \$1,987.50, and was entitled to spend \$1,450; the difference due the Diocese being \$537.50. The District has really given the Diocese \$541.70, and therefore has exceeded its obligation by the sum of \$4.20.

The Missionary Parishes have in general prospered during the year, and it must be conceded that, as a rule, the money appropriated to the several missionaries towards their support has been judiciously bestowed. In one or two cases, perhaps, more might be given by the parishes themselves towards the support of their ministers, but even when this very desirable action shall be taken, as it is believed it will be very soon, the present appropriations should be continued in order that the faithful men in charge of the work may be more properly compensated for their labors.

St. John's, Chenango Forks, has been in charge of a candidate for Holy Orders, acting under the direction of the Dean of the District, since July 1, Mr. Henry E. Hubbard. His selection for this work has proved to be a most admirable one, and a discouraged and disaffected mission has become an earnest, active and united flock, largely due to the tact and judgment of Mr. Hubbard, who was ordered Deacon on June 8, and will continue his labors at this place. He reports eighty-nine Sunday and five weekday services, five celebrations of the Holy Communion, two baptisms, and two persons confirmed. A Sunday School has been organized, which numbers four teachers and twenty-four scholars. Two societies of women are doing most efficient work. A Junior Auxiliary is soon to be formed, and within a short time it is hoped that a chapter of St. Andrew's Brotherhood may be added. This mission last year pledged to raise for the support of their lay reader \$225, besides caring for him from Saturday until Monday every week, which has cost \$50 more. During the coming year the people propose to pledge \$300 at least for that purpose. At Harpursville and Windsor a lay reader, Mr. Fred. B. Keable, was in charge during the summer, and rendered most acceptable service up to September 1. On the first of October the vacancy was filled by the appointment of the Rev. Albert E. Bentley, Deacon, who performed very faithful work in this field until April 1, holding regular services on Sundays and week days in both places. In proof of his fidelity it is reported that notwithstanding the severity of the winter and that the stations are nine miles apart he missed but one appointment, which he could

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not by any possibility have kept owing to the inclemency of the weather. Since April 1 the Dean has visited Harpursville three times, officiating twice and celebrating the Holy Communion once. It is hoped that this, the only vacancy at present existing in the District, may soon be filled. A noteworthy addition to the church furnitnre of St. Luke's, Harpursville, has been made in the gift of an organ, costing \$1,000, by Mr. Thomas Allen, of Glencoe, Ill., but formerly a member of St. Luke's, in memory of his children. Such a gift as this very naturally suggests the expression of the thought that if such practical memorials were more general in churches, and elaborate and costly tombstones less general in cemeteries, how much more likely to be treasured would the memory of the departed be, and how much more than is being done at present could be done for the promotion of God's glory in the salvation of the souls of His people.

At Grace Church, Whitney's Point, the Rev. James A. Robinson continues his zealous and most efficient work. He has held regular services during the year on Sundays and week days, unless when providentially hindered by more than one most serious illness, besides aiding his brethren by occasional ministrations elsewhere. He reports that the general average of attendance upon public worship has been larger than for several years, and that the interest of the people in the prosperity of the parish and the welfare of the church at large has increased materially. A meeting of Convocation held in September last at this place had a marked effect upon the people; and some at least learned at that time what false impressions they had held in regard to the church. On March 3, Mr. Robinson baptized seven adult persons, five of whom had never been accustomed to attend the services of the church up to a year ago, and on the 8th of the same month the Bishop confirmed a class of eight, all of whom have been admitted to the Holy Communion.

Up to the 1st of September, the Rev. A. G. Singesen continued his indefatigable labors at Afton and Bainbridge, when he left to assume charge of a parish in Ohio, from which he retired after a brief sojourn of six weeks, to take missionary work in the First District of this Diocese, having suffered grievously from "homesickness." On the 1st of November, he was succeeded by the Rev. Walter E. Bentley, who came to us from the First District, and has proved himself a zealous and faithful missionary. In St. Peter's Church, Bainbridge, there have been regular services on Sundays with a weekly celebration of the Holy Communion, six adults have been baptized, nine persons confirmed. A chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew has been formed with fourteen members, and the vested choir has been re-organized and enlarged. The pledge and envelope plan for Diocesan Missions was begun at Easter, and already the offerings show a marked increase. At St. Ann's, Afton, regular services have been held on Sundays and on Wednesday evenings during Lent. On Easter day a vested choir was introduced and is doing good service. There have been three adult and two infant baptisms, mainly the result of extra and special services held at Vallonia Springs, a hamlet about four miles from Afton, where considerable interest in the church has been manifested.

Rev. William Higgs continues his efficient work at Calvary Church, McDonough, holding services on Sundays and week days with systematic regularity. This little place, lying near the western edge of Chenango County, is practically isolated, being at least twelve miles from Greene and Oxford, and without the advantages which the railroad gives to them, its nearest neighbors. Still there are life and activity here in church matters and the work goes on well. The missionary offerings are regularly made and remitted, and only need to be slightly increased to reach a position second to but few places in the District.

The work at Guilford and Mt. Upton in care of the Rev. George G. Perrine, was never more faithfully performed than it is now. The rector is

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efficient and most faithful; the people responsive and ready not only to receive the truth but to act upon it. The services have been regularly maintained during the year, and deep interest has been manifested in divine worship as well as in all good works. That this statement is the distinct truth may be most surely believed since ample evidence of it is furnished by the restored church building, the beauties and completeness of which testify to the love and earnest endeavors which have united to secure them. The endowment fund of the parish, which is made up of birthday and thank offerings, amounts to something more than \$500, and that sum has been placed in the hands of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund for investment. An increase has been made in the insurance of the church property. It would be hard to find a more complete or better type of a small rural parish than is furnished to the church by Christ Church, Guilford.

R. G. QUENNEL, *Dean*,  
W. ERNEST ALLEN, *Secretary*.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

The Fourth District comprises Onondaga, Oswego and Cortland Counties and the parishes of Madison County not included in the Second District.

The mission stations are: In Onondaga County, Calvary, and St. Luke's, Syracuse, the Indian Reservation, Manlius with Jamesville, and Marcellus; in Oswego County, Cleveland with Constantia, Fulton, Lacona with Redfield and Sandbank, Mexico and Pulaski; in Madison County, Canastota with Chittenango.

The officers are the Dean, the Rev. P. N. Meade; Secretary, the Rev. W. DeL. Wilson; Treasurer, Mr. Geo. J. Gardner; members of the Board of Managers, the Secretary and Mr. George C. McWhorter.

What is known as the Associate Mission, Syracuse, consists of the Missions of Calvary and St. Luke's, and is under the charge of the Rev. J. E. Johnson, assisted by the Rev. Wm. H. van Allen.

At Calvary the usual services of the church are held, and at St. Luke's a flourishing Sunday School has its session in the afternoon under the direction of Mr. Johnson, and Sunday evening services have been conducted by the Rev. Mr. van Allen. There was no stipend appropriated by the Board for this mission this year. The offerings from Calvary have been \$22.50, the assessment is \$25.

Emmanuel, East Syracuse, has exhibited unusual enthusiasm the past year, and has so far increased its offerings as to provide in part for a resident priest. The Rev. Mr. Fletcher took charge in December, 1894, and speaks most hopefully of his work. He contemplates mission services near the city line, with the assistance of Brotherhood men, in a rapidly growing suburb of the city. Emmanuel makes a reasonable request for a temporary stipend to help it in its laudible ambition to become self-supporting. \$3.50 has been received for Diocesan Missions, the assessment is \$10.

The Church of St. John the Divine, assisted by a stipend from St. Paul's Church, under the ministry of the Rev. D. B. Matthews, continues its good work in the southern portion of Syracuse, and during the winter has provided services at a mission known as St. Stephen's at the southern boundary of the city. The offerings have been \$39.37, the assessment is \$70.

The Rev. Dr. Hudson, of Trinity Church, reports the re-opening of a mission in the south western district, with good attendance and other hopeful features.

The Rev. John Scott, with a native deacon, the Rev. Albert Cusick, continue their faithful ministrations to the red men at the State Reservation with the same measure of success as in past years. The mission is supported by the Woman's Auxiliary.



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The Rev. Dr. Babcock at Manlius and Jamesville, with the assistance of Col. Wm. Verbeck at the former, and Mr. F. B. Keable, of the Divinity School at the latter, affords an object lesson of what the church may do in country villages where the life is stagnant and the population decreasing. At both places the congregations are regular and devout. At Manlius there is a surprising enthusiasm for missions, as well as parochial work, and at Jamesville there has been a material increase in congregation and offerings. The stipend is \$200, the assessments are \$50 and \$20, the offerings \$50 and \$22.

The venerable Robert Paul, of Pulaski, has been highly favored during the past year with good congregations, encouraging offerings and the presentation of an interesting class for confirmation. The offerings have been \$27.33, the assessment is \$30, the stipend is \$200.

The Rev. George F. Potter reports encouragingly for Marcellus. Besides the usual Sunday services, special Lenten services are held with good results. The congregations have nearly doubled, ten have been baptized and six confirmed, and an effort is now being made to provide for his residence in the parish. The stipend is \$100, the assessment \$25, the offering \$30.42.

The Rev. George L. Neide has resigned his rectorship at Cleveland and Constantia, owing to continued removals and consequent decreasing congregations. It is probable that this mission will be served by a lay reader for the present. The stipend has been \$300, the assessment \$25, the offerings \$25.

The Rev. Daniel Daly is righteously exultant over the completion of his ambitious work to build and pay for his church at Lacona. It is expected that the congregation will now be able to contribute a material sum towards the support of its missionary.

The Rev. B. E. Whipple will provide priestly ministrations at Lacona Sandbank and Redfield during the coming year. The stipend is \$250, the assessment at Lacona is \$10, the offerings have been, Lacona \$4.91, Albion \$5.40.

Mexico has been served by Mr. H. S. Sizer of St. Andrew's Divinity School, and reports improvement in church attendance and offerings. Mr. Sizer has begun a Sunday School at a small hamlet about a mile out of the village. The Rev. H. M. Clarke, of Fulton, has administered the Holy Communion at Mexico each month. The stipend is \$100, the assessment \$30, the offerings have been \$24.80.

Zion, Fulton, rejoices in release from a debt that has been a burden for many years. The Rev. Dr. Clarke reports an increase in families and communicants. The stipend is \$200, the assessment \$55, and has been paid.

Calvary, Homer, receives no stipend from the District, as its missionary receives part of his support from the Sixth District, and his stipend through the same source. The assessment is \$25, the offerings have been \$35.

The Rev. George H. Ottaway continues his efficient ministrations at Canastota and Chittenango, and the missions are steadily growing in material and spiritual things. The stipend is \$150, the offerings have been \$15.26 and \$9.90, the assessments are \$15 and \$10.

The Dean and Secretary made several visits to Phoenix, where the services of the church were held many years ago, and found some twenty communicants and others desiring the services of the church. There is reason to believe that a prosperous mission could be maintained there, but the stipend necessary to its operation cannot be provided with the present appropriation to the District.

The assessments and offerings not reported above are as follows:

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	Assessment.	Offerings.
Christ Church, Oswego.....	\$365 00	\$229 78
Evangelists, Oswego .....	50 00	19 10
Grace, Baldwinsville .....	90 00	28 49
Trinity, Fayetteville .....	60 00	16 56
Christ Church, Jordan .....	25 00	4 35
St. James', Skaneateles.....	225 00	191 55
St. James', Syracuse .....	100 00	1 00
St. Paul's, Syracuse .....	550 00	410 16
Grace, Syracuse .. .....	70 00	39 70
St. John's, Syracuse.....	70 00	39 37
St. Mark's, Syracuse.....	65 00	94 30
Trinity, Syracuse .....	100 00	
Grace, Cortland .....	75 00	66 01
St. Peter's, Cazenovia .....	150 00	142 02

P. N. MEADE, *Dean.*  
W. DEL. WILSON, *Secretary.*

FIFTH DISTRICT.

The Fifth Missionary District comprises the counties of Seneca and Cayuga. The Mission parishes and stations are: In Seneca county, Willowdale, Dey's Landing, Romulus, Jerusalem, Willard and Hayt's Corners; in Cayuga county, Aurora, Union Springs, Cayuga, Moravia, Weedsport, Port Byron, and St. John's Church, Auburn.

The officers are: The Rev. R. M. Duff, S. T. D., Dean; the Rev. C. W. MacNish, Secretary; Mr. A. N. Hollister, Treasurer; members of the Board of Managers, the Secretary and Treasurer.

The Rev. C. W. MacNish reports the usual progress in his missionary field in spite of many deaths and removals. At each of his missions an interest was taken in the needs of the Nebraska sufferers, and four barrels of clothing valued at \$100 were sent from Willard and five barrels of clothing and provisions to the value of \$100 were sent from Hayt's Corners, besides about \$30 in money.

At Willard the average number of communicants on Communion Sundays has been much larger than ever before. At Hayt's Corners there has been a large acquisition to the choir, the members of which are drilled every week by a competent instructor, and the congregations will average one-third larger than a year ago.

St. Matthew's Church, Moravia, has enjoyed a prosperous year under the continued rectorship of the Rev. J. B. Murray, D. D. Occasional services have also been held in the neighborhood. There is great need of a new church edifice in Moravia, and it is hoped that with the coming of better times sufficient funds can be raised to secure it.

St John's Church, Auburn, is making great progress under its wise and energetic rectorship of the Rev. C. N. Clement Brown. A good sized and well arranged house, just across the street from the church, has been rented for use as a Guild House and also affords accommodations for the rector. The local chapter of St. Andrew's Brotherhood continues its interest and zeal, and proposes to start, if possible, a mission in Sennett, a village near Auburn on the line of the New York Central. The promising mission at Spring Lake started and maintained by the Brotherhood, will also be looked after as formerly, unless other and more convenient arrangements can be made.

The mission parishes of Cayuga, Union Springs and Aurora are still faithfully served by the Rev. Wm. H. Casey and their condition is most satisfactory.



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At Weedsport and Port Byron, services have been held by lay readers from the Divinity School in Syracuse. Unfortunately the church life in these missions seems to be at a low ebb, and it is a perplexing question as to how it can be invigorated. Undoubtedly, if they could have the constant attention of a missionary in Priest's Orders, there would be a great change for the better.

St. Stephen's Church, Romulus, has been faithfully served during the year by a lay reader, Mr. Herbert H. Fox, of Hobart College. Three persons have been baptized, two adults and one infant. It is hoped that another year there will be a class for confirmation. One hundred and seven services, including weekday, were held, and there were three celebrations of the Holy Communion. It is said that the strength of a church can be measured by the amount it gives for missions. As this is evidently true, the church in Romulus is stronger than last year. Offerings have been made for a large number of Diocesan and general objects, and all expenses of the parish have been met. New Prayer Books and Hymnals have also been provided for the church. The District owes a debt of gratitude to Mr. Fox for his zealous and efficient services.

No reports have been received from Willowdale, Jerusalem or Dey's Landing.

The financial condition of the District can be learned by reference to the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers.

The Dean has visited nine missions during the year, celebrated Holy Communion four times, and baptized three persons.

R. M. DUFF, *Dean*,

C. W. MacNISH, *Secretary*.

## SIXTH DISTRICT.

The Sixth Missionary District comprises the Counties of Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins. The mission parishes and stations are Big Flats, Horseheads, Emmanuel, Elmira, Wellsburg, Millport, Candor, Smithboro, Spencer, Van Etten, Waverly, McLean, Slaterville, Speedsville, and Trumansburg.

The officers are: The Rev. G. H. McKnight, D. D., Dean; the Rev. D. L. Ferris, Secretary; Mr. H. V. Bostwick, Treasurer. Members of the Diocesan Board of Missions, the Rev. D. L. Ferris and Mr. Luther Barney, Elmira.

The Rev. C. D. Atwell is in charge at Emmanuel, Elmira, and at Wellsburg. The Lenten work at Emmanuel has been a marked feature of parochial work, and through many channels of renewed zeal and faithfulness is bearing fruit. The people are giving to the point of self-denial to get their missions more nearly on a self-supporting basis.

The Rev. W. N. Hawken has since the last Convention resigned his charges at Havana and Millport to go to Addison. The work at Millport has during the year been carried forward by the Rev. Arthur Davies, Deacon. The Bishop confirmed a large class here in October.

Smithboro is still supplied by the Rev. J. F. Esch.

Van Etten and Spencer are under the care of the Rev. G. Wharton McMullen. There seems to be a tentative growth at both these missions. At Spencer the subject of a church edifice is being considered and in the near future the faithful band of workers hope to be worshipping in a consecrated building rather than the town hall. At Van Etten regular Sunday services have been held, also on all holy and saint's days and daily during Lent.

The Rev. D. A. Parce has the difficult triangular charge of Slaterville, Candor and Speedsville. Ordained Deacon in October he has served in that office faithfully. Neighboring clergy have assisted him and the Holy Communion has been administered to each charge.

The Rev. Charles Donohue having gone to Brooklyn, the Rev. W. G.

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Bently accepted a call to Waverly, entering upon his duties the First Sunday in Advent. In addition to the full number of services, with frequent baptisms and confirmation class, he has maintained the services every Sunday at the Mission Sunday School in South Waverly. He has also celebrated the Holy Communion at Van Etten, Spencer, Slaterville, Speedsville and Candor.

Trumansburgh has no resident rector. The parish suffers from lack of steady services, and a settled plan of work. Out of debt and handsomely equipped, it should not be difficult to have regular services.

The Dean reports services at the Reformatory and Arnot-Ogden Hospital.

At McLean a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary has been organized, and the growth of the parish, while slow, is healthy, and under the Rev. Parker Fenno is doing nicely.

Big Flats and Horseheads are cared for by the Rev. D. L. Ferris. The latter particularly suffers from removals. The Missionary holds three services every Sunday, besides a fourteen mile drive and the Sunday Schools. Both parishes have a strong moral tone and are working harmoniously.

In the removal of the Rev. W. E. Wright from Grace Church, Elmira, to New Jersey, the Convocation as well as the Diocese suffers the loss of an able and faithful Presbyter.

The sum assessed the District by the Board of Managers \$1,000, by Convocation \$1,038, deficit \$62. The sum appropriated by the Board \$2,150, by Convocation \$2,325, overplus \$175.

	Assessment July, 1894, to July, 1895.	Amount paid July, 1894, to May, 1895.	Stipends.	Paid for Stipends April, 1894 to April 1895.
Emmanuel, Elmira .....	\$30 00	\$18 61	\$475 00	*\$579 10
St. Matthews', Horseheads...	25 00	21 89	200 00 }	400 00
St. John's, Big Flats, .....	15 00	12 53	200 00 }	
St. Thomas', Van Etten .....	20 00	14 31	200 00 }	241 65
St. John's, Spencer .....	10 00	6 89	50 00 }	
Emmanuel, Smithboro .....	6 00	3 60	250 00	258 34
Grace, Waverly .....	30 00	24 50	300 00	225 00
St. Mark's, Millport.....	20 00	20 00	150 00	125 00
Zion, McLean .....	15 00	11 00	100 00	99 93
Christ Church, Wellsburg ...	12 00	5 39	100 00	
Epiphany, Trumansburg ....	50 00		200 00	
St. Mark's, Candor .....	30 00	26 50	100 00	100 00
St. John's, Speedsville .....	5 00	5 00		
St. Thomas', Slaterville ...	20 00	13 57		50 00
Grace, Elmira.....	100 00	31 97		
Trinity, Elmira.....	300 00	248 32		
St. Paul's, Owego .....	50 00	56 85		
St. John's, Ithaca.....	300 00	217 08		
	<u>\$1,038 00</u>	<u>\$733 01</u>	<u>\$2,325 00</u>	<u>\$2,079 03</u>

\* Stipend of Christ Church, Wellsburg, added.

The overplus in appropriations has been balanced by Trumansburg receiving no stipend. There are also no Diocesan offerings from there.

This report shows the offerings only for the Convocation year from July, 1894, to May, 1895. Nearly all of the assessments will be met before July.

GEORGE H. McKNIGHT, *Dean.*

D. L. FERRIS, *Secretary.*

It is evident from the foregoing reports that the missionary work of the Diocese has progressed favorably during the past year. This is the more encouraging from the fact that even up to the present time, certainly during

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the first eight months which this report covers, church finances have everywhere suffered from the business depression. With better times apparently coming, we may look forward encouragingly to the future.

Respectfully submitted for the Board of Managers.

WM. BOURS CLARKE, *Secretary.*

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Managers for Diocesan Missions, in Trihity Church, Elmira, June 12, 1895, the Convention having voted to appropriate the sum of \$10,900 for the missionary work of the Diocese for the ensuing year, and to meet the deficit in the missionary treasury, the following assessments and apportionments were made:

First District, Assessed . . . . .	\$1,550	Apportioned . . . . .	\$1,900
Second District, " . . . . .	2,850	" . . . . .	2,450*
Third District, " . . . . .	1,900	" . . . . .	1,500
Fourth District, " . . . . .	2,100	" . . . . .	1,400
Fifth District, " . . . . .	1,400	" . . . . .	1,600
Sixth District, " . . . . .	1,100	" . . . . .	2,050

WM. BOURS CLARKE, *Secretary.*

(2.) Report of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers.

DISTRICT No. 1.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
{ Adams . . . . .	\$56 52	\$70 44	\$300 00
{ Frederick's Corners . . . . .	5 04	3 70	
{ Antwerp . . . . .	59 40	52 87	200 00
{ Evan's Mills . . . . .	11 52	10 73	
{ Brownville . . . . .	17 04	25 18	200 00
{ Glen Park, . . . . .	5 04	4 12	
{ North Watertown . . . . .	18 00	15 64	
{ Cape Vincent . . . . .	70 08	88 56	150 00
{ Millen's Bay . . . . .		1 97	
{ Carthage . . . . .	112 20	121 54	
{ Champion . . . . .	5 04	6 86	200 00
{ Copenhagen . . . . .	30 60	25 82	
{ Clayton . . . . .	69 96	53 88	200 00
{ LaFargeville . . . . .	26 40	23 31	
{ Sacketts Harbor . . . . .	53 52	68 84	150 00
{ Dexter . . . . .	5 04	1 26	
{ Pierrepont Manor . . . . .	15 60	24 62	100 00
{ Ellisburgh . . . . .	3 00	6 69	
{ Grace, Watertown . . . . .	295 56	206 41	
{ Trinity, " . . . . .	502 80	627 68	
{ Theresa . . . . .	23 20	38 81	200 00
{ Redwood . . . . .	18 24	30 69	
{ Constableville . . . . .	52 26	50 50	250 00
{ Port Leyden . . . . .	16 20	17 40	
{ Greig . . . . .		1 08	
{ Great Bend . . . . .	2 52	3 57	
{ Lowville . . . . .	103 56	52 27	
	\$1,583 64	\$1,639 44	\$1,950 00

\* By action of the Board, the Second District is now responsible for the stipend of St. Joseph's, Rome.

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DISTRICT No. 2.			
	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
{ Augusta.....	\$12 00	\$1 00	\$143 50
{ Oriskany Falls.....	80 00	85 79	
{ Boonville .....	27 00	12 50	125 00
{ Forestport.....	26 00		
{ Clayville .....	15 00	12 50	419 50
{ Bridgewater.....	15 00	19 65	
{ Brookfield.....	5 00	2 26	
{ Camden.....	38 00	25 45	62 50
{ Clarks Mills .....	12 00	12 00	275 00
{ Westmoreland.....	38 00	39 00	
{ Clinton.....	96 00	90 78	
{ Chadwicks .....	15 00		
{ Oriskany.....	36 00	8 38	200 00
{ Holland Patent.....	80 00	9 97	
{ New Hartford.....	60 00	35 00	
{ Paris Hill .....	28 00	15 00	291 67
{ Rome, Zion. ....	250 00	285 84	
" St. Joseph's.....	12 00	6 84	
{ Utica, Calvary.....	267 00	100 00	
" Grace .....	818 00	728 09	
" St. George's.....	72 00	46 15	
" St. Andrew's.....	5 00		
" Holy Cross.....	80 00	87 92	
" St. Luke's.....	180 00	20 30	
" Trinity .....	267 00	181 54	
{ Waterville .....	100 00	64 13	
{ Whitesboro .....	54 00	18 55	375 00
{ New York Mills .....	15 00	8 82	
{ Earlville .....	18 00	18 00	300 00
{ Hamilton .....	60 00	43 54	
{ Oneida.....	90 00	60 81	
{ Durhamville.....	6 00	5 06	
	<hr/> \$2,784 00	<hr/> \$1,989 87	<hr/> \$2,284 17

DISTRICT No. 3.			
	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Binghamton, Christ Church..	\$300 00	\$267 84	
" Good Shepherd.	60 00	39 90	
" Trinity Memor'l	300 00	280 28	
" Christ Ch. M'n,		4 67	
{ Windsor.....	35 00	35 24	\$200 00
{ Harpursville .....	20 00	20 50	
{ Bainbridge .....	50 00	42 79	200 00
{ Afton.....	25 00	17 16	
{ Chenango Forks.....	25 00	12 90	125 00
{ Greene.....	225 00	225 00	
{ Guilford.....	60 00	76 05	250 00
{ Mt. Upton.....	5 00	7 55	
{ New Berlin.....	180 00	174 53	
{ Norwich ...	85 00	85 89	
{ Oxford.....	250 00	299 81	
{ Sherburne.....	75 00	56 98	
{ Whitney's Point .....	30 00	17 88	250 00
{ McDonough.....	20 00	26 83	800 00
	<hr/> \$1,765 00	<hr/> \$1,698 78	<hr/> \$1,325 00

*Missionary Report : Assessments—Offerings—Stipends.*

## DISTRICT No. 4.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Cazenovia .....	\$150 00	\$142 02	
Canastota .....	15 00	15 26	
Chittenango.....	10 00	9 90	
Cleveland.....	25 00	25 00	300 00
Fulton.....	55 00	55 00	200 00
Mexico .....	30 00	24 80	100 00
Oswego, Christ Church, .....	365 00	71 73	
"    Evangelists .....	50 00	19 10	
Pulaski .....	30 00	27 33	200 00
Baldwinsville .....	90 00	28 49	
Fayetteville .....	60 00	16 56	
{ Manlius.....	50 00	50 00	200 00
{ Jamesville.....	20 00	22 00	
{ Redfield.....			250 00
{ Sand Bank .....		5 40	
{ Lacona .....		4 91	
Jordan.....	25 00	4 35	
Marcellus .....	25 00	30 42	120 00
Skaneateles .....	225 00	191 55	
Syracuse, St. James' .....	100 00	1 00	
"    St. Paul's.....	500 00	410 16	
"    Trinity .....	100 00		
"    Grace .....	70 00	39 70	
"    Calvary .....	25 00	22 50	
"    St. John's .....	70 00	39 37	
"    St. Mark's .....	65 00	94 30	
East Syracuse .....	10 00	3 50	
Cortland .....	65 00	66 01	
Homer.....	25 00	35	
	<u>\$2,255 00</u>	<u>\$1,420 71</u>	<u>\$1,370 00</u>

## DISTRICT No. 5.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Convocation .....		\$ 6 26	
Auburn, St. Peter's.....	\$300 00	308 00	
"    St. John's.....	32 50	34 51	200 00
{ Union Springs.....	39 00	39 00	
{ Aurora .....	58 00	60 00	225 00
{ Cayuga .....	26 00	26 00	225 00
Moravia .....	75 00	68 75	300 00
Northville .....	5 00		
Weedsport .....	10 00		
Port Byron .....	5 00		
Seneca Falls.....	300 00	255 80	
Waterloo .....	200 00	168 50	
Dey's Landing.....		7 02	
Willowdale .....	50 00	24 02	100 00
{ Willard ...	75 00	75 03	250 00
{ Hayt's Corners .....	20 00	16 38	250 00
Romulus .....	36 00	36 40	150 00
Spring Lake .....	5 00		
Kidder's Ferry.....	10 00		
Jerusalem .....		5 28	
	<u>\$1,246 50</u>	<u>\$1,130 95</u>	<u>\$1,700 00</u>

*Missionary Report : Assessments—Offerings—Stipends.*

DISTRICT No. 6.

	Assessments.	Offerings.	Stipends.
Big Flats .....	\$15 00	\$14 28	\$200 00
Elmira, Trinity.....	300 00	271 32	
“ Grace.....	100 00	31 96	
“ Emmanuel .....	30 00	18 61	475 00
Horseheads .....	25 00	24 89	200 00
Candor .....	30 00	31 00	150 00
Owego .....	50 00	65 70	
Waverly .....	30 00	88 05	275 00
Ithaca, St. John's .....	300 00	285 76	
McLean... ..	15 00	13 00	200 00
Speedsville .....	5 00	4 91	200 00
Trumansburgh .....	50 00		
Smithboro.....	6 00	5 10	250 00
Wellsburgh .....	12 00	15 39	100 00
Millport .....	20 00	20 00	150 00
Spencer.....	10 00	8 34	50 00
Van Etten .....	20 00	21 33	200 00
Slaterville.....	20 00	8 00	150 00
	<u>\$1,038 00</u>	<u>\$877 64</u>	<u>\$2,600 00</u>

RECAPITULATION.

	Assessed.	Paid thereon.	Appropriated for Stipends.	Stipends Paid.
First District.....	\$1,550 00	\$1,639 44	\$1,900 00	\$1,788 90
Second District ....	2,850 00	2,004 77	2,150 00	1,815 42
Third District .....	1,900 00	1,698 78	1,500 00	1,173 75
Fourth District ....	2,300 00	1,499 71	1,500 00	1,495 16
Fifth District.....	1,400 00	1,130 95	1,700 00	1,683 13
Sixth District.....	1,100 00	877 64	2,150 00	2,079 15
At Large .....			1,200 00	400 00
	<u>\$11,100 00</u>	<u>\$8,851 29</u>	<u>\$12,100 00</u>	<u>\$10,485 51</u>

STATEMENT.

Amount authorized to be raised..... \$12,100.

Average monthly, \$1,008.33.

Amount actually contributed by parishes, &c., \$8,884.79.

Average monthly offerings, \$740.40.

Amount of offerings by parishes, &c. ....	\$8,757 39
Amount from B. W. A.....	93 90
Miscellaneous receipts.....	46 00
Income Permanent Mission Fund, \$942.94; balance last year, \$225.65 .....	1,168 59
	<u>\$10,065 88</u>
Stipends and sundry expenses paid by Treasurer, as per his report	\$10,586 80
Balance due Treasurer, April 30, 1894 .....	421 75
	<u>\$11,008 55</u>

Amount of fund overdrawn, April 30, 1895, \$942.67.

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*Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.*


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### C. Report of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Tabulated Report of the work of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of Central New York for the year ending May 1, 1895:

*First District.*—In boxes, \$801.23; in money, \$314.50; total, \$1,115.73.

*Second District.*—In boxes, \$2,149.23; in money, \$1,858.63; total, \$4,007.86.

*Third District.*—In boxes, \$665.88; in money, \$237.85; total, \$903.73.

*Fourth District.*—In boxes, \$833.41; in money, \$409.14; total, \$1,242.55.

*Fifth District.*—In boxes, \$870.42; in money, \$243.51; total, \$1,113.93.

*Sixth District.*—In boxes, \$608.88; in money, \$154.93; total, 763.81.

Total amount in boxes..... \$5,929 05

Total amount in money..... \$3,218 56

Total amount in both boxes and money..... \$9,147 61

Report of the Junior Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, for the year ending May 1, 1895.

*First District.*—In boxes, \$103.61; in money, \$83.65; total, \$187.26.

*Second District.*—In boxes, \$358 69; in money, 528.32; total, \$887.01.

*Third District.*—In boxes, \$503.94; in money, \$107.31; total, \$611.25.

*Fourth District.*—In boxes, \$276.50; in money, \$245.73; total, \$522.23.

*Sixth District.*—In boxes, \$73.03; in money, \$52.80; total, \$125.83.

(There is no Junior organization in the *Fifth District*.)

Total amount in boxes, ..... \$1,315 77

Total amount in money,..... 1,017 81

Total amount in both boxes and money..... 2,333 58

Grand total accomplished in Diocese by both Senior  
and Junior Branches ..... 11,481 19

EMMA V. CHITTENDEN,  
*Diocesan Secretary.*

*Report of the Girl's Friendly Society.*

**D. Report of the Girl's Friendly Society.**

FROM JUNE, 1894 TO JUNE, 1895.

One year ago we had 86 Working Associates, 86 Honorary Associates, 355 Members, 264 Candidates. Now we have 107 Working Associates, 87 Honorary Associates, 404 Members and 300 Candidates.

From these figures it will be seen that our gain has been considerable, especially in working associates and in members, and this is most encouraging; but those of us who have seen what the Girl's Friendly Society has accomplished in parishes where it has had a fair trial, are by no means satisfied with its present numbers in our Diocese. There are two facts which necessarily render the growth of the Girl's Friendly Society slow, as compared with some other religious organizations of the present age. 1st. Very little is known of the Society in localities where it has not been introduced. 2d There is a very laudable inclination on the part of conscientious Churchwomen to weigh well and long solemn responsibilities before assuming them. In some of our larger cities, two or three years of deep interest in, and preparation for the work, has preceded the organizing of a Branch of the Girl's Friendly Society. This is well, if not carried to a morbid extent, as in an occasional individual case of an earnest and capable woman, who has served several times the three months' probation required of those who wish to become working associates; but who, though thoroughly enlisted in the work, yet stands outside and declines to be regularly admitted, on the ground that she is not ready to take upon herself the promises required of her at her formal reception into the society. Now it is quite apparent to one who considers the matter in a thoroughly practical light, that no vows could be more solemn or binding than those of our baptism, which we ratify at our confirmation; in fact all of our Christian duties are comprehended in them; and the Girl's Friendly Society is only an organized force within the church to help to do the church's work. But one of the tendencies of the age is to shirk responsibility, and our society is not exempt from the influence of this besetting weakness which so often stands in the way of valuable work being accomplished. One thing more we must not overlook if we would aim at accomplishing the best results. At the forming of a branch and thereafter too much care cannot be taken in the selection of working associates. With suitable and devoted women as workers there is almost no limit to the good which the Girl's Friendly can accomplish. While the majority of those who are willing to be working associates are faithful and true-hearted women, who bring with them a strong determination to do with their might whatever their hands find to do in the relation of associate; yet it quite frequently happens that some well-meaning but superficial young woman fancies that she would like to be connected with the Girl's Friendly Society, it may be from an honest impulse to be useful to the girls, or possibly because she desires to be associated with those who are over them in the society. In either case the necessary probation of three months should prove whether or not she is willing to give her time and attention to the work. It is needless to add that one who allows anything but sickness or stern necessity to keep her from performing her obligations, can hardly hope to influence her young charges to perform theirs. It is also quite clear that working associates who come frequently to the weekly meetings, but spend much of their time in visiting with one another apart from the members, perhaps occasionally inquiring in a helpless manner "if there is anything that they can do." are not very helpful to the Branch Secretary.

Last year I endeavored to show more particularly the relation of the Girl's Friendly Society to the other parish organizations, and to emphasize the fact



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that it is a valuable auxiliary to parish work. Now it is my purpose to try and point out the eminently practical character of the work in relation to the girls themselves. To illustrate this one cannot do better than to quote from the testimony of one of the leading physicians in the State who is not himself a communicant of the Episcopal Church, but whose benevolence and large heartedness render him appreciative of good work in whatever quarter he finds it. In a lecture given by him recently before an association of denominational pastors in one of our larger cities, he compared the methods used in the Girl's Friendly to those employed in the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, showing that while the latter appeals to the emotions of its members the former deals with the common sense and every day needs of the girls who belong to it. The doctor said that the Girl's Friendly teaches girls to keep themselves clean, if need be, and that to his knowledge it had accomplished excellent work in general. No more cheering words could have reached our ears, especially as we go on from week to week, often with little that appears encouraging, and frequently with obstacles which it seems well nigh impossible to overcome, and with none of the eclat and bustle which accompany a popular movement among young people of both sexes like the Christian Endeavor. Our great object is of course to promote the purity of heart, of which outward cleanliness is a type, and this is accomplished only by "line upon line, and precept upon precept," together with constant kindness and watchfulness on the part of those who undertake the task. The great latitude allowed us, outside the keeping of the three central rules of the society, renders it possible for each branch to try to minister to the special needs of its members. One which is composed almost entirely of mill workers especially needs mental recreation and stimulus; and while it would not be in the power of many of our Branches to arrange and carry out a "Holmes" evening, like one which was a most gratifying success in one of our most flourishing branches during the past winter, or to exhibit such "living pictures" as were given by another last autumn, yet in every branch there may be and is something which helps to elevate and instruct our girls, in a different line from the ordinary routine of our lives, as well as to teach them plain sewing and cooking.

The *Girl's Friendly Magazine*, now quite generally taken by our associates and members, is brim full of practical suggestions presented in a racy manner, and makes us very proud to remember that its editor is our own Bishop's daughter, and almost a life long resident of this Diocese. While she continues to present the charming stories and articles which make it so attractive to our girls, we are confident that she will keep up the religious and churchly standard which has always distinguished it from the organs of societies of girls outside the church, and which was set up by those earnest ones who introduced the Girl's Friendly into America.

In glancing over our Branch reports, we notice lessons in dressmaking, millinery and mending, as well as in physical culture, geography and history. The record also shows a good deal of missionary work done, sometimes in assisting the Woman's Auxiliary, and often in aiding the poor at Christmas and at other times. In one small Branch it was discovered that two young and motherless members were sadly in need of clothing, and too proud to let it be known to outsiders. The society accordingly purchased materials and made up a very complete outfit for the destitute girls, and it was touching to see the sincere interest manifested by the older members, and how it was taken for granted by all that the society should give and the poorer members receive the help so much needed. Not one careless word or look from the younger girls ever made the recipients feel that they were objects of charity. I have often felt that the Girl's Friendly Society is an illustration of the sympathy which should exist between members of the body of Christ. We kneel at one altar and partake of the same heavenly food, knowing that we are on an equality in God's sight, and yet it is so natural for each of us to go our own way with

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the companions most congenial to us, and to forget that those outside of our circle of friends have any social claims upon us. If we know of cases of poverty and destitution we are willing to give for their relief, but there we would have our accountability end. It is just here that one of the most noticeable results of the Girl's Friendly Society is apparent. In parishes where women and young girls of different classes have lived on year after year with no common interest, and each alike indifferent to the other's welfare, a branch of the Girl's Friendly has effected a complete transformation, and cultured women have found that in interesting themselves in the lives of their less favored younger sisters, they have received as well as given some of the best gifts in their Christian experience. Not that the recognition of these duties and privileges should do away with intimacies which can only exist between those who are intellectually and socially equal, but that such a society as the Girl's Friendly helps us to realize that we have first responsibilities incumbent upon us as members of the one household, with which our own social pleasures and associations cannot interfere without serious detriment to our lives and characters as Christian women.

There is great significance in the beautiful prayer which is used daily by the thousands of members and associates of the Girl's Friendly Society all over the world, and in which our girls join so heartily at the close of each weekly meeting:

"O Lord, our Heavenly Father, we beseech Thee to bless us, and all who belong to the Girl's Friendly Society. May its members be sheltered and protected ever more by Thy Fatherly love, and to its Associates vouchsafe the help and guidance of Thy Holy Spirit. Help us all to bear one another's burdens, to live not for ourselves, but for others, as members of one family in Christ; wash us from our sins in His precious blood; make us holy by the indwelling of Thy Holy Spirit, and bring us all at last to the joy of Thy Heavenly Kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

LUCY L. K. HART,  
*Diocesan Secretary G. F. S. in U. N. Y.*

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*Report on Christian Education.*

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## **A. Report on Christian Education.**

*To the Bishop, Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Central New York:*

A report on Christian Education, presented to the Convention of 1877, began with the following words: "The Committee on Christian Education having examined with some care the able and exhaustive reports of the previous Committees find that there is scarcely anything to add, either in the line of argument enforcing the importance of the subject, or in the suggestion of methods for advancing its objects. The whole question seems to have been thoroughly canvassed, and as urgently and impressively presented to the Convention in former years, as well could be." These words may be repeated with even greater emphasis to-day, when the seventeen years that have elapsed since then have added their contributions to the study of this question. But the tremendous importance of the subject remains, and the Committee take this opportunity of presenting some thoughts which, if not altogether new, are perhaps worthy of being recalled to mind.

Whatever else is included under the expression, "Christian Education," it certainly must include that instruction in revealed religion which is addressed to the intellect, and that moral training which aims to influence the will and develop habits of virtuous living. In the catechism the church possesses a summary of Christian teaching in theology and ethics. In the Sunday School, moreover, she possesses an instrumentality for making children familiar with this catechism, and with the Scriptures on which it is based, an instrumentality whose value cannot be over estimated. It is easy to find fault with the Sunday School, but with all its faults it is doing a great work for the church. No doubt the ideal Sunday School would be carefully graded, and scholars would not be promoted from one grade to another until their proficiency had been proved by examination. There would be examinations also for those who sought positions as teachers. But for obvious reasons it is impossible for Sunday Schools to attain the same standard of efficiency as day schools. The defects of Sunday Schools arise largely from the difficulty of finding capable teachers who will faithfully serve for the love of Christ. The Committee can only urge upon the clergy to give their personal attention to the Sunday School, and to use their utmost endeavors to secure the highest class of teachers.

The Sunday School answers fairly well as a means of giving instruction in the Bible and the catechism, but as a means of moral culture it can accomplish very little. The weekly hour spent in the Sunday School cannot in the nature of things have much weight in the development of character. For the character of children is moulded not so much, let us remember, by direct precept as by indirect influences, such as the atmosphere of the home, the discipline of life, the influence of example in those whom children love and admire. If children grow up in a genuine Christian home in which, while allowed to enjoy the innocent amusements of youth, they are also trained to exercise self-restraint, to cherish ideals of usefulness and self-sacrifice, to reverence Christ and Christian institutions, then there is little danger that they will reject Christ's religion when they attain mature years.

It is evident that the day schools, in which the child is engaged five hours a day five days in the week, must have a much greater influence on character than can be exerted by the Sunday School. Your Committee is of the opinion that little good is really accomplished by the perfunctory reading of the Bible or the recitation of the Lord's Prayer in the public schools, even if such exercises can be introduced without infringing on the civic rights of Jews and Romanists. But it is worthy of notice how many traits of character are promoted in them which really belong to the Christian ideal.

First there is obedience to authority. This is inculcated in the most effectual way by the discipline of every well regulated school. How important this is we can all understand in these days of crazy individualism and spurious

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free thought. Then connected with the habit of obedience is the habit of self-control, restraining the tongue from speech, and the body from movement at certain fitting times. School discipline also develops industry. In every good school the child forms the habit of resisting temptations to idleness and sloth, and learns to work with regularity and persistency. Finally there is the great virtue of truthfulness. Every study is effort to find out truth. Every recitation, or examination, is an exercise in the accurate expression of truth. These great virtues of obedience, self-control, industry and truthfulness are needed to make the good son, the good workman, the useful citizen, the loyal and conservative churchman. And who shall say that they are not part of Christian Education, no matter where they are acquired?

A word may be said about educational influences outside of the school and the home. Children are naturally much influenced by friends of their own age. In many cases, too, their moral standards are effected by the story books and novels which they read. Parents then do well to exercise supervision over their children's reading, and to know something about their associates on the play ground.

These are old and commonplace truths, but it is feared that they are too often forgotten or disregarded. In these days of hurry and worry, and incessant pursuit of "the almighty dollar" there is reason to suppose that parents too often fail to give due attention to the moral development of their children.

In many cases, however, it is desirable that a child should be separated entirely from the influences of the home, and be transferred to the surroundings of a good boarding school. It is, therefore, a great satisfaction to your Committee that we have within the borders of our own Diocese two church boarding schools of the first rank, Keble School for girls in Syracuse, and St. John's School for boys near the village of Manlius. Both of these schools are in a flourishing condition, and the Committee welcome this opportunity to commend them to the patronage both of churchmen and of all others who wish to find for their children a refined home and thoroughly Christian training.

Keble School is about to complete in 1896 its twenty-fifth year. The number of boarding pupils is limited, so that they enjoy the advantages of family life. The Diocese is surely indebted to Miss Jackson for so long maintaining this excellent school.

St. John's has a beautiful rural location in the midst of spacious grounds, and its buildings and appointments are of the highest grade. It is organized under the military system, which has an excellent effect on the boys both physically and morally. It has a resident chaplain whose name is a sufficient guarantee of the religious instruction which is given.

These schools are somewhat expensive, as all good schools without endowment must be. No doubt the advantages offered are worth all that is charged for them, and even more. But the fact remains that the poorer classes cannot afford to send their children to such schools. It is much to be desired that we had some good church boarding schools where the total charges would not exceed \$200 per annum. Of course such schools, to be good schools, must have some income besides the charges for board and tuition. Good teachers cannot be secured without paying good salaries. Suitable buildings cost much money. Such schools then, schools which should combine excellence and cheapness, would need to be heavily endowed. It does not seem likely that the Diocese will soon be in a financial condition which will enable it to endow educational institutions, and it is suggested merely with a view to stimulating private beneficence. If at any future time the generosity of churchmen should be seeking an object, the endowment of such schools might be recommended as an effective way of advancing the interests of the church in this Diocese.

Respectfully submitted,

H. MORISON CLARKE,  
J. E. JOHNSON,  
WILLIAM VERBECK.

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*Report of the Treasurer of the Diocese.*

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## **H. Treasurer of the Diocese.**

SYRACUSE, C. N. Y., May 1, 1895.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

The Treasurer of the Diocese herewith presents his Twenty-Seventh Annual Report:

A detailed statement of the receipts and disbursements, showing sources whence received and objects to which applied, is hereto appended.

The disturbed condition of the finances of the country has had a depressing effect upon all charitable as well as upon all business operations throughout the land, and retrenchment has been the order in every department. As such crises come around, the alms basin is among the first to feel the effect as is evidenced by our financial condition as exhibited by this report.

The principal item of interest, locally considered, is that of

### **MISSIONS WITHIN THE DIOCESE.**

For this fund the sum of \$9,827.73 has been received from parishes, mission stations and from other sources as stated in annexed detailed account, \$225.65 balance of Permanent Missionary Fund remaining on hand last year, and \$12.50 draft for stipend returned, making a total of receipts of \$10,065.88; and there has been paid out for stipends for missionary services and expenses as shown by annexed report, the sum of \$10,586.80, and for overdraft of fund as reported last year \$421.75. Leaving an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$942.67.

By referring to the report of the Treasurer of the Board of Managers annexed to the report of that body, a complete statement will there be found showing the aggregate amount assessed upon each district, the amount assessed upon each parish, the amount of stipend awarded each missionary with the names of the station or stations in which he officiated and the amount of offerings contributed by each parish or mission station for mission work within the Diocese. Much labor has been expended by the Treasurer in preparing the minutiae for these tables, and all interested should give them a careful examination, although in some instances comparisons may prove odious.

The present Canon has been in force nominally for three, but practically for but two years, and while perhaps the result of its operations financially has not been any improvement over that of the former Canon, and perhaps not equalled the expectations of those who advocated its adoption, yet on the whole we think it has worked as advantageously and as satisfactorily as any plan which can at this time be devised. If effectually worked, as it has been in one district especially, wherein the monthly report of the Treasurer shows nearly every parish in the district reporting an offering, would not the aggregate of receipts be greatly increased and the Board of Managers happily aided thereby?

It will be remembered that when the change of Canons took place considerable expense was incurred in preparing books, blanks, &c., to put the necessary machinery into operation and more or less confusion was caused by the change, and a code of instructions had to be prepared under which to carry on its contemplated work. In view therefore of these considerations is a change desirable? In what has here been said, allusion is made only to the financial, not to the mission work feature.

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*Report of the Treasurer : Receipts.*

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GENERAL FUND.

The sum of \$3,050 was assessed upon the parishes last year for the needs of the Diocese. Of this sum so assessed not quite two-thirds has been paid, and of this sum so paid a certain proportion was for arrearages of previous years. Owing to the neglect of delinquent parishes to remit their quota of this fund, two demands have had to stand unpaid, one for services of our faithful Secretary, the other for a portion of rent of Episcopal residence. Included in the items forming the budget of \$3,050 was the sum of \$1,500 for assistance for the Bishop in the direction of Episcopal services. Owing to his improvement in health he has not been obliged to call for any part of that sum for that purpose for services during the past year, but for services rendered by Bishop Neely for the previous year \$200 has been paid, and \$600 for services of Rev. Dr. Clarke, making a total of disbursements on account of that fund of \$800 during the past year.

A large amount is due this fund from delinquent parishes, being the accumulations of many years for arrearages, which ought to be, but which cannot be paid owing to the inability of some, perhaps many of the delinquents. They have all been noted annually as to arrears and assessments, but from either inability or indifference no adequate response has been made. The usual complete detailed statement of these arrears has been prepared, and is held subject to the action of the Convention.

BISHOP'S CHAPLAIN FUND.

At the Convention of 1892 the sum of \$1,500 was ordered to be raised by assessment upon the districts by the Standing Committee and by the then presidents of the districts upon the parishes in their respective jurisdictions. Of the sum so intended to be raised a deficiency still exists of \$200. Of this amount two hundred dollars has been due to Rev. Dr. Clarke for over two years for services rendered as Bishop's Chaplain. It ought to be paid. It is an honest debt contracted by the Convention and the intended recipient needs it. In the notification for the assessment for the purposes of the General Fund sent out by the Treasurer last year, special attention of those in arrears was called to this fact; only one response thereto was received, and that only to the amount of two dollars! Will those indebted to this fund take due notice thereof and govern themselves accordingly, or shall the laborer longer go unrequited?

I can conclude this report in no better way than to reiterate the remarks quoted from my report of last year, viz.: "The unsettled monetary condition of the country has had a depressing effect on the financial condition of the Diocese. Many parishes have felt it a sore burden to meet the demands upon them, and with some it has been an impossibility. Most, if not all, have striven to meet their obligations, but their desires have not been accomplished. Under the circumstances none to my mind is deserving of censure."

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE J. GARDNER,

*Treasurer of the Diocese.*

GEORGE J. GARDNER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE DIOCESE OF CENTRAL NEW YORK.

RECEIPTS.

To balance from former report April 30, 1894, .....	\$ 3,134 32
To amount received from May 1, 1894, to April 30, 1895, as follows, viz.:	



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*Treasurer of the Diocese : Receipts.*


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## FOR OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:

*Diocesan Missions :*

Received from First District . . . . .	\$ 1,689 44	
"    Second District . . . . .	1,989 87	
"    Third District . . . . .	1,698 78	
"    Fourth District . . . . .	1,420 71	
"    Fifth District . . . . .	1,180 95	
"    Sixth District . . . . .	877 64	
Income Permanent Missionary Fund . . . . .	942 94	
Branch Woman's Auxiliary, Oswego . . . . .	79 00	
"    "    Waterville . . . . .	14 90	
Mrs. Proctor, \$25; Rev. N. F. W., \$4 . . . . .	29 00	
Royalty "Church Identified" . . . . .	4 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,827 78

*General Fund :*

From Assessments on Parishes as per Canon . . . . .	\$ 1,815 50
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*Bishop's Assistance Fund :*

From Parishes . . . . .	\$ 282 40
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*St. Andrew's Divinity School :*

From H. O. Moss . . . . .	\$ 250 00	
"    William Marvin . . . . .	100 00	
"    Income DeLancey Fund . . . . .	156 50	
"    Parishes . . . . .	187 14	
	<hr/>	\$ 693 64

*Episcopate Fund :*

Amount from Trustees . . . . .	\$ 4,542 75	
"    "    Parish . . . . .	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,545 75

*Church Society for Deaf Mutes :*

Amount received at Convention . . . . .	\$ 81 61	
"    "    from Junior Auxiliary . . . . .	96 50	
"    "    Mrs. S. J. B. Beach . . . . .	5 00	
"    "    M. E. H. . . . .	95	
"    "    Parishes . . . . .	127 04	
	<hr/>	\$ 311 10

*Central New York Bible and Prayer Book Society :*

From Parishes, \$97.73; Rev. A. G., \$1.00 . . . . .	\$ 98 73
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*Church Building Fund :*

From Parishes, \$58.69; Rev. A. G., \$1.00 . . . . .	\$ 59 69
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*Treasurer of the Diocese : Disbursements.*

*Onondaga Indian Mission :*

Branch Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$	354	56	
From Parishes.....		48	12	
				\$ 402 68

*Miscellaneous :*

Relief, St. Joseph's, Rome .....	\$	37	14	
Bishop's Jubilee .....		5	28	
Auburn City Hospital, St. Peter's, Auburn.....		47	00	
Bishop's Chaplain.....		2	00	
				\$ 91 37

FOR OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:

*Domestic Missions :*

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Moss.....	\$	175	00	
Rev. A. G., \$5; B. W. A., Oswego, \$5 .....		10	00	
From Parishes and Sunday Schools.....		1,078	27	
				\$ 1,258 27

*Foreign Missions :*

Parishes, \$557.66; B. W. A., \$2 .....	\$	559	66	
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*Miscellaneous :*

American Church Building Fund .....	\$	96	95	
N. Y. Bible and Prayer Book Society.....		46	69	
Clergy Relief Fund, Ithaca... ..		25	05	
Bishop Brewer, Oxford.....		50	00	
Conversion of the Jews, Good Friday Offering .....		41	86	
Nashotah .....		5	00	
				\$ 265 55

Total amount of receipts .....\$23,846 39

DISBURSEMENTS.

FOR OBJECTS WITHIN THE DIOCESE:

*Diocesan Missions :*

Paid drafts of District Treasurers:

District No. 1 .....	\$	1,788	90	
District No. 2 .....		1,815	42	
District No. 3 .....		1,173	75	
District No. 4 .....		1,495	16	
District No. 5 .....		1,683	18	
District No. 6 .....		2,079	15	

\$10,035 51

Rev. J. E. Johnson, Associate Mission.....	\$	100	00	
St. Joseph's, Rome.....		30	00	
Paid interest on loan to Board of Missions.....		60	00	
Paid for 100,000 envelopes for offerings....		60	60	
Paid for special envelopes, Trinity, Watertown.....		23	80	
Paid for postage and stationery for year .....		6	89	
				\$10,586 80



*Christmas Fund : Report of the Trustees.**General Fund :*

Paid expense printing Convention Journal .....	\$ 870 60
Paid rent of Episcopal residence .....	600 00
Paid Bishop's expenses as per resolution of Convention,	300 00
Paid Secretary of Convention and Assistant .....	110 00
Paid Rev. H. G. Coddington transportation expenses ..	14 25
Paid for printing blanks.....	27 60
Paid postage, envelopes, collections, &c., for year.....	6 70
	<hr/> \$ 1,429 15

*Miscellaneous :*

Paid Bishop on account of Episcopate Fund .....	\$ 4,500 00
Paid Bishop's orders, St. Andrew's Divinity School ....	759 14
Paid Rev. John Scott, Onondaga Indian Mission .....	400 00
Paid Rev. C. O. Dantzer, Deaf Mutes Fund .....	365 10
Paid for Bishop's Assistance, Dr. Clarke, \$600; Bishop Neely, \$200.....	800 00
Paid Treasurer Auburn City Hospital .....	47 00
Paid on account of St. Joseph's, Rome .....	40 00
Paid House of Good Shepherd, Syracuse.....	1 50
	<hr/> \$ 6,912 74

## OBJECTS WITHOUT THE DIOCESE:

Paid Treasurer Domestic and Foreign Missions.....	\$ 1,663 61
Paid Treasurer American Church Building Fund... ..	125 06
Paid Clergy Relief Fund .....	70 45
Paid Church Mission to Jews .....	45 21
Paid Bishop Brewer, \$30; Nashotah, \$5.05.....	35 05
	<hr/> \$ 1,939 38
Balance to new account .....	2,478 32
	<hr/> \$23,346 39

GEORGE J. GARDNER,  
*Treasurer of Diocese.*

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## G. Christmas Fund.

### (1) Report of the Trustees.

SYRACUSE, C. N. Y., June 8, 1895.

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York herewith submit their annual report :

The report of the Treasurer giving a detailed statement of receipts and expenditures on account of the fund is hereto annexed and forms a portion of this report. By that statement it will be seen that the sum of \$1,602.31 has been paid out for stipends and funeral expenses.

Three stipendiaries have died during the past year, two clergy and one widow, leaving now upon the roll the names of eight widows; two of these

*Christmas Fund : Report of the Treasurer.*

were passed over to this Diocese by the Diocese of Western of New York at the time of the division, and have remained recipients of the fund for twenty-seven years from this Diocese.

The Convention is called upon to nominate a member of the Board in the place of John W. Yale, whose term of office expires at this time.

The financial account and the securities of the Permanent Fund, amounting to \$12,200, have been examined by the committee appointed by the Convention for that purpose, and found correct, and their report will be submitted during the session of this Convention.

Respectfully submitted,

J. DEAN HAWLEY, *President.*

GEO. J. GARDNER, *Secretary.*

(2.) Report of the Treasurer.

GEORGE J. GARDNER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CHRISTMAS FUND.

1894.		Dr.	
May 1,	To balance from former report.....		\$2,252 07
July 1,	To interest Robinson bond and mortgage ...	\$ 25 00	
	To interest Savings Bank .....	60 00	
Sept. 12,	To interest Westcott bond and mortgage....	75 00	
1895.			
Jan. 1,	To interest Robinson bond and mortgage ...	25 00	
	To interest Savings Bank .....	60 00	
Mar. 12,	To interest Westcott bond and mortgage ...	75 00	
June 1,	To interest Trust and Deposit Co....	199 50	
	To interest miscellaneous deposits.....	85 00	
			554 50
April 30,	To amount of Christmas Offerings from Parishes and Mission Stations.....		1,029 68
			<u>\$3,836 25</u>
1894.		Cr.	
June 1,	Paid expenses of Treasurer to Utica.....	\$ 2 66	
July 1,	Paid two clergy stipends .....	200 00	
Oct. 1,	Paid nine widows stipends.....	575 00	
1895.			
Jan. 1,	Paid two clergy stipends .....	200 00	
	Paid funeral expenses H. V. G.....	50 00	
	Paid Bishop for Rev. J. F. T. ....	52 31	
April 15	Paid eight widows stipends .....	525 00	
			<u>\$1,604 97</u>
	Balance to new account.....		2,231 28
			<u>\$3,836 25</u>

Amount of Permanent Fund \$12,200.

GEORGE J. GARDNER, *Treasurer.*

SYRACUSE, MAY 1, 1895.

*Episcopate Fund : Report of the Trustees.***B. Episcopate Fund.***To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Central New York, respectfully submit their annual report to May 1st, 1895, as follows:

**Cash receipts of principal:**

1894.			
May	1,	Balance on deposit Savings Bank of Utica .....	\$ 300 00
	"	" " Second National Bank, Utica.....	404 32
	4,	From F. W. Hurlburt on account mortgage.....	1,500 00
Oct.	8,	" Thomas Srama " .....	200 00
1895.			
Jan.	4,	From Phoebe Westover on account mortgage.....	400 00
April	8,	" Thos. Srama " .....	200 00
	19,	" D. Mendelson in full of two mortgages .....	4,500 00
			<u>\$ 7,504 32</u>

**Disbursements:**

1894.			
July	19,	To D. Mendelson loan on mortgage.....	\$ 1,500 00
1895.			
April	19,	To D. Mendelson loan on mortgage ... ..	2,500 00
		To Lewis Fink " .....	1,000 00
		To balance deposited in Utica Savings Bank .....	2,504 32
			<u>\$ 7,504 32</u>

**The principal of the Fund is invested as follows:**

Bonds and Mortgages at 6 per cent interest .....	\$49,300 00
“ “ 5½ “ “ .....	6,000 00
“ “ 5 “ “ .....	18,000 00
Six shares preferred stock St. Paul and Duluth R. R. par.....	600 00
Deposit Jefferson county Savings Bank, 4 per cent.....	100 00
Deposit Savings Bank of Utica, 3½ per cent .....	2,504 33
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	\$76,504 33

**Income Account:**

1895.			
April 30,		Interest collected on securities to date .....	<u>\$4,545 00</u>

**Disbursements:**

1894.			
July 31,		To George J. Gardner Treasurer of Diocese .....	\$1,047 50
Oct. 31,		To George J. Gardner, Treasurer of Diocese.....	1,129 50
1895.			
Feb. 1,		To George J. Gardner, Treasurer of Diocese .....	968 50
April 30,		To George J. Gardner, Treasurer of Diocese ....	1,397 25
Feb. 22,		To Chenango County Clerk, recording papers .....	2 25
			<u>\$4,545 00</u>

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

The DeLancey Fund remains invested as at our last report. Its amount is \$2,600.

No disbursements have been made on account of it. The interest has been collected, amounting to \$156.50, and paid to the Treasurer of the Diocese.

Respectfully submitted,

May 1st, 1895.

E. CHAMBERLAIN,  
GEORGE M. WEAVER,  
B. R. ROBSON.  
ALEXANDER T. GOODWIN.

**I. Parochial Fund.**

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York :*

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund report as follows for the year ending May 1, 1895.

The Permanent Missionary Fund, \$20,453.93, is invested as follows:

In first mortgages on improved real estate in the City of Syracuse, of

M. E. Foreman.....	\$ 2,000 00
E. G. Hall .....	186 05
T. J. Duplessis.....	2,000 00
American Dairy Salt Company.....	4,000 00
H. A. VanDeusen.....	700 00
Geo. G. Gilson.....	1,000 00
Daniel Day.....	100 00
C. T. Snavlin .....	575 00
B. Richardson .....	500 00
C. T. Snavlin .....	2,900 00
Helen M. Keleer.....	1,000 00
Henry C. Jones ...	600 00
Michael J. Cuddy .....	650 00
M. J. Vehala, Cayuga County, ....	150 00
Nathaniel T. Bacon.....	1,200 00
John T. Roberts.....	250 00
Land contract of C. Hayes ...	1,350 00
American Express stock .....	200 00
Utica City Bank stock .....	400 00
Loan to St. Joseph's Church, Rome, N. Y.,.....	642 84
Cash May 1, 1895, in Syracuse Savings Bank.....	50 04
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	\$20,453 93

The cash transactions relating to this fund have been as follows:

Receipts:

From interest on mortgages.....	\$ 979 97
From interest on C. Hayes contract .....	82 21
From dividends Utica City Bank.....	24 00
From dividends Express stock .....	12 00
From dividends Syracuse Savings Bank .....	20 09
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	\$ 1,118 27

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

Principal of H. E. Hessler mortgage.....	300 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1894.....	53

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\$1,418 80

## Payments:

Expenses to Lowville in re Babcock will .....	\$ 8 50
Expenses to Homer in re Johnson will .....	2 44
On account of Treasurer's salary.....	100 00
For safe deposit box .....	5 00
For postage and telegraph.....	2 64
For insurance on Trinity Chapel, Great Bend, N. Y.....	37 50
For insurance on Church at Chenango Forks .....	18 00
For portfolio file.....	1 25
Paid Treasurer of Diocese .....	942 94
Invested in mortgage J. T. Roberts .....	250 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1895, .....	50 53

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\$ 1,418 80

*Grace Church, Union Springs, Fund.*

Is invested as follows:

## In mortgages:

Grace Church, Union Springs, .....	\$ 208 90
Sidney Shaver .....	500 00
A. and J. W. Tallman .....	2,250 00
Charity A. Brown .....	600 00
L. Hoff.....	600 00
C. T. Snavlin .....	1,025 00
John L. Lockwood.....	200 00
Frs. Lafreniere .....	200 00
Geo. E. Marsh.....	800 00
John Bennett .....	500 00
N. Y. C. Insurance stock inventoried at .....	462 90
Curry note .....	200 00
Rectory, cost .....	2,500 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1895.....	88 49

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\$10,135 29

The sale of the Illinois farm, heretofore set down at \$670, for \$500, and the payment of \$59.75 past taxes out of the price, has made the total of this fund less by \$229.75 than as hitherto stated.

## Cash transactions for the year:

## Receipts:

From interest on mortgages.....	\$ 307 23
From dividends Syracuse Savings Bank.....	22 41
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1894 .....	33 24
From payment on Ellen Weaver mortgage.....	100 00
From payment on H. E. Hessler mortgage.....	100 00
From payment on Bowman mortgage.....	1,000 00
From sale of Illinois farm .....	500 00

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\$ 2,062 87

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

Payments:

To Rev. W. H. Casey, Rector .....	\$ 309 68
"          "      for taxes paid on Illinois farm .....	59 75
Toward salary of Treasurer.....	20 00

Invested in mortgages of

J. L. Lookwood .....	85 00
Frs. Lafreniere .....	200 00
Geo. E. Marsh .....	800 00
John Bennett .....	500 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank, May 1, 1895, ....	88 49
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	\$ 2,062 87

*Zion Church, Pierrepont Manor, Fund.*

The amount of this fund at date of last report was .....\$17,697 87

Receipts during the year:

From interest on mortgages .. ....	1,010 45
From dividends Syracuse Savings Bank. ....	5 29
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	\$18,713 11

Payments:

To Rev. A. J. Brockway, Rector, .....	\$ 650 00
On Treasurer's salary.....	50 00
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	\$ 700 00

Leaves fund amounting to.....\$18,013 11

Invested as follows:

In mortgagss on real property in Syracuse, of	
Chas. T. Snavlin....	\$10,225 00
Jas. Cathers.....	3,500 00
Vance Turtelot.....	2,950 00
Martin Yann ....	1,000 00
Deposit in Syracuse Savings Bank.....	838 11
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	\$18,013 11

*The Wheeler Fund.*

At the date of our last report (May 1, 1894,) there remained of	
\$3,000, before paid over by the executors of Mrs. Wheeler,	
invested in mortgages .....	\$ 2,711 50
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank .....	42 65
The executor's paid May 10, 1894, .....	1,000 00
"          "      September 22, 1894,.....	5,000 00
"          "      September 28, 1894, for interest .....	52 22

There has been received:

For interest on mortgages during the year .....	161 62
For dividends of Syracuse Savings Bank.....	29 68
For interest from Onondaga County Savings Bank .....	44 30
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Making a total of .....	\$ 9,041 97

*Parochial Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

There has been paid out:

To E. V. Hines for care of grounds at Mannsville . . . .	\$ 200 00	
To Morris R. Jones for flowers, &c. . . . .	85 00	
To organist and choir . . . . .	66 00	
To J. M. Fox & Son for repairs . . . . .	7 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 358 00
Leaving a fund of . . . . .		\$ 8,683 97

Which is invested as follows:

In first mortgages on real estate in Syracuse, of

Chas. T. Snavlin . . . . .	\$ 2,600 00
Nathaniel T. Bacon . . . . .	2,000 00
Martin Yann . . . . .	700 00
Sarah R. Stevens . . . . .	600 00
Nancy Cathers . . . . .	500 00
Philip Smith . . . . .	800 00
John T. Roberts . . . . .	300 00
Sarah J. Stevens . . . . .	1,100 00
Cash in Syracuse Savings Bank . . . . .	83 97
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	\$ 8,683 97

The interest on the following funds has been collected and paid over pursuant to the terms of the several trusts, as follows:

Jennie McGraw Fiske Fund, \$15,000. Interest \$853.28, to the credit of Bishop Huntington.

Mary Fatzinger Fund, \$1,000. Interest \$60, to Treasurer St. Paul's Church, Waterloo, N. Y.

Esther M. Booth Fund, \$1,000. Interest \$60, to Rector of St. Mark's Church, Candor, N. Y.

Nancy Powell Fund, \$100, interest \$5.50, and Holland Patent Fund, the gift of Mrs. Mary Wetmore, \$3,000, interest \$150, to the Minister in charge of Church at Holland Patent.

Fenno Tudor Fund, \$2,500. Interest paid to minister in charge of Grace Church, Mt. Upon, \$130. Principal in mortgage as last reported.

Woodward Fund, St. John's Church, Big Flats, N. Y., \$908.33. Interest, \$46.50, paid to said church. Principal, \$900 in mortgage and \$8.33 in Savings Bank.

Clarke Scholarship Fund, \$2,000; \$1,800 in mortgage, cash account \$200, interest \$97.59 in Syracuse Savings Bank.

Stacy Fund, \$800. Interest \$44.74. Total of fund and interest, \$1,033.77. Principal in mortgage and \$233.77 in Syracuse Savings Bank.

Henry Daboll Fund, \$3,000. Interest collected, \$104.31, in Savings Bank.

Wilcox Memorial Fund, \$400 in mortgage. Interest \$24, of which \$13 has been paid to St. Peter's Church, Oriskany, N. Y., and \$12 deposited to credit of the fund.

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*Parochial Fund: Report of the Trustees.*

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The Charlotte G. Daboll Fund, \$1,000. Invested as at last report. Interest \$53.94, in Syracuse Savings Bank.

Douglas Memorial Fund, \$500. Invested in mortgage as at last report. Interest \$30, paid to D. B. Hamblin, in charge of the Mission at Oriskany Falls, N. Y.

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund have received during the past year the following newly created funds, viz.:

The Hathaway Fund, \$100, received August 27th, a legacy bequeathed by Isabella Hathaway, for the benefit of St. Andrew's Church, Dey's Landing, N. Y.; \$30 thereof has been since paid to the use of said church, and the remainder is on deposit at Syracuse Savings Bank.

Under the act enabling parishes to transfer personal and real estate to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, St. Paul's Church of Constableville, N. Y., September 10, 1894, pursuant to resolution of the Wardens and Vestry, transferred to said Trustees two mortgages, of Wm. J. Seelman, dated June 2, 1884, for \$500, and interest from June 2, 1894, and of Anthony Frank and wife dated January 23, 1884, for \$1,212, and interest from January 23, 1894, and cash \$75, the whole amounting to the principal sum of \$1,787, to be held by the Trustees pursuant to said act. Two hundred dollars has since been paid on the principal of said Seelman mortgage, and \$250 invested in bond and mortgage of Jas. B. Tallman, in Syracuse, and \$25 of principal and \$1.41 interest, is on deposit at Syracuse Savings Bank.

By an instrument in writing, dated July 1, 1894, Mrs. Julia E. Constable, widow of John Constable, of Lewis County, New York, October 25, 1894, gave one thousand dollars to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund in trust for the use and benefit of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, in the village of Constableville, in said Lewis County, for aiding in the support of the rector or minister of said church, to be called "The Constable Memorial Fund," the interest thereof to be paid annually or semi-annually as it may be collected for such support to such church, rector or minister, and his successors in office, for his and their own use, they receipting therefor. This sum was invested in bond and mortgage on real property in Syracuse at six per cent. per annum, and \$200 having been paid on the mortgage February 25th, is on deposit at Syracuse Savings Bank, together with ten dollars interest paid January 1st.

The Samuel Alfred Munson Memorial Fund. The executors of the estate of the late Mrs. Helen E. M. Williams, of the city of Utica, N. Y., by writing dated January 2, 1895, gave to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund five thousand dollars in trust for the use and benefit of Grace Church, in said city, and to be called "The Samuel Alfred Munson Memorial Fund." The interest or income to be paid annually or semi-annually as collected to said Grace Church toward defraying the expense of heating the church. Three thousand dollars of said fund has been invested in bond and mortgage in Syracuse, at five per cent. per annum, and \$2,000 remains on deposit with Syracuse Savings Bank.

Christ Church, Guilford, N. Y., on February 19, 1895, pursuant to resolution of its vestry, paid the sum of \$500 to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund to be invested, and the interest paid as collected to the clerk of said vestry. The sum was invested April 1st, in bond and mortgage on real property in Syracuse at six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually in January and July.



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*Van Wageningen Fund : Report of the Trustee.*

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By the will of the late Mrs. Ardelia R. Johnson, of Homer, N. Y., as the Trustees are advised by its executors, there was bequeathed to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund for the benefit of Calvary Church, Homer, toward the support of the rector, to be kept invested for that purpose, legacies expected to produce, on the coming settlement of the estate, a sum of \$7,000 to \$8,000.

The late Ensworth D. Babcock, of Denmark, Lewis County, N. Y., gave by his will, lately proved, \$2,000, to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, the income "to be paid to the Treasurer of the Diocese for the benefit of worthy clergymen" of the church in the Diocese. The settlement of the estate has so far progressed as to afford hope that the full amount of the legacy will be paid.

The Trustees of the Parochial Fund have received a deed dated March 31, 1892, of lands in the town of Sandy Creek, Oswego County, seventy-six feet front by one hundred and seventy deep, in trust for the use of a parish which may be incorporated in said town, and until such incorporation in trust for the assistance of such mission therein as may be approved by the Bishop.

Also a deed from Moses Bull of lands in the town of Caroline, Tompkins County, about one-third of an acre, as a site for a church building for the use and benefit of St. Thomas Parish at Slaterville Springs.

The Convention will be called upon to choose successors to Messrs. Seymour H. Stone and Edward D. Brandegeer, Trustees of the Parochial Fund, whose terms expire September 1st next.

W. D. DUNNING,  
SEYMOUR H. STONE,  
HOWARD G. WHITE,  
ANDREW H. GREEN,  
*Trustees.*

A. H. GREEN, *Treasurer.*

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### **K. Van Wageningen Fund.**

*To the Convention of the Diocese of Central New York:*

I have received from interest on loans since last report, \$1,268.78, and from principal of fund, \$1,155.50, viz.:

Payment in full of Norris loan; reduction of Barrows loan; reduction of Fritz Bros. contract; reduction of Keating contract. In the latter case I gave a deed of the property and took a bond and mortgage for the balance unpaid, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

I have taken two new loans during the year, as noted in my cash statement. The Harding bond is secured by first mortgage on a lot forty by fifty feet, on Rutherford Street, Binghamton, being No. 15, with two-story frame slate roof dwelling thereon. The house is insured for \$2,000 for the benefit of the mortgagee. I saw the property and would judge the amount borrowed was not over thirty-five per cent of its value.

The security in the case of the Hathorn bond is 170 acres in the town of Van Etten. The amount was originally \$1,200, but has been paid down to present amount. My attorney at Elmira reported it a first lien, and that it is assessed \$1,000, at a low ratio of assessment. The owner desires the loan to continue beyond its maturity.

The twenty-three investments reported, amounting to \$25,457, are about equally divided as to rate of interest between five and six per cents.

JOHN R. VAN WAGENEN,  
*Trustee.*

Oxford, May 15, 1895.

*VanWagenen Fund : Report of the Trustees.*

*The Van Wagenen Missionary Fund of the County of Chenango, in account with JOHN R. VAN WAGENEN, Trustee.*

1894.		DR.		
June 4,	To lent Fred. C. Harding, of Binghamton, N. Y, on his bond of that date, payable June 1st, 1899, with semi annual interest June and December, at 5 per cent per annum, with privilege of paying \$100 on June 1st, 1895 .....		\$2,100 00	
Aug. 21,	To bought of A. S. Thurston, Esq., of Elmira, N. Y., bond (with mortgage,) of Edward L. Hathorn (P. O. Kendaia, N. Y.) to James P. Hathorn, and by him assigned to Richard H. Thurston, date April 24, 1890, due July 1, 1895, with 6 per cent interest payable semi-annually, in January and July (paying accrued interest from July 1st, afterwards adjusted on payment of the January, 1895, interest, December 15,)....		1,000 00	
1895.				
May 15,	To cash on hand at this date.....		1,287 16	
				\$4,387 16
1894.		CR.		
May	By cash on hand.....			\$1,962 88
	By interest payments on loans, viz.:			
May 22,	" Norris 3 months.....	\$12 00		
	" Norris balance of principal		\$800 00	
25,	" Cooley 6 months.....	45 00		
31,	" Brown 12 " .....	60 00		
June 19,	" Mastin 6 " .....	18 00		
July 9,	" Boname 6 " .....	30 00		
13,	" Keating 6 " .....	40 00		
	" Keating on contract.....		200 00	
14,	" Ferguson 6 months.....	34 20		
24,	" Lattin 6 " .....	39 90		
31,	" Kelly & O'dell 6 " .....	36 00		
Aug. 8,	" Fritz Bros on contract.....		25 00	
	" Fritz Bros. account interest....	11 25		
30,	" Moore 6 months.....	30 00		
Oct. 1,	" Derrick 6 " .....	19 50		
11,	" Barrows 6 " .....	18 00		
12,	" Livermore 12 " .....	12 00		
Nov. 1,	" Fritz Bros. on contract .....		30 50	
	" Fritz Bros. account interest....	39 04		
10,	" Merithew 12 months (2).....	60 00		
14,	" Miller 8 " .....	73 33		
16,	" Buckley 6 " .....	24 00		
Dec. 11,	" Ireland 12 " .....	17 50		
12,	" Harding 6 " .....	52 50		
15,	" Hathorn bal. since purchase.	22 27		
18,	" Mastin 6 months.....	18 00		
1895.				
Jan. 4,	" Kelly & Odell 6 " .....	36 00		
8,	" Ferguson 6 " .....	34 20		
15,	" Winsor to Dec. 14.....	97 29		
20,	" Boname 6 months.....	80 00		

Van Wagenen Fund : Report of the Trustee.

Feb. 28,	To Davis	12 months..	\$ 70 00	
Mar. 21,	" Keating	6 "	85 00	
April 1,	" Moore	6 "	80 00	
6,	" Benedict	12 "	100 00	
12,	" Barrows	6 "	18 00	
	" Barrows	principal.....		100 00
25,	" Lobdell	6 months.....	81 60	
	" Lobdell	6 "	80 70	
30.	" Derrick	6 "	19 50	
May 7,	" Buckley	6 "	24 00	
			<hr/>	\$1,268 78
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				\$4,387 16

List of Securities May 16, 1895.

		Amount.	Interest paid to
William D. Cooley	to Fund. ....	\$1,500 00	Dec. 17, 1893.
James B. Brown	" .....	1,000 00	June 1, 1894
Alonzo Lattin	" .. ..	1,400 00	July 1, "
Kelly & Odell, (assigned)	" .....	1,200 00	July 10, "
C. & F. W. Fritz (contract)	" .....	457 00	July 29, "
James S. Merithew	" .....	1,000 00	Oct. 22, "
James N. Livermore	" .....	200 00	Nov. 12, "
Edwin P. Miller (contract)	" .....	2,200 00	Dec. 1, "
William H. Ireland, (assigned)	" .....	850 00	Dec. 1, "
Helen M. Lobdell, (assigned)	" .....	1,000 00	Dec. 1, "
Fred C. Harding	" .. ..	2,100 00	Dec. 1, "
Charles A. Winsor	" .....	1,500 00	Dec. 14, "
Lydia E. Mastin	" .....	600 00	Dec. 19, "
E. L. Hathorn, (assigned)	" .....	1,000 00	Jan. 1, 1895
William Ferguson, (assigned)	" .....	1,200 00	Jan. 1, "
W. P. & E. Boname	" .....	1,000 00	Jan. 9, "
John P. Davis, (assigned)	" .....	1,400 00	Mar. 1, "
Andrew F. Keating	" .....	1,400 00	April 1, "
E. D Moore	" .....	1,000 00	April 2, "
B. S. Benedict	" .....	2,000 00	April 6, "
J. B. & W. P. Buckley	" .....	800 00	April 6, "
Elosia D. Barrows	" .....	500 00	April 18, "
Heman H. Derrick	" .....	650 00	May 1, "
Cash on hand	.....	1,287 16	
Total .....		<hr/>	\$26,744 16

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*Report of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.*

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**B. Bible and Prayer Book Society.**

The Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York reports as follows:

That it had on hand at date of its last report, and has received since that date, cash as follows:

1894.	Cash on hand at date of last repors.....	\$ 64 50
Sept. 26,	Cash, interest .....	15 00
Oct. 22,	Cash, interest .....	80 00
1895.		
Mar. 14,	Cash, interest....	15 00
April 4,	Cash, interest .....	80 00
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		\$154 40

That it has made the following disbursements:

1894.		
Sept. 26,	W. T. Smith & Co., Prayer Books .....	\$75 00
1895.		
Mar. 14,	W. S. Taylor & Son, Bibles.....	20 00
	Balance to new account .....	59 40
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		\$154 40

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated June 1, 1895.

P. C. J. DEANGELIS,  
*of the Executive Committee.*

## APPENDIX II.

# PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

## Broome County.

### Binghamton, Christ Church.

THE REV. ROBERT G. QUENNEL, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—George W. Lester, Arthur S. Miner.

Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 12 .. .. .	19	Marriages .....	17
Confirmed .....	28	Burials .....	19
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 195, weekd. 199, 394	
236, all others 180, ad. 23, rec.		Holy Communion—pub. 91, priv. 4, 95	
9, died 6, rem. 4, pres. no. ....	416	S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 125..	140

### OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 124 26	Missions—Domestic .....	\$ 17 13
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,815 74	“ W. A. ....	12 50
Sunday School .....	73 16	“ W. A. bxs	440 25
Repairs and Improvements	1,455 57	Foreign .....	1 61
Society of Mercy .....	174 00	“ W. A. ....	5 00
Parish Aid Society .....	69 82	“ S. P. G. ..	2 50
Organ improvement .....	350 00	“ K. M. ....	12 00
Choir fund .....	296 41	Colored .....	6 50
Other Parochial objects....	21 54	Indian .....	6 56
Diocesan Missions .....	272 51	Rev. Mr. Yen, “ .....	15 50
“ W. A. ....	50 00	Bishop Walker.....	23 79
“ W. A. bxs ....	119 16	General Missions S. S. ....	73 08
General Fund .....	29 75	“ Mrs. R.G.Q.'s S.S. class	4 00
Christmas Fund .....	16 81	“ Member S. A. B. ....	1 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	13 65	St. Prisca's Guild .....	1 00
St. Prisca Guild.....	9 00	“ bxs .....	67 85
“ bxs .....	3 50	K. M. Guild.....	1 00
King's Messengers.....	12 00	“ bxs .....	42 30
“ bxs .....	2 50	Silver cross bxs .....	8 60
St. Andrew's Divinity Sch..	12 67		
Parochial, \$6,380.50; Diocesan, \$541.55; General, \$752.16 .....			\$7,674 21

Church Property—Church, \$75,000; Rectory, \$10,000; Parish House, \$7,000: \$92,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,500. Insurance, \$16,500.

Broome County : Binghamton.

Binghamton Trinity Memorial Church.

THE REV. J. H. LAROCHE, RECTOR.

Wardens—John Anderson, Moses Stoppard.

Families and Individuals.....	267	Marriages .....	12
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 15 .....	21	Burials .....	23
Confirmed .....	28	Services—Sund. 136, weekd. 120,	256
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	27
835, all others 70, rec. 26, died		S. S. Teachers 31, Scholars 300..	331
4, present no.....	405		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	192 66	H. G. S., Binghamton.....\$	257 75
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,684 41	H. G. S., Syr., K. D. bx ...	10 50
Sunday School .....	190 68	W. A. assessments .....	27 50
Repairs and Improvements.	2,169 10	Ministering League bx.....	16 25
Debt .....	1,365 00	Missions—Domestic .....	62 70
Charities .....	189 65	“ W. A....	19 50
King's Daughters .....	81 86	“ S. S. ....	103 33
Ministering League .....	7 19	“ K. D. bx.	300 00
St. Andrew's Brotherhood .	39 65	“ M. L. bx.	6 00
Flower Committee ...	23 82	Foreign .....	55 64
S. S. Library .....	140 00	“ W. A. ...	5 00
Other Parochial objects....	136 03	Colored, M. L....	18 80
Diocesan Missions .....	289 51	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	12 23
“ W. A. bxs.	16 62	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	5 00
General Fund.. .....	40 00	Bishop Brewer... .....	50 00
Christmas Fund.....	35 80	Bishop Leonard, Utah.....	50 00
Building Fund.....	11 33	Lynchburgh OrphanAsylum	40 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	15 67	Rev. E. P. Stephens (col) N. C.	12 00
Convocation expenses.....	5 00		
Parochial, \$8,220.05; Diocesan, \$725.93; General, \$740.20.....			\$9,686 18

Church Property—Church, \$17,000; Rectory, \$8,000: \$25,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,500. Insurance, \$9,750.

Binghamton, Church of the Good Shepherd.

THE REV. SAMUEL D. DAY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles Franklin Moore, Daniel Lyons.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 12.....	15	Marriages .....	6
Confirmed .....	8	Burials.....	12
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 138, weekd. 157 .	295
163, all others 49, ad. 8, rec. 6,		Holy Communion—pub. 108, priv. 10	118
died 1, rem. 3, pres. no .....	222	S. S. Teachers .....	6

Broome County: Chenango Forks—Harpursville.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	12 60	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	6 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	726 44	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	3 00
Sunday School.....	42 00	Missions—Domestic .....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements,	142 20	“ W. A. bxa.	60 00
Church Hymnals....	48 00	Foreign .....	10 00
Sundries .....	38 00	Colored .....	10 00
Parish Aid Chapter .....	321 86	Indian .....	10 00
Guild of St. Agnes.....	27 49	Jews ...	4 00
Diocesan Missions.....	41 62	Deaf Mutes.....	6 00
Christmas Fund.....	7 70	Gift to Student .....	100 00

Parochial, \$1,358.59; Diocesan, \$58.32; General, \$210.00 .....\$1,626 91

Church Property—Church, \$5,200; Rectory, \$3,500: \$8,700.

Indebtedness, \$960.97.

Chenango Forks, St. John's Church.

THE REV. HENRY E. HUBBARD, MISSIONARY.

Families.....	80	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1 .....	2	Services—Sund. 99, weekd. 5....	104
Confirmed .....	2	Holy Communion—public .....	5
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 25....	29
31, all others 10, ad. 34, rec. 7,			
present no. ....	41		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 5 31	Episcopate Fund.....\$	1 35
Current Expenses.....	178 50	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 28
Sunday School .....	5 50	Missions—General.....	2 57
Repairs and Improvements,	15 00	Jun. Aux.....	47
Diocesan Missions.....	12 87		

Parochial, \$204.31; Diocesan, \$16.50; General, \$3.04 .....\$223 85

Church Property—Church, \$1,500. Insurance, \$1,000.

The Daughters of the King raised \$78.66 from October 26, 1894, to May 1, 1895, thirty-five dollars of which is included in the above report. The Ladies' Guild also raised sufficient money to pay the Lay Reader's board over Sunday. A branch of the Junior Auxiliary has just been formed.

Harpursville, St. Luke's Church.

Wardens—Ezekiel Guy, M. D., Bennett B. Allen.

Families . . . . .	23	Communicants—within two years	
Baptisms—Infant .....	3	52, all others 3, died 4, rem. 2,	
Confirmed.....	8	pres. no. ....	49
Burials....	4	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20, ...	23

Broome County : Whitney's Point—Windsor.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 6 21	Diocesan Expenses W. A...	1 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	148 88	Trumansburg W. A .....	1 00
Sunday School.....	6 50	Missions-S. S. Lenten off'gs	9 00
Repairs and Improvements.	3 80	Deaf Mutes.....	4 00
Diocesan Missions.....	21 07	Bishops Talbot and Leonard	
Rev. J. Scott, salary W. A.	2 00	W. A. ....	1 00
For gift to the Bishop .....	5 93	China and Africa W. A....	1 00

Parochial, \$165.39; Diocesan, \$31; General, \$15 ..... \$211 39

Church Property—Church, \$3,300; Organ, \$1,000: \$4,300.

This report is incomplete and covers only a portion of the time, as the parish was without services for about four months. During the year the parish has been enriched by the addition of an organ to the church property. It is the gift of Mr. Thomas Allen, of Glencove, Ill., a former parishioner.

Whitney's Point, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES A. ROBINSON, RECTOR.

Wardens—M. Frank Perry, Lafayette Bennett.

Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 4,.....	11	Marriage .....	1
Confirmed .....	8	Burials... ..	2
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 90, weekd. 13 ..	104
30, all others 2, ad. 7, rem. 5,		Holy Communion—public .....	16
present no. ....	34	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 20....	22

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	198 22	Convocation expenses.....\$	2 82
Sunday School.....	10 00	Missions—Domestic .....	4 50
Repairs and Improvements,	10 00	Foreign .....	4 50
Diocesan Missions .....	26 42	Nebraska Sufferers, W.A. bx	20 00
Christmas Fund .....	2 90		
Parochial, \$218.22; Diocesan, \$32.14; General, \$29 .....			\$279 36

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Windsor, Zion Church.

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

Wardens—David Doolittle, C. M. Comstock.

Families .....	28	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Infant .....	1	Services—Sund. 44, weekd. 30...	74
Communicants—rem. 9, pres. no	34	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30....	35



Cayuga County : Auburn.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 20 00	Rev. John Scott, W. A .....	\$ 4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	279 45	Slaterville .....	8 00
Furnace, Lamps, &c., ....	106 75	Missions—Dom., W.A. bx.,	19 50
S. S. Offerings .....	17 28	Colored, W.A. bx	8 15
S. S. Lenten Offering.....	25 75	Deaf Mutes.....	10 00
S. S. Library .....	17 52	Bishop Talbot, W. A. ....	1 50
Thanksgiving .....	2 65	Bishop Leonard .....	1 50
Ladies' Guild.....	63 60	China and Africa.....	1 00
Diocesan Missions .....	35 00	Mrs Knickerbocker .....	1 00
General Fund .....	8 00	Thank offering.....	5 00

Parochial, \$588.; Diocesan, \$50; General, \$47.65.....\$680 65

Church Property—Church, \$3,500; Rectory, \$1,450; Endowment, \$500: \$5,450.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Cayuga County.

Auburn, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN BRAINARD, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry D. Noble, Henry D. Titus.

Families .....	410	Burials.....	39
Baptisms—Ad. 12, Inf. 37 .....	49	Services—Sund. 160, weekd. 265.	425
Confirmed .....	37	Holy Communion—pub.80, priv.23	103
Communicants—ad. 30, rec. 10,		S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 180..	198
died 6, rem. 11, present no. ...	580	Industrial School—Teachers 35,	
Marriages .....	16	Scholars 221.....	256

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 173 05	Diocesan Missions.....	\$308 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary .	4,427 48	“ W. A. bxs.	156 85
Sunday School .....	125 00	Christmas Fund ..	55 00
Repairs and Improvements.	250 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	23 00
Sewing School .....	100 00	Theological Education.....	35 00
Mothers' Meetings.....	147 00	Onondaga Indian Mission..	37 00
Thanksgiving Offering.....	33 25	Mrs. Knickerbocker .....	10 00
Special Charities .....	300 00	Missions—Domestic.....	245 00
St. Peter's Guild .....	200 00	“ W. A. bxs	71 83
Auburn City Hospital .....	234 25	Foreign .....	142 00
General Fund .....	120 00	St. Augustine College, N.C.	20 00

Parochial, \$5,990.03; Diocesan, \$744.85; General, \$478.83 .....\$7,213 71

Church Property—Church, \$85,000; Rectory, \$15,000. Other property, \$22,000: \$122,000.

Insurance, \$35,000.

Cayuga County : Auburn—Moravia,

Auburn, St. John's Church.

THE REV. C. N. CLEMENT BROWN, Rector.

Wardens—John Gilltrap, George Marland.

Families .....	80	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 8 .....	10	Burials.....	5
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 251, weekd.192 .	443
Communicants—rec. 2, died 3,		HolyCommunion—pub.182,priv.10	142
rem. 2, present no.....	195	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 85....	93

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 35 99	Other Parochial objects....	\$ 200 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	750 89	Diocesan Missions.....	30 00
Sunday School.....	45 29	Christmas Fund .....	10 33
Repairs and Improvements.	42 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	2 86
Thanksgiving.....	2 89	Missions—General.....	14 21

Parochial, \$1,077.06; Diocesan, \$43.19; General, \$14.21 ..... \$1,184 46

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Chapel, \$3,000: \$28,000.

Insurance, \$6,000.

Moravia, St. Matthew's Church.

THE REV. JAMES B. MURRAY, D. D., Rector.

Wardens—Hiram H. Alley, Wing T. Parker.

Families .....	79	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 5 .....	8	Burials.....	9
Confirmed .....	8	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 79..	183
Communicants—within two years		HolyCommunion—pub.50, priv. 9	59
127, all others 15, died 2, rem. 4,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 61....	66
present no .....	142		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$587 20	St. Andrew's Guild....	\$18 00
Sunday School.....	40 60	Diocesan Missions.....	68 25
Repairs and Improvements.	18 20	Christmas Fund .....	4 40
Insurance .....	8 10	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 67
New Hymnal.....	6 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	3 00
St. Margaret's Guild .....	120 00	Missions—Domestic .....	6 70

Parochial, \$807.10; Diocesan, \$82.32; General, \$6.70..... \$896 12

Church Property—Church, \$5,000. Insurance, \$3,300.

Chemung County : Big Flats—Elmira.

Chemung County.

Big Flats, St. John's Church.

THE REV. DAVID L. FERRIS, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Lucius Tuttle, Daniel B. Steele.

Families .....	20	Communicants.....	31
Confirmed .....	1	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 30....	35

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 62	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 14 33
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	226 95	W. A. bxs	7 00
Sunday School.....	5 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	90
Repairs and Improvements.	4 00	Missions—General.....	5 01
General Fund .....	1 53	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	4 50

Parochial, \$236.57; Diocesan, \$23.76; General, \$9.51..... \$269 84

Church Property—Church, \$2,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Elmira, Trinity Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. MCKNIGHT, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—W. C. Wey, M. D., Jackson Richardson.

Families .....	207	Marriages ....	12
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 8 .....	13	Burials.....	12
Confirmed .....	23	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 76..	178
Communicants—ad. 15, rec. 26,		Holy Communion—pub 24, priv. 1	25
died 6, rem. 7, present no ...	278	S. S. Teachers 17, Scholars 170..	187

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 158 24	House of Good Shepherd..	\$ 17 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	5,135 45	St. Joseph's, Rome.....	25 00
Sunday School ..	44 88	Missions—Domestic .....	144 75
Repairs and Improvements, 2,628 42		W. A. bxs,	301 00
Diocesan Missions .....	306 62	Foreign .....	104 00
General Fund .....	81 71	Jews .....	12 00
Christmas Fund .....	37 65	Increase of the Ministry...	119 63
Building Fund....	13 07	Bishop Garrett....	25 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	12 00	Retiring Fund .....	20 00
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	9 28		

Parochial, \$7,966.99; Diocesan, \$502.33; General, \$726.38 .....\$9,195 70

Church Property—Church, \$35,000; Rectory, \$5,000; Chapel, \$35,000: \$75,000.

Indebtedness, \$1,700. Insurance, \$30,000.

The repairs and improvements include alterations in chancel, gifts in furniture, viz.: Silver alms basin, brass chancel rail, altar cloths and stoles, choir stalls and robes, brass mounted prayer desk, Sunday School library and repairs on exterior of the chapel.

Chemung County : Elmira.

Elmira, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM E. WRIGHT, RECTOR.

Wardens—George W. Kingsbury, Luther L. Barney.

Families .....	150	Marriages ... ..	11
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 41 .....	45	Burials .....	23
Confirmed .....	19	Services—Sund. 284, weekd 1102, 1386	
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.417,priv.6	423
260, all others 60, ad. 22, rec. 9,		S. S. Teachers 14, Scholars 150..	164
died 9, rem. 25, present no ...	317		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 167 75	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 56 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,672 10	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 00
Sunday School.....	131 39	St. Agnes Chapel S. S.....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements,	24 33	Missions—S. S. Easter off'g	20 00
Vestments and altar linen..	20 00	Indian, W.A. bxs	75 00
Other Parochial objects ....	15 62	Armenian Christians .....	1 00

Parochial, \$3,031.19; Diocesan, \$70; General, \$96.....\$3,197 19

Church Property—Church, \$15,000. Insurance, \$5,000.

The above report of baptisms, confirmations, and money raised includes the work done in St. Agnes Chapel District. The chapel services have been maintained, and virtually a new point for Diocesan Missionary enterprise has been held for the church.

Elmira, Emmanuel Mission.

THE REV. CHARLES D. ATWELL, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	65	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 15 .....	21	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	14	Services—Sund. 150, weekd. 130.	280
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.113,priv.2	115
99, all others 15, rec.5, pres. no.	114	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 80....	89

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 11 55	Lectern Bible.....	\$16 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	400 23	Altar Book .....	8 00
Sunday School.....	64 04	New Lectern .....	18 00
Interest on debt.....	162 00	Flowers .....	8 00
Easter offering .....	96 05	Diocesan Missions .....	24 00
St. Martha's Guild .....	232 97	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 75

Parochial, \$1,056.84; Diocesan, \$27.75 .....\$1,084 59

Church Property—Church, \$7,000.

Indebtedness, \$2,700. Insurance, \$2,000.

A sum of money is on hand and some more subscribed to reduce the indebtedness July 1st.

(Chemung County : Horseheads—Van Etten.

Horseheads, St. Matthew's Church.

THE REV. DAVID L. FERRIS, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Edward Bryan, Walker L. Dailey.

Families.....	51	Marriage.....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 7 .....	11	Burials .....	7
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 87, weekd. 60 ..	147
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	13
58, died 4, rem. 2, pres. no....	56	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 52....	57

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 12 90	General Fund .....	\$ 5 68
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	459 06	Episcopate Fund....	15 32
Sunday School.....	17 81	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 60
Repairs and Improvements,	4 00	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	2 00
Diocesan Missions .....	26 89	St. Joseph's, Rome.....	1 05
“ W. A. bxs	10 00	Missions—Mite chests.....	10 75
Parochial, \$493.77; Diocesan, \$62.54; General, \$10.75 .....		\$ 567 06	

Van Etten, St. Thomas' Church.

THE REV. G. WHARTON McMULLEN, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—F. P. Thayer, O. P. Dimon, E. Canfield, M. D., George Banfield, H. Banfield.

Families .....	51	Marriage.....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 12 .....	22	Burials .....	3
Confirmed .....	7	Services—Sund. 107, weekd. 118,	225
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	21
51, ad. 17, rec. 1, died 1, rem.7,		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 52....	59
present no. ....	38		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	414 72	Missions—Dom., W.A. bx..\$	5 00
Sunday School.....	20 00	Foreign, Lent.bx	2 72
Diocesan Missions.....	20 00	Jun. Aux. bx. ....	25 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 26		
Parochial, \$434.72; Diocesan, \$22.26; General, \$32.72.....		\$ 489 70	

Church Property—Church, \$5,500. Insurance, \$4,500.

*Chemung County: Wellsburgh. Chenango County: Afton.*

### Wellsburgh, Christ Church.

THE REV. CHARLES D. ATWELL, MISSIONARY.

*Trustees*—Harold Bevens, LaRue Colgrove, M. D., Lewis West.

Families .....	26	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 4 .....	10	Services—Sund. 19, weekd. 40...	59
Confirmed .....	13	Holy Communion—pub. 15, priv. 1,	16
Communicants—rem. 2, pres. no. 39		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 29....	34

#### OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	324 97	Offerings at services .....	\$ 89 37
Easter offering .....	43 05	Diocesan Missions .....	12 00
Insurance on church.....	27 00		
Parochial, \$484.39; Diocesan, \$12.00.....			\$ 496 39

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$1,800.

### Chenango County.

#### Afton, St. Ann's Church.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, MISSIONARY.

*Wardens*—Harrison R. Caswell, Nathan B. Stowell.

Families ....	36	Burial .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 3 .....	6	Services—Sun. 45, weekd. 12....	57
Communicants—rec. 1, rem. 1,		Holy Communion—public .....	10
pres. no. ....	45	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 12....	15

#### OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 5 89	Hymnals and anthems.....\$	11 30
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	168 07	Lenten expenses .....	3 00
Sunday School... ..	1 00	Diocesan Missions ... ..	18 06
Repairs and Improvements,	4 55	General Fund .....	4 14
Choir stalls .....	3 50	Christmas Fund .....	1 50
Insurance .....	37 50	Missions—Domestic .....	8 00
Vestments for choir .....	5 05	Colored, W.A. bx	5 00
Thanksgiving .....	2 35		
Parochial, \$242.21; Diocesan, \$23.70; General, \$13.00 .....			\$ 278 91

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

The present Missionary took charge November 1st, 1894, but the report covers the full year. Special services have been held by the Missionary at Vallonia Springs.

Chenango County: Bainbridge—Greene.

Bainbridge, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. WALTER E. BENTLEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Joseph Juliand, N. D. Card.

Families .....	80	Burials .....	4
Baptisms—Adult.....	6	Services—Sund. 184, weekd. 66..	200
Confirmed .....	9	Holy Communion—pub.56, priv.4	60
Communicants—died 2, pres. no.	100	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 42....	50

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 70 05	General Fund .....	\$ 20 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	749 27	Christmas Fund .....	4 96
Sunday School .....	30 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 16
Repairs and Improvements,	399 66	Missions—Domestic .....	12 00
Vested Choir... ..	100 00	Foreign .....	5 00
Poor Fund .....	30 00	Colored, W.A. bx	20 00
Thanksgiving .....	4 66	Jews .....	1 75
Choir vestments .....	4 58	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	1 00
Diocesan Missions .....	48 79	A. P. U. C.....	50

Parochial, \$1,388.22; Diocesan, \$83.91; General, \$40.25 .....\$1,512 38

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$2,600; Parish House, \$1,500; Tenement, \$600: \$9,200.

Insurance, \$6,625.

The present Rector took charge November 1st, 1894, but the report covers the year.

Greene, Zion Church.

THE REV. ALEXANDER H. ROGERS, RECTOR.

Wardens—F. E. Barnard, Frederick Juliand.

Families .....	122	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 4 .....	9	Burials .....	17
Confirmed .....	5	Services—Sund. 113, weekd. 76..	189
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.31, priv.2,	33
191, all others 16, ad. 5, died 4,		S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 70....	79
rem. 10, pres. no. ....	207		

Chenango County : Guilford.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 53 68	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	\$ 16 53
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,202 74	“ Jun. A. bxs	28 25
Sunday School . . . . .	29 24	Foreign . . . . .	20 82
S. S. Library . . . . .	6 97	“ W. A. . . . .	4 00
Easter Flowers . . . . .	8 25	“ Jun. A. . . . .	5 00
“ Helping Hand,” . . . . .	107 04	Colored, W. A. bxs	59 70
Gifts to Rector and family..	44 93	Indian, W. A. bxs	22 65
Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	6 05	Jews . . . . .	5 96
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	225 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	8 21
“ Jun. Aux.	5 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund . . .	10 86
Diocesan Director W. A. . . .	4 00	Mrs. Buford's Hospital . . .	12 41
General Fund . . . . .	60 00	“ “ W. A. . . . .	17 35
Christmas Fund . . . . .	34 62	Bishops Talbot and Leonard	
Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	9 87	W. A. . . . .	7 50
St. Andrew's Divinity Sch.,	40 00	Bishop Brewer, S. S. . . . .	9 83
Trumansburg, W. A. . . . .	7 50	General Missions, S. S. . . .	50 12
Onondaga Mission. W. A. . .	10 00		
Parochial, \$1,458.90; Diocesan, \$395.99; General, \$278.69 . . . . .			\$2,133 58

Church Property—Church, \$50,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$53,000.

Insurance, \$31,500.

Guilford, Christ Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, RECTOR.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 7 . . . . .	8	Marriage . . . . .	1
Confirmed . . . . .	2	Burials . . . . .	8
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 101,	205
112, all others 32, died 2, rem. 3,		Holy Communion—pub. 53, priv. 7,	60
pres. no. . . . .	139	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 54 . . . .	60

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 25 72	General Fund . . . . .	\$ 11 94
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	523 19	Christmas Fund . . . . .	3 19
Sunday School . . . . .	13 82	Jun. A. pledges . . . . .	3 00
Repairs and Improvements,	4,430 23	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	2 28
Gifts to Rector . . . . .	29 69	Shelter. Syracuse . . . . .	5 00
Gift to Organist. . . . .	21 00	Rev. John Scott, W. A. . . . .	3 00
Convocation expenses . . . . .	1 30	Bishop's anniversary . . . . .	3 00
Delegates Convention exp's	4 82	Other objects . . . . .	2 00
Endowment Fund . . . . .	87 05	Missions—Foreign . . . . .	4 25
Vestments . . . . .	5 85	Jews . . . . .	3 00
Repairs on Rectory . . . . .	21 00	General Missions, S. S. . . .	23 65
Other Parochial objects . . .	50 00	Bishop Brewer . . . . .	10 00
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	66 98	Bishops Talbot and Leonard,	
“ Jun. A. bx. . . . .	2 00	W. A. . . . .	2 00

Parochial, \$5,213.67; Diocesan, \$102.39; General, \$42.90 . . . . . \$5,358 96

Church Property—Church, \$7,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$9,000.

Insurance, \$5,700.



Chenango County : McDonough—Mount Upton.

McDonough, Calvary Mission.

THE REV. WILLIAM HIGGS, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—E. A. Brown, George S. Weaver, W. M. Barnes, A. B. Merriam, R. V. Emerson, E. A. Lamb, H. B. Sanford.

Families .....	27	Burials .....	3
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 63..	167
21, all others 10, pres. no.....	81	Holy Communion—public .....	13
Marriages .....	2	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 23....	26

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms ... .. \$	14 05	Hymnals .....	\$ 2 40
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	123 17	Diocesan Missions .....	24 23
Sunday School .....	10 80	General Fund.....	20 00
Thanksgiving Offering ....	1 53		
Parochial, \$151.95; Diocesan, \$44.23..			\$ 196 15

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

In the list of families are included those households only in which there is a baptized person, the plan of reporting families whose members simply attend the services occasionally being this year abandoned. In the account of offerings a portion of the Communion alms is reported a second time under another head. The list of communicants includes several persons not permanently resident, but without parochial connections elsewhere. The mission is indebted to the Rev. James K. Parker, of Waterville, and the Rev. R. J. Adler, of the Diocese of Albany, for hymnals for the use of the choir and congregation.

Mount Upton, Grace Church.

THE REV. GEORGE G. PERRINE, MISSIONARY.

Communicants—within two years		Services—Sunday .....	20
12, rem. 2, pres. no .....	12	Holy Communion—public .....	12

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 4 95	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 6 85
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	130 00	General Fund .....	1 00
Parochial, \$134.95; Diocesan, \$7.86 .....			\$ 142 81

Church Property—Church, \$2,000.

Chenango County: New Berlin—Norwich.

New Berlin, St. Andrew's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. KIRKLAND, RECTOR.

Wardens—H. O. Moss, J. T. White.

Baptisms—Infant .....	6	Burials .....	16
Communicants—died 1, rem. 4, .		Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 98..	202
present no. ....	141	Holy Communion—pub.16, priv.2,	18
Marriages .....	3	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 75...	85

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 51 74	Children's Aid Society.....	\$ 5 98
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,632 06	Missions—Domestic .....	24 00
Sunday School .....	52 69	“ W. A. bxs	81 00
Hymnals for Choir .....	13 08	Foreign .....	23 46
Diocesan Missions .....	173 73	Jews .....	4 04
General Fund .....	60 00	Church Building Fund ....	18 00
Christmas Fund .....	24 00	Debt Board of Missions....	41 24
Bishop's Chaplain . ....	25 00	Children's Lenten offering	
Convocation .....	12 52	for missions .....	12 82
Aged and Disabled Clergy..	15 00	Jun. Auxiliary. by gifts....	10 00

Parochial, \$1,749.57; Diocesan, \$295.25; General, \$185.54 .....\$2,280 86

Church Property—Church, \$12,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$14,500.

Insurance, \$9,500.

Norwich, Emmanuel Church.

THE REV. HENRY D. STEBBINS, RECTOR.

Wardens—William F. Jenks, Henry L. Marsh.

Families .....	177	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 11 .....	14	Burials .....	8
Confirmed .....	10	Services—Sund. 125, weekd. 100,	225
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	30
200, all others 72, rec. 2, died 5,		S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 110..	125
rem. 3, present no. ....	272		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 68 57	Convocation expenses.....	\$ 5 19
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,493 72	Missions—Domestic .....	13 79
Sunday School .....	10 79	“ W.A. bxs	42 50
Repairs and Improvements,	490 21	Foreign .....	5 18
Thanksgiving Offering ....	7 70	Mr. Shimmon...	7 56
Bible, &c., from S. S. ....	21 25	Deaf Mutes ....	2 79
Diocesan Missions.....	85 92	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	2 54
Christmas Fund .....	4 25	S. S. Lent off'g for Missions	25 74
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	7 27		

Parochial, \$2,092.24; Diocesan, \$102.63; General, \$100.05 .....\$2,294 92

Church Property—Church, \$25,000; Rectory, \$3,400: \$28,400.

Indebtedness, \$400. Insurance, \$10,000.

*Chenango County : Oxford—Sherburne.*

**Oxford, St. Paul's Church.**

**THE REV. EDWIN W. COLLOQUE, RECTOR.**

*Wardens*—James W. Glover, F. G. Clarke.

Families .....	131	Marriages ...	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 5 .....	7	Burials .....	6
Confirmed .....	11	Services—Sund. 106, weekd. 91..	197
Communicants—died 3, rem. 8,		Holy Communion pub.28, priv. 6,	29
pres. no. ....	180	S. S. Teachers 18, Scholars 67...	80

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms .....	\$ 158 15	Convocation .....	\$ 11 25
Other local charities.....	54 87	Increase of the Ministry ...	46 77
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,369 90	Onondaga Indians, S. S....	48 12
Sunday School.....	116 36	Honor Cottage, bx.....	6 00
Repairs and Improvements,	308 02	Missions—Domestic .....	62 94
Fuel, lights, incidentals ...	296 14	Foreign .....	41 06
Insurance .....	88 60	Jews .....	9 21
Thanksgiving to Rector....	75 67	Deaf Mutes ....	15 23
Other Parochial objects ....	125 99	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	19 90
Diocesan Missions.....	331 64	Nashotah.....	5 00
“ W. A. ....	15 00	Paul Shimmon, student ...	28 37
General Fund and Bishop's		Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	26 29
Assistant.....	60 00	Nebraska sufferers .....	12 28
Christmas Fund .....	81 27	“ bx.....	50 00
Building Fund.....	10 02	Bishop Brewer.....	15 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	21 60	Mrs. Buford, bxs.....	13 20
Guilford, Christ Church,		Sisters of Good Shepherd,..	15 00
window, S. S. ....	35 00	“ “ bxs.	22 00

Parochial, \$2,588.70; Diocesan, \$666.67; General, \$335.48.....\$3,590 85

Church Property—Church, Chapel and Rectory, \$30,000.

Insurance, \$16,000.

Of the above the Parish Aid Society contributed \$128.39; the King's Daughters, \$25.20; and the Honor Society, \$6.00. A Memorial Window, costing \$1,000, has been placed in the chancel of the church.

**Sherburne, Christ Church.**

**THE REV. WILLIAM E. ALLEN, RECTOR.**

*Wardens*—George B. Whitmore, Charles A. Merchant.

Families .....	90	Burials.. ..	11
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 14 .....	15	Services—Sund. 122, weekd 104..	226
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .	78
108, all others 35, died 1, pres.no	143	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 65...	75
Marriages .....	2		

Cortland County : Cortland.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 51 66	Diocesan Missions.....	\$56 98
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,101 58	"    W. A....	12 00
Sunday School .....	36 50	"    W. A. bxs	10 00
Convocation Expenses .....	5 10	Christmas Fund .....	5 75
Thanksgiving offering .....	4 94	Bishop's Assistance Fund..	4 90
Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	14 95	Missions—Domestic S. S. ..	10 35
Ladies Aid Society .....	275 12	Foreign, S. S. ..	10 35
Christmas Tree .....	45 00	Jews .....	2 05
General Fund.....	20 00		
Parochial, \$1,534.85; Diocesan, \$109.63; General, \$22.75.....\$1,667 23			

Church Property—Church and Chapel, \$9,000; Rectory, \$1,500; Trust Fund, \$400; \$10,900.

Insurance, \$6,000.

A beautiful brass pulpit has been placed in the church in memory of the late William Cooke by his heirs: and also an elegant brass litany desk in memory of the late Mrs. Amanda Blanchard, by her daughter Mrs. C. L. Sandford.

Cortland County.

Cortland, Grace Church.

THE REV. AMOS WATKINS, RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry B. Hubbard, Edward D. Webb.

Families .....	119	Marriages .....	6
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 5 .....	9	Burials.....	8
Confirmed .....	11	Services—Sund, 143, weekd 101 .	244
Communicants—rec. 9, died 4,		Holy Communion—pub. 57, priv. 3	60
rem. 1, pres. no. ....	207	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75....	84

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$1,583 46	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 5 25
Sunday School.....	3 23	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	2 00
Repairs and Improvements.	151 83	Missions—Domestic .....	1 65
Part payment on organ ...	572 00	Foreign .....	1 81
Diocesan Missions .....	66 00	Colored W.A. bxs	24 00
General Fund.....	87 50	Deaf Mutes.....	2 25
Christmas Fund.....	11 08		
Parochial, \$2,310.52; Diocesan, \$121.83; General, \$29.71..... \$2,462 06			

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Furniture, \$3,600: \$13,600.

Insurance, \$7,000.

Cortland County : Homer. Jefferson County : Adams—Antwerp.

Homer, Calvary Church.

THE REV. PARKER FENNO, MINISTER.

Financial Committee—Nelson H. Waters, John Ballad, Chas. T. Gilbert, John J. Murray.

Families .....	50	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 9 .....	10	Burials.....	12
Confirmed.....	10	Services—Sund. 102, weekd 15 ..	117
Communicants—rec. 1, died 4,		Holy Communion—public .....	6
rem. 4, present no.....	60	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 33....	40

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$657 47	Ladies' Guild.....	\$ 159 62
Sunday School.....	22 75	Diocesan Missions.....	35
Repairs and Improvements.	9 10	Christmas Fund .....	2 32
S. S. Library books.....	27 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 50
New Hymnals .....	18 50		
Parochial, \$894.44; Diocesan, \$6.17.....			\$900 61

Church Property—Church, \$5,000.

Indebtedness, \$402. Insurance, \$3,250.

Jefferson County.

Adams, Emmanuel Church.

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Wardens—Morgan Bryan, Charles B. Gaylord.

Families .....	38	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 2 .....	5	Burials .....	4
Confirmed .....	3	Services—Sunday .....	60
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—private.....	2
73, all others 18, died 1,pres. no	90	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 50....	57

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	534 55	Diocesan Missions .....	48 69
Sunday School.....	8 64	Missions—Domestic.....	10 50
Repairs and Improvements,	44 26	“ W. A. bxs	38 65
Christmas Gifts, S. S. ....	8 35		
Parochial, \$595.80; Diocesan, \$48.69; General, \$49.15 .....			\$693 64

Indebtedness, \$75. Insurance, \$2,000.

Antwerp, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. J. HYPKIN BROWN, RECTOR.

Wardens—A. L. Hilton, Charles Hacker.

Families .....	36	Burials.....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 1 .....	9	Services—Sund. 96, weekd 30 ...	126
Confirmed .....	11	Holy Communion—public .....	8
Communicants .....	63	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 53....	58
Marriages .....	2		

Jefferson County : Brownville—Cape Vincent.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 15 82	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 57 82
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	562 97	“ W. A. bxs	10 00
Sunday School.....	45 22	Lenten Mite bxs .....	18 58
Repairs and Improvements.	18 64	Daughters of the King ....	20 00
Bishop's Relief Fund... ..	5 68		
Parochial, \$642.65; Diocesan, \$83.45; General, \$38.53.....			
			\$764 68

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Rectory, \$1,800: \$5,800.

Insurance, \$2,800.

Brownville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE MAXWELL, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Charles Outerson, Edwin N. Giles.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 5 .....	8	Services—Sund. 51, weekd 25....	76
Confirmed.....	6	Holy Communion—public .....	1
Burials .....	2	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 25....	28

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 285 82	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 21 87
Sunday School.....	6 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements.	24 98	Missions—General.....	2 85
Parochial, \$316.80; Diocesan, \$26.87 General, \$2.85.....			
			\$346 52

Cape Vincent, St. John's Church.

THE REV. SAMUEL W. STROWGER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Erastus K. Burnham, J. Albert Scobell.

Families.....	81	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 14, Inf. 12 .....	26	Burials. ....	9
Confirmed .....	26	Services—Sund. 113, weekd 45 ..	158
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 19, priv. 3	22
1133, all others 25, ad. 22, died		S. S. Teachers 11, Scholars 90...	101
2, rem. 3, pres no .....	158		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 44 84	General Fund .....	\$ 22 17
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	659 05	Christmas Fund .....	7 04
Sunday School.....	127 06	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 43
Repairs and Improvements.	231 50	Missions—Domestic .....	6 00
Diocesan Missions .....	92 53	Increase of the Ministry ...	13 75
“ W. A. bxs	19 25		
Parochial, \$1,062.45; Diocesan, \$147.42; General, \$19.75.....			
			\$1,229 62

Church Property—Church \$4,500; Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,000.

Insurance, \$5,000.

*Jefferson County : Carthage—Champton.*

**Carthage, Grace Church.**

**THE REV. CHARLES E. S. RASAY, Rector.**

*Wardens*—Henry W. Hammond, James Pringle.

Families .....	60	Marriages ....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 16 .....	19	Burials .....	5
Confirmed .....	11	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 60..	164
Communicants—last year 124, ad.		Holy Communion—public .....	3
11, died 1, rem. 18, pres. no...	112	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 64....	72

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....\$	2 70	Other Parochial objects....\$	25 08
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,052 75	Diocesan Missions ....	112 19
Sunday School.....	15 00	General Fund. ....	20 00
Repairs and Improvements,	55 88	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 00
Insurance .....	64 21	Missions—Domestic .....	6 00
Stationery and printing....	10 05	Colored, W.A.bxs	20 00
Sunday School Library ....	55 00	General Missions, S. S. ....	7 79
Interest on Rectory debt ...	15 00	Answers to appeals.....	2 00

Parochial, \$1,295.62; Diocesan, \$135.19; General, \$35.79 ..... \$1,466 00

Church Property—Church, \$6,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$8,500.

Indebtedness, \$250. Insurance, \$7,500.

**Champion, St. John's Church.**

**THE REV. CHARLES T. RAYNOR, Rector.**

*Wardens*—Allen Russell, Elwyn Hill.

Families .....	24	Services—Sund. 39, weekd. 3 ...	43
Communicants .....	32	Holy Communion—public.....	4

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms .....	\$ 1 01	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary ....	\$ 1 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	93 09	Missions—Colored, W.A.bxs	6 90
Diocesan Missions .....	4 20	Bishop Leonard, Utah.....	1 50
“ W.A. bxs	8 60	Bishop Talbot .....	50
General Fund.....	4 00		

Parochial, \$94.10; Diocesan, \$17.80; General, \$8.90.....\$120 80

Church Property, \$1,500.

This report is from July 1, 1894, to May 1, 1895.

Jefferson County : Dexter—Ellisburgh—Frederick's Corners,

Dexter, All Saints' Church.

THE REV. BURR M. WEEDEN, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	13	Confirmed .....	1
Baptisms—Adult.....	1	Services—Sund. 39, weekd. 2....	41
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	2
17, pres. no. ....	18		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 2 13	Diocesan Missions ... ..	\$ 1 26
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	123 14	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	2 34
Parochial, \$125.27; Diocesan, \$3.60 .....		\$ 128 87	
Church Property—Church, \$1,000.			

Ellisburgh, Christ Church.

THE REV. ANSON J. BROCKWAY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	12	Services—Sunday .....	22
Communicants .....	12	Holy Communion—public .....	9

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 4 55	Gifts to Rector.....	\$ 35 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary,	3 31	Diocesan Missions, W.A. bxs	7 37
Repairs and Improvements,	1 00	Rev. Mr. Scott's salary ....	2 00
Parochial, \$44.36; Diocesan, \$9.37 .....		\$ 53 73	
Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.			

Frederick's Corners, St. Paul's Mission.

THE REV. A. J. BROCKWAY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	12	Services—Sunday .....	4
Communicants .....	16		

OFFERINGS.

Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 0 95
Church Property—Church, \$1,600. Insurance, \$1,200.	

The present Missionary has had charge for the last three months, and this report covers only that period.



*Jefferson County : Great Bend—Glen Park—Pierrepont Manor.*

**Great Bend, Trinity Church.**

Baptisms, Infant 1; Services, Sunday, 24; weekday 93; Burials, 2.

**Glen Park, St. Andrew's Mission.**

THE REV. GEORGE MAXWELL, MISSIONARY.

Baptisms—Infant .....	8	Holy Communion—public .....	1
Confirmed ... ..	7	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 19....	23
Services—Sunday .....	50		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	35 00	Diocesan Missions.....\$	5 04
Sunday School.....	5 00	Missions—General .....	2 00
Repairs and Improvements,	60 00		
Parochial, \$100; Diocesan, \$5.04; General, \$200 .....			\$ 107 04

**Pierrepont Manor, Zion Church.**

THE REV. ANSON J. BROCKWAY, RECTOR.

Wardens—William M. White, J. A. Bemis.

Families .....	34	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 2 .....	3	Burials ....	4
Confirmed ....	3	Services—Sund. 87, weekd. 24...	111
Communicants—ad. 3, rem. 1,		Holy Communion—pub.13,priv.1,	14
present no. ....	54	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 34....	39

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 9 68	General Fund .....	\$ 2 06
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	135 97	Christmas Fund .....	2 00
Sunday School.....	12 69	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	3 15
Repairs and Improvements,	5 00	Rev.Mr.Scott's salary,W.A.	50
Ladies' Society for Sexton	65 15	Diocesan Fund, W. A.....	50
Diocesan Missions .....	24 62	Missions—Dom., W.A. bxs.	30 00
“ W. A. bxs.	5 40	Increase of the Ministry....	1 00

Parochial, \$228.49; Diocesan, \$38.23; General, \$31 .....\$ 297 72

Church Property—Church, \$5,000. Rectory, \$3,000: \$8,000.

Insurance, \$5,000.

Jefferson County : Redwood—Sacketts Harbor.

Redwood, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN SMILEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—W. A. Failing, C. W. Dollinger.

Families .....	25	Services—Sund. 47, weekd 4....	51
Baptism—Infant.....	2	Holy Communion—pub. 5, priv. 2	7
Communicants.....	34	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 30....	36

.OFFERINGS

Communion Alms .....	\$ 3 75	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 30 37
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	170 06	Christmas Fund .....	6 16
Sunday School.....	34 90	Bishop's Chaplain Fund ...	3 58
Repairs and Improvements,	30 37	Rev. John Scott .....	2 00
Hymnals .....	16 10	Mrs. Knickerbocker .....	2 00
New Organ .....	194 48	Missions—Domestic .....	12 00
Thanksgiving to Rector....	20 06	“ W.A.bxs	11 10
Sunday School banner ....	3 50	Foreign .....	7 50
Gift to Rector .....	20 00	Colored, W.A.bxs	18 50

Parochial, \$493.16; Diocesan, \$44.11; General, \$49.10..... \$586 37

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Sackett's Harbor, Christ Church.

THE REV. BURR M. WEEDEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—E. P. Ewers, Madison Symonds.

Families . .....	51	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 14 .....	21	Burials.....	9
Confirmed .....	11	Services—Sund. 92, weekd 21 ...	118
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	5
90, all others 18, rec. 2, died 3,		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 55....	61
rem. 3, pres, no. ....	86		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's aud Rector's Salary..	\$ 499 01	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	\$ 4 00
Sunday School.....	23 67	Missions—Foreign .....	4 53
Repairs and Improvements.	83 94	“ S. S. offering	13 50
For Parsonage.....	457 95	Children at Barracks	1 68
Diocesan Missions .....	69 88		

Parochial, \$1,078; Diocesan, \$73.88; General, \$19.71 ..... \$1,171 66

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,300: \$6,300.

Insurance, \$2,500.

Jefferson County : Theresa—Watertown.

Theresa, St. James' Church.

THE REV, JOHN SMILEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—Franklin Parker, Peter Schwarz.

Families.....	50	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 11.....	19	Services—Sund. 54, weekd 8 ....	62
Confirmed .....	7	Holy Communion—public ... ..	5
Communicants—rem. 11, pres. no	54	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 40,...	46
Marriages .....	4		

OFFERINGS

Communion Alms.....\$	4 25	Bishop's Relief Fund ... ..\$	4 55
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	303 57	St. Agnes Guild bx.....	2 90
Sunday School.....	21 50	Rev. John Scott.....	2 00
Repairs and Improvements	30 67	Diocesan President W. A.	1 00
New windows .....	193 00	Trumansburgh .....	1 00
Insurance on Rectory .....	11 00	Bishop's Chaplain Fund....	3 00
Present to Rector .....	105 00	Missions—Domestic .....	7 00
St. Agnes Guild.....	17 25	Foreign .....	5 00
Other Parochial objects....	11 32	Jews .....	2 33
Diocesan Missions.....	38 50	Deaf Mutes.....	2 74
“ “ W. A. bx	8 35		

Parochial, \$697.56; Diocesan, \$61.10; General, \$17.07.....\$ 775 73

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200; \$4,200

Insurance, \$2,500.

Watertown, Trinity Church.

THE REV. J. SANDERS REED, RECTOR.

THE REV. O. E. HERRICK, D. D., THE REV. F. P. WINNE, ASSISTANTS.

Wardens—A. H. Sawyer, H. H. Babcock.

Families .....	390	Marriages .....	19
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 35 .....	40	Burials .....	47
Confirmed .....	36	Services—Sund. 156, weekd 148 .	304
Communicants—died 17, rem. 17,		Holy Communion—pub.76, priv.12	88
present no. ....	926	S. S. Teachers 44, Scholars 871..	415

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 302 06	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	6,210 12	Missions—Domestic .....	242 71
Sunday School.....	325 00	“ W. A. and	
Repairs and Improvements.	429 94	J. A. bxs	290 52
Other Parochial objects....	1,544 35	Foreign .....	214 25
Diocesan Missions.....	655 75	Colored .....	80 00
“ W. A. bxs	69 45	“ W. A. and	
General Fund .....	196 60	J. A. bxs	41 61
Christmas Fund .....	89 75	Indian .....	60 00

Parochial, \$8,811.47; Diocesan, \$1,012.55; General, \$929.09 .....\$10,753 11

Church Property—Church, \$127,000; Rectory, \$15.500: \$142.500.

Insurance, \$68,500.

Jefferson County : Watertown.

Watertown, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM H. BOWN, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. D. Wright, L. F. Phillips.

Families . . . . .	150	Marriages . . . . .	7
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 2 . . . . .	4	Burials . . . . .	7
Confirmed . . . . .	18	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 98 . .	200
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 36, priv. 5,	41
243, rec. 3, present no. . . . .	246	S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 125 . .	140

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . . \$	48 52	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	41 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary . .	2,910 00	“ W. A. bxs. . . . .	53 50
Sunday School . . . . .	64 40	Colored . . . . .	5 00
Repairs and Improvements. . .	45 55	Indian . . . . .	5 00
Grace Ch. Free Dispensary, . .	116 57	Jews . . . . .	2 00
Other Parochial objects . . .	1,526 49	Deaf Mutes . . . . .	20 00
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	206 00	Jun. Auxiliary . . . . .	38 11
General Fund. . . . .	5 00	“ “ bx . . . . .	10 00
Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	10 50		
Parochial, \$4,711.53; Diocesan, \$221.50; General, \$174.64 . . . . . \$ 5,107 67			

Church Property—Church, \$40,500.  
Indebtedness, \$28,500. Insurance, \$24,000.

ALEXANDRIA BAY, CHURCH OF ST. LAWRENCE.

Trustees—W. C. Browning, President; Walter Fox, Secretary; A. F. Backman, Treasurer; C. H. Contoit, W. B. Hayden, R. E. Deans, H. A. Laughlin.

Baptisms—Infant 1; Confirmed 1; Communicants 1; Services, Sunday 16; Holy Communion, public 4.

The Free Church of St. Lawrence was consecrated August 19, 1894, by Bishop Rulison, of Central Pennsylvania, acting for the Bishop of the Diocese, Bishop Nelson of Georgia, and the Dean of the Convocation, assisting. Generous donors have given to the church a complete heating apparatus, cushions, and an alms basin, the latter in memory of the late Russell A. Olin, D. D., the founder of the parish, under whose ceaseless activities the building was prepared for consecration. The Ladies Aid Society purchased an organ for \$500. Services are held during June, July, August and September, and are well attended.

Watertown, Church of the Redeemer.

THE REV. GEORGE MAXWELL, MINISTER IN CHARGE.

Trustees—Rev. F. P. Winne, S. S. Trowbridge, H. W. Steele, David Shortt, R. Williams, S. J. Tyldesley L. W. Moore.

Families . . . . .	15	Marriages . . . . .	2
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 13 . . . . .	17	Burials . . . . .	2
Confirmed . . . . .	15	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 52 . .	104
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public . . . . .	10
40, ad. 15, rec. 20, pres. no 40		S. S. Teachers 16, Scholars 90, . .	106

Lewis County : Constableville—Copenhagen.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	4 50	Diocesan Missions.....\$	17 60
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	265 99	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 00
Sunday School.....	45 00	General Missions.....	9 00
Repairs and Improvements,	40 00		
Parochial, \$355.49; Diocesan, \$27.60; General, \$9 .....			\$392 09

Lewis County.

Constableville, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, Rector.

Wardens—William A. Johnson, Levi M. Plumb.

Families .....	58	Burials.....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 5 .....	7	Services—Sund. 74, weekd. 99,..	173
Confirmed .....	1	Holy Communion—public .....	30
Communicants. ....	78	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 52.....	60

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 33 44	Missions—Domestic .....	\$ 2 44
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	556 02	“ W. A. bx	3 75
Sunday School .....	15 08	Foreign .....	2 25
Gifts to Rector.....	125 00	Colored, W.A.bxs	75 07
Women's Guild .....	34 35	Indian .....	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	59 66	Deaf Mutes.....	2 80
General Fund .....	11 65	General, S. S. Lent.	18 70
Christmas Fund.....	1 68	Increase of the Ministry ...	4 85
Building Fund.....	1 50	Jun. Auxiliary bx.....	7 45
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	1 50		
Parochial, \$763.89; Diocesan, \$75.99; General, \$114.31 .....			\$954 19

Church Property—Church, \$1,000; Church Fund, \$2,800: \$3,800.

The present Missionary has been in charge only the last five months of the time covered by this report. A monthly Sunday service has been held at Greig, and several weekday services during Lent, also one marriage solemnized.

Copenhagen, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES T. RAYNOR, Rector.

Wardens—Benjamin Stanton, Wallace Dunaway.

Families .....	26	Services—Sund. 72, weekd. 40...	112
Communicants .....	35	Holy Communion—public.....	5
Burials.....	2	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 33....	38

Lewis County : Lowville—Port Leyden.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 1 10	Rev. Mr. Dantzer .....	\$ 1 05
Exp's and Rector's Salary .	176 25	Rev. Mr. Scott. ....	1 00
Sunday School .....	8 87	Missions—General S. S.....	8 65
Rector's Salary, W. Guild .	25 00	Colored, W.A.bxs	46 33
“ St. Agnes Guild	25 00	Bishop Talbot .....	50
Diocesan Missions .....	25 00	Bishop Leonard, Utah.....	50
Christmas Fund .. .....	1 20		
Parochial, \$286.22; Diocesan, \$28.25; General, \$50.97.....			\$ 815 44

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,500.

Lowville, Trinity Church.

THE REV. CHARLES H. TINDELL, RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry C. Northam, Frederick McCulloch.

Families .....	89	Burials.....	10
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 4 .....	7	Services—Sund. 94, weekd. 54...	148
Confirmed .....	4	Holy Communion .....	17
Communicants .....	125	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 50....	56
Marriages .....	3		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 19 29	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 52 27
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	974 65	Building Fund.....	2 06
Sunday School.....	4 32	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 67
Repairs and Improvements.	113 50	H. G. S., Syracuse .....	20 00
Thanksgiving offering .....	2 35	Increase of the Ministry...	8 18
Woman's Auxiliary .....	217 53	Infirm Clergy and Widows	
Daughters of the King ....	23 70	and Orphans Fund.....	3 35
Earnest Workers, Jun.Aux.	36 06		
Parochial, \$1,891.40; Diocesan, \$80; General, \$5.53.....			\$ 1,496 93

Church Property—Church, \$13,500; Rectory and stable, \$3,500: \$17,000.

Insurance, \$8,000.

A brass alms basin and standard have been placed in the chancel by the Woman's Auiliary in memory of Mrs. Mary Sophia Wood, one of the charter members of Trinity Church.

Port Leyden, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. ANTOINE G. SINGSEN, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Thomas J. Sawyer, Archibald McVickar.

Families .....	30	Burials.....	2
Baptism—Infant.....	1	Services—Sund. 50, weekd. 10 ..	60
Communicants .....	40	Holy Communion—public .....	11
Marriage .....	1		

Madison County : Cazenovia.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	17 64	General Fund.....\$	8 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	165 20	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 60
Sunday School.....	21 40	Missions—Domestic.....	1 00
Repairs and Improvements.	144 97	Foreign.....	1 00
Diocesan Missions.....	16 20	Colored, W.A. bxs.....	15 80
“ W. A. bxs.	15 00	Junior Auxiliary bxs.....	15 00

Parochial, \$349.21; Diocesan, \$44.80; General, \$32 ... ..\$ 426 10

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,000.

The present Missionary has been in charge only the last five months of the time covered by this report.

Madison County.

Cazenovia, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. JOHN T. ROSE, RECTOR.

Wardens—John V. Needham, William Watkins.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 4.....	5	Marriage.....	1
Confirmed.....	9	Burials.....	6
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 124, weekd. 114,	238
133, rec. 5, died 3, rem. 3,		Holy Communion—public.....	53
present no. ....	188	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 91....	100

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms..... \$	81 45	Salary Rev. Mr. Scott W.A. \$	3 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,824 80	Box, K. D.....	20 00
Sunday School.....	125 00	Missions—Domestic.....	94 22
Repairs and Improvements.	734 46	“ W. A. bxs,	100 00
Boys' Guild.....	12 00	Foreign.....	38 00
Thanksgiving offering.....	38 25	Colored ..	15 00
Home Charity, K. D.....	214 00	Huntington Memorial W. A	5 00
Altar Society.....	14 55	Jane Dows Westcott, Me-	
Other Parochial objects....	10 00	morial, W. A.....	5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	152 00	Special, Bishop Talbot ....	15 30
Christmas Fund.....	14 32	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	9 04
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	14 87	Junior Auxiliary.....	2 63

Parochial, \$3,054.51; Diocesan, \$204.19; General, \$284.19 ... ..\$3,542 89

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Organ, \$1,800: \$9,800.

Insurance, \$5,000.

Madison County : Canastota—Chittenango—Earlville

Canastota, Trinity Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. OTTAWAY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	44	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 4 ..	5	Burials.....	5
Confirmed .....	5	Services—Sund. 42, weekd.7 ....	49
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	8
62, ad. 5, rec. 3, present no....	70	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 50....	54

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$404 81	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 2 06
Sunday School.....	8 77	Missions—General.....	10 00
Diocesan Missions.....	15 00		
Parochial, \$413.58; Diocesan, \$17.06; General, \$10.46 .....			\$441 10

Church Property—Church, \$3,550. Insurance, \$2,500.

Chittenango, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. GEORGE H. OTTAWAY, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—J. H. H. French, Abner Hatch.

Families ....	17	Services—Sund. 44, weekd. 1....	45
Communicants.....	25	Holy Communion—public .....	6
Burial .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 214 63	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 8 60
Parochial, \$214.63; Diocesan, \$8.60.....			\$223 23

Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.

Earlville, Grace Church.

THE REV. JOEL DAVIS, MISSIONARY.

Executive Committee—LeRoy Nash, Geo. Bagan, D. D. Dimock.

Families .....	25	Burial . . . . .	1
Baptisms—Adult .....	5	Services—Sund. 25, weekd 10 ...	35
Confirmed.....	9	Holy Communion—public .....	6
Communicants—ad. 10, pres. no.	47	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 20....	25
Marriage .....	1		



Madison County : Hamilton—Oneida.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 2 50	Easter offerings .....	\$ 30 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	441 35	Diocesan Missions.....	10 50
Sunday School ... ..	16 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	2 18
Ladies Parish Guild... ..	55 00		
Parochial, \$544.85; Diocesan, \$12.68 .....			\$557 53

Church Property—Church, \$2,500. Insurance, \$1,500.

I assumed the charge of this Mission on December 5, 1894. This report dates only from that time.

Hamilton, St. Thomas' Church.

THE REV. FRANK P. HARRINGTON, RECTOR.

Wardens—Joseph Mason, B. J. Stimson.

Families 50, Individuals 15.....	65	Marriages .....	5
Baptisms—Infant .....	2	Burials.....	2
Confirmed.....	2	Services—Sund. 96, weekd. 82...	178
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	65
79, all others 14, ad. 3, rec. 5,		S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30
died 2, rem. 9, pres. no .....	98		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 38 14	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	\$ 4 18
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	863 74	Woman's Auxiliary .....	9 65
Sunday School.....	9 53	Junior Auxiliary .....	2 00
Parish Aid Society .....	111 92	Convocation fund .....	9 10
Parish Guild .....	16 47	Missions—Domestic .....	8 55
Other Parochial objects....	10 00	Foreign .....	3 90
Diocesan Missions .....	47 35	Colored, W.A. bx .....	18 00
General Fund .....	15 00	Jews .....	1 57
Christmas Fund .....	7 14	Deaf Mutes.....	3 20
Building Fund .....	6 01	Increase of the Ministry...	2 65
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 28	Texas Missionary .....	5 00

Parochial, \$1,048.80; Diocesan, \$102.71; General, \$42.87 .....\$ 1,195 38

Church Property—Church, \$3,800; Rectory, \$1,600: \$5,400.

Insurance, \$4,500.

Oneida, St. John's Church.

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR, RECTOR.

Wardens—C. W. Mott, E. F. Jewell.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 16.....	19	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	15	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 103,	205
Communicants—died 3, rem. 3,		Holy Communion—pub.70, priv.2.	72
present no. ....	225	S. S. Teachers 13, Scholars 80...	93
Marriages .....	3		

Oneida County : Augusta—Boonville.

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms .....	\$ 25 00	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 60 28
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,737 73	"    W. A. ....	19 00
Sunday School .....	51 26	"    W. A. bx ....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements.	31 60	Christmas Fund.....	17 50
Music .....	145 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	11 83
Parish Workers.....	162 17	Missions—Domestic .....	26 52
Daughters of the King ....	101 88	"    Jun. Aux. bxs	24 55
Thanksgiving offering .....	17 00	"    W. A. bxs,	87 15
Lenten offering .....	32 78	General, S S....	26 63
Expenses Quiet Day .....	8 76	"    W.A. bxs	9 74
Parish Paper .....	128 00	Colored, special .	2 00
Other Parochial objects...	100 00	National Children's Home..	3 60
General Fund .....	40 00		
Parochial, \$2,541.18; Diocesan, \$153.11; General, \$180.19 .....\$2,874 48			

Church Property—Rectory, \$5,000. Insurance, \$3,000.

The sum of \$11,000 has been subscribed toward the erection of a new stone church the coming summer.

Oneida County.

Augusta, St. Andrew's Church.

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

Wardens—Horatio Scott, George Hayward.

Families .....	10	Services—Sund. 4, weekd. 2.....	6
Communicants .....	20	Holy Communion—public .....	6

OFFERINGS.

Repairs and Improvements.\$	7 00	Diocesan Missions.....\$	12 00
Parochial, \$7; Diocesan, \$12.....\$ 19 00			

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

The parish was without a Rector during the year.

Boonville, Trinity Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM PRICE JAMES.

Families .....	40	Burials .....	2
Baptisms—Adult .....	1	Services—Sund. 84, weekd. 50...	134
Confirmed .....	18	Holy Communion—public .....	13
Communicants—ad. 13, died 1,		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 30....	36
rem. 5, present no.....	70		

Oneida County : Bridgewater—Camden.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 5 99	Surplice .....	\$ 4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	404 90	Other Parochial objects....	1 93
Sunday School.....	15 00	Diocesan Missions .....	12 50
Repairs and Improvements,	76 06	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 25
New chandeliers and lamps	67 50	Missions—Foreign, W.A.bx	3 00
Altar cloths and hangings..	25 00		
Parochial, \$600.38; Diocesan, \$17.75; General, \$3 .....			\$ 621 13

Church Property—Church, \$5,000.

Indebtedness, \$107.09. Insurance, \$2,800.

The gift of a chancel chandelier has been received.

Bridgewater, Christ Church.

THE REV. EDWARD B. DOOLITTLE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Horace Hubbard, C. V. J. Doolittle, M. D.

Families .....	26	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Adult .....	1	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 10...	63
Confirmed ..	2	Holy Communion—pub.5, priv. 2,	7
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 10....	12
20, all others 1, rec. 3, pres. no.	21		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 3 60	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 1 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	148 85	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 43
Sunday School....	3 00	Missions—Domestic .....	2 00
Diocesan Missions ...	15 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	87
General Fund .....	8 00		
Parochial, \$155.45; Diocesan, \$26.43; General, \$2.87 .....			\$ 184 75

Church Property—Church, one-third interest, \$200.

Camden, Trinity Church.

THE REV. C. J. LAMBERT, MINISTER.

Wardens—P. B. Miller, A. W. Abbott.

Families .....	70	Burials.....	3
Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Services—Sund. 84, weekd. 32...	116
Communicants—ad. 4, rec. 3,		Holy Communion—public .....	6
died 1, rem. 4, present no ...	125	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 40....	46

Onelda County : Clark Mills—Clayville.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 2 79	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 22 30
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	583 30	Missions—Domestic .....	4 00
Sunday School.....	12 00	Foreign .....	2 00
Repairs and Improvements.	51 00		
Parochial, \$599.09; Diocesan, \$22.30; General, \$6 .....			\$ 627 39

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,000.

Clark Mills, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—Noah Ashley, George Hammond.

Families .....	26	Burials.. .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 3.....	5	Services—Sund. 108, weekd 28...	136
Confirmed .....	9	Holy Communion—public .	19
Communicants .....	43	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 45 ....	50

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 2 13	Interest and insurance.....	\$ 50 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	146 00	Diocesan Missions .....	12 00
Sunday School.....	15 00	General Fund .....	5 00
Repairs and Improvements,	250 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 92
Parochial, \$463.13; Diocesan, \$21.92 .....			\$485 05

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

Indebtedness, \$500. Insurance, \$1,200.

Clayville, St. John's Church.

THE REV. EDWARD B. DOOLITTLE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry Steele, Charles H. McDowell.

Families .....	23	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 17...	69
Baptisms—Infant .....	2	Holy Communion —pub.5, priv. 2,	7
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 16....	18
30, all others 2, rec. 2, rem. 6,			
present no .....	26		

Oneida County : Clinton—Durhamville.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 5 67	General Fund.....	\$ 8 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	233 40	Christmas Fund .....	40
Sunday School.....	4 25	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 14
Indebtedness on furnace ...	119 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	40
Diocesan Missions.....	15 00		
Parochial, \$362.32; Diocesan, \$26.54; General, \$ .40 .....			\$ 889 26

Church Property—Church, \$5,000.

Clinton, St. James' Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles H. Smythe, David Mannering.

Families .....	83	Burials.....	11
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 16 .....	24	Services—Sund. 183, weekd 92 ..	275
Confirmed .....	11	Holy Communion—pub.54, priv.2,	56
Communicants—died 4, pres. no.	191	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75,...	84
Marriages .....	8		

OFFERINGS

Communion Alms .....	\$ 81 36	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 89 24
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,113 84	General Fund.....	21 00
Sunday School.....	21 60	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 98
Repairs and Improvements,	3 57	Missions—Domestic .....	3 29
Insurance .....	34 50		
Parochial, \$1,204.87; Diocesan, \$116.22; General, \$8.29 .....			\$1,324 38

Church Property—Church, \$8,000; Rectory, \$1,200; \$9,200

Insurance, \$5,000.

Durhamville, St. Andrew's Mission.

THE REV. JOHN ARTHUR. MISSIONARY.

D. Ward Clarke, Lay Reader.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 6 .....	9	Services—Sund. 62, weekd. 6....	68
Confirmed .....	6	Holy Communion—public ... ..	4
Communicants .....	45	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30
Marriage .....	1		

*Onelda County : Forestport—Holland Patent.*

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	95 00	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 4 36
Sunday School .....	10 22	Missions—Domestic special,	5 00
Woman's Guild .....	42 24	Foreign and Do-	
Young People's Society....	81 88	mestic S.S, Lent.	5 04
Furnace fund ... ..	7 00		
Parochial, \$186.29; Diocesan, \$4.46; General, \$10.04 .....			\$ 200 69

Church Property—Church, \$3,200. Insurance, \$1,700.

**Forestport, Christ Church.**

THE REV. W. PRICE JAMES, MISSIONARY.

*Wardens*—W. R. Stanburgh, John Downing.

Baptisms—Infant .....	7	Services—Sunday .....	12
Confirmed .....	7	Holy Communion—public .....	12
Communicants.....	50	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40....	45
Burials .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 100 00	Bishop's Relief Fund ... ..	\$ 4 40
Diocesan Missions.....	10 00		
Parochial, \$100; Diocesan, \$14 .....			\$ 114 00

**Holland Patent, St. Paul's Church.**

THE REV. GEORGE L. NEIDE, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—J. H. Wetmore, Edwin N. Peabody.

Families .....	25	Burial.....	1
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 27, weekd 8 ....	35
Communicants—ad. 1, rec. 2, died		Holy Communion—public .....	8
1, rem. 8, pres. no.....	85	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 14....	17
Marriage ... ..	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 4 56	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 2 77
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	850 00	Missions—Jews .....	60
Diocesan Missions.....	11 16	General Missions.....	1 00

Parochial, \$354.56; Diocesan, \$13.92; General, \$1.60..... \$ 370 08

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,200: \$4,200.

Insurance, \$2,600.

*Oneida County: New Hartford—New York Mills.*

**New Hartford, St. Stephen's Church.**

**THE REV. T. LEWIS BANISTER, RECTOR.**

**Wardens—George Benton, James Ainsworth.**

Families .....	42	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Infant .....	14	Burial ..	1
Confirmed .....	12	Services—Sund, 165, weekd 188 .	353
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 70, priv. 4	74
90, all others 25, died 2, rem. 2,		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 70....	76
present no.....	110		

**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....\$	25 00	For Parish House, G. F. S. \$	25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,050 00	Increase endowment fund..	800 00
Sunday School.....	32 00	Other Parochial objects ....	25 00
Easter offering, special ....	45 00	Diocesan Missions .....	40 00
“ S. S.....	12 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 00
Interest Par. House Fund,		St. Luke's Hospital.....	20 00
Mrs. M. Butler.....	60 00	Infant Summer Home .....	7 50

Parochial, \$2,074; Diocesan, \$70.50.....\$2,144 50

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Endowment Fund, \$9,200: \$17,200. Insurance, \$3,500.

**CHADWICKS, ST. GEORGE'S MEMORIAL CHURCH.**

Baptisms, Inf. 8; Confirmed 2; Communicants 42; Marriage 1; Burials 6; Services 100; Communion Alms \$8; all other offerings, including Rector's Salary, \$385; Total \$393.

Mrs. Morgan Butler has, with her usual generosity to the parish, added a gift of \$800 to the permanent endowment fund of St. Stephen's Church. The Sunday School at Chadwicks presented a beautiful set of Easter hangings for St. George's Church. The Rector received a gift of a beautiful Easter stole from Mrs. Nellie Stratton, of Chadwicks.

**New York Mills, St. James' Church.**

**THE REV. BERNARD SCHULTE, S. T. D., MISSIONARY.**

**THE REV. GEORGE H. TRICKETT, ASSISTANT.**

Families.....	28	Communicants.....	45
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**OFFERINGS.**

Communion Alms.....\$	7 00	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 2 80
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	147 45	Building Fund.....	31
Repairs and Improvements,	37 60	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	84

Parochial, \$192.05; Diocesan, \$4.04.....\$ 196 09

Church Property—Church, \$5,000. Insurance, \$2,500.

The Missionary to May 1st having left no report the number of services etc., cannot be ascertained.

Onelda County : Oriskany—Oriskany Falls.

Oriskany, St. Peter's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM COOKE, RECTOR.

Wardens—A. J. Niles, George H. Yoxall.

Families .....	85	Marriages.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 7 .. .. .	8	Burials .....	5
Confirmed .....	1	Services—Sund. 56, weekd. 33,..	89
Communicants—ad. 3, rec. 2,		Holy Communion—public .....	25
rem 1, present no.....	98	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 50....	58

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 2 37	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	\$ 2 94
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	428 69	Jun. Auxiliary.....	2 00
Sunday School .....	48 16	“ bx.....	3 50
Repairs and Improvements,	1 15	General Missions, Jun.Aux.	12 87
Diocesan Missions .....	9 60		
“ W. A. bxs	22 95		
Parochial, \$481.17; Diocesan, \$40.99; General, \$12.37.....			\$ 534 53

Church Property—Church, \$4,500; Rectory, \$2,000; Endowment, \$400: \$6,900.

Insurance, \$4,000.

The above report, except the item for Current Expenses, is from November 1st, 1894, when the present Rector took charge of the parish, no record having been kept previous to that date.

Oriskany Falls, Church of the Good Shepherd.

D. B. HAMBLIN, LAY READER.

Committee—E. S. Hamblin, H. A. Langley, T. D. King, J A Douglass.

Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 2 .....	5	Burials .....	2
Confirmed .....	2	Services—Sund. 60, weekd. 16...	76
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	5
25, rem. 2, present no.....	23	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 35....	39
Marriages .....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 8 58	St. Agnes Guild.....	\$ 25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 104 03	Diocesan Missions.....	30 00
Sunday School.....	5 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 25
Parochial, \$142.01; Diocesan, \$32.25;.....			\$ 174 86

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory Fund, \$150: \$3,150.

Insurance, \$2,000.



*Oneida County : Paris Hill—Rome.*

**Paris Hill, St. Paul's Church.**

**THE REV. JOHN BARTLETT WICKS, RECTOR.**

*Wardens*—Hubert M. Rouse, Edward Doolittle.

Families .....	35	Confirmed .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 2 .....	3	Marriages .....	2
Communicants—within two years		Burials . . . . .	4
77, ad. 1, rec. 4, rem. 2, pres. no.	77	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 40....	46

**OFFERINGS.**

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	394 66	Diocesan Missions.....	24 00
Daughters of the Church ..	36 77		
Parochial, \$431.43	Diocesan, \$24.00 .....		\$ 455 43

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,500: \$4,500.

**Rome, Zion Church.**

**THE REV. JOHN H. EGAR, D. D., RECTOR.**

*Wardens*—George Barnard, Thomas M. Flandrau, M. D.

Families .....	200	Burials.....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 10, Inf. 15 .....	25	Services—Sund. 150, weekd 108.	258
Confirmed.....	31	Holy Communion—pub. 55, priv. 2	57
Communicants.....	400	S. S. Teachers 16, Scholars 163..	179
Marriages .....	8		

**OFFERINGS**

Communion Alms .....	\$ 144 61	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 28 80
Rector's Salary and Exp's, including repairs and improvements ... ..	3,731 71	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 01
Sunday School.....	135 63	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	10 69
Parish Aid Society .....	363 58	Missions—Domestic .....	9 00
Altar Society ....	21 30	“ S. S.....	30 87
Girls Friendly Society .....	31 91	“ W. A. ...	12 00
Thanksgiving to Rector....	64 55	Foreign .....	16 17
Diocesan Missions .....	253 13	Colored .....	10 00
“ W. A. ...	22 00	Indian .....	20 00
General Fund .....	60 00	Junior Auxiliary, boys ....	27 41
		“ girls ....	15 35
Parochial, \$4,493.29; Diocesan, \$382.63; General, \$170.79.....			\$5,046 71

Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Memorial Hall, \$11,000: \$34,000.

Indebtedness, \$3,000. Insurance, \$11,000.

Onelda County : Rome—Utica.

Rome, St. Joseph's Church.

THE REV. A. L. BYRON-CURTISS, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—John Fischer, Gustavus Hossfelt, Sr., A. J. Knauer, Joseph Mutchler.

Families .....	66	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 11 .....	14	Burials .....	7
Confirmed .....	28	Services—Sund. 108, weekd 57 ..	165
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.9,priv.3,..	12
135, all others 25, died 2, rem.1,		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 47....	54
pres. no. ....	160		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 10 61	St. Agnes Guild.....	15 35
Current Expenses.....	158 98	Interest on debt .....	\$ 132 00
Sunday School.....	13 73	Furnace, Bro. St. Andrew,	40 75
Repairs and Improvements,	70 65	S.S. Lent offering for altar,	15 16
Choir club, hymnais, &c....	58 20	Offerings for Minister... ..	81 46
Ladies' Aid Society.....	22 50	Diocesan Missions .....	8 23

Parochial, \$619.39; Diocesan, \$8.23..... \$627 62

Church Property—Church, \$20.000. Indebtedness, \$2,974.84.

Insurance, Church building, \$7,000; Church furniture, \$1,000: \$8,000.

Thirty have been added to the roll of communicants during the past year, twenty-eight by confirmation, and two received from the Roman Catholic Church. Services are conducted at the County Alms House every third Sunday, under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. A considerable fund is on deposit in Syracuse, to be applied on the debt when the whole amount is raised, and several hundred dollars are pledged by New York churchmen. It is hoped that the indebtedness will be cleared off and the building consecrated by the twentieth anniversary of the reception of the congregation into our communion.

Utica, Calvary Church.

THE REV. ALFRED B. GOODRICH, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Alonzo Churchill, M. D., Henry W. Millar.

Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 20 .....	28	Burials .....	33
Confirmed .....	37	Services—Sund. 157, weekd. 118,	275
Communicants—ad. 21, rec. 17,		Holy Communion—pub.29,priv.9,	38
died 7, rem. 16, present no. ...	495	S. S. Teachers and Officers 36,	
Marriages .....	15	Scholars 220 .....	256

Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 109 14	Slaterville, W. A. . . . .	\$ 8 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,672 55	Brookfield, W. A. . . . .	5 00
Sunday School . . . . .	448 22	W. A. expenses . . . . .	17 00
Repairs . . . . .	204 62	Florence, K. D. . . . .	5 00
Ladies Aid Society . . . . .	66 96	Missions—Domestic S. S. . .	30 00
King's Daughters . . . . .	268 82	Foreign S. S. . . . .	30 00
Junior Auxiliary. . . . .	71 81	“ J. A. . . . .	2 00
Altar Society. . . . .	70 70	China J. and W. A. . . . .	14 00
Girls Friendly Society . . . .	128 08	Deaf Mutes J. A. . . . .	4 00
St. Andrew's Brotherhood..	50 35	Bishop Garrett. . . . .	25 00
Special charities . . . . .	326 15	Archdeacon Joyner. . . . .	12 00
Bibles and Prayer Books. . .	22 20	Livingston College N. C. . .	10 00
Hymnals . . . . .	64 57	Bishop Brewer, S. S. . . . .	25 00
Christmas and Easter exp's	18 25	Persian Student, K. D. . . .	33 30
Lenten expenses . . . . .	11 00	Mission, Va. J. A. . . . .	3 25
Music . . . . .	21 22	W. A. bxs., North Dakota. .	184 15
Printing . . . . .	25 75	“ South Dakota.. . . .	31 55
Evening Prayer Leaflets. . .	18 75	“ North Carolina . . . .	8 00
Other Parochial objects . .	100 00	“ Utah . . . . .	40 59
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	90 00	“ Texas. . . . .	62 47
“ Jun. Aux . . . . .	24 00	“ Alabama. . . . .	17 60
General Fund . . . . .	60 00	J. A. bxs., South Dakota . .	65 49
Christmas Fund . . . . .	14 00	“ Africa. . . . .	14 00
Bishop's Relief Fund. . . . .	18 00	K. D. bxs., Wyoming . . . .	41 40
Onondaga Mission W. A. . .	10 00	“ Florida . . . . .	10 47
H. G. S. Utica. . . . .	29 00	“ North Dakota.. . . .	3 00
Christian Association. . . . .	23 00		
Parochial, \$5,699.14; Diocesan, \$298;		General, \$617.27. . . . .	\$6,614 41

Church Property—Church, \$65,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Chapel, \$3000: \$75,000.

Insurance, \$25,000.

Utica, Grace Church.

THE REV. CHARLES T. OLMSTED, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. JOHN LEAL, ASSISTANT MINISTER.

Wardens—William H. Watson, M.D., L. C. Childs.

Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 27 . . . . .	33	Burials . . . . .	15
Confirmed . . . . .	23	Services—Sund. 254, weekd. .	545 799
Communicants—ad. 20, rec. 5,		Holy Communion—public . .	116,
died 9, rem. 16, present no. .	514	private 6, . . . . .	132
Marriages . . . . .	6	S. S. Teachers 22, Scholars 184..	306

Oneida County : Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 378 60	Ladies Aid Society.....	\$ 129 69
Exp's and Rector's Salary...	8,080 43	"    "    Clothing..	885 81
Sunday School .....	86 87	St. Luke's Home and Hos-	
Endowment, in memory of		pital, Utica.....	329 00
Mary J. C. Chamberlain	500 00	H. G. S., Utica.....	450 00
Repairs and Improvements	62 59	Christian Association, Utica	597 00
Altar Society.....	230 54	Missions—Domestic .....	290 60
Girls' Friendly Society.....	188 57	"    W. A.	685 91
Employment Society... ..	83 78	"    W. A. bxs	368 99
St. Andrew's Chapel.....	526 59	Foreign .....	244 52
Parish Bulletin.....	86 92	Missionary deficit	100 00
Choir Festival, 1894 .....	138 84	Jun. Aux. S. S..	148 32
Piano fund for choir room..	100 00	"    bxs..	45 45
Other Parochial objects....	401 37	Jews .....	54 66
Diocesan Missions.....	700 09	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	72 82
"    "    W. A....	55 00	Am. Church Building Fund	150 00
"    "    Jun. Aux	15 00	General Clergy Relief .....	25 00
"    "    W.A.bxs.	19 00	Ch. University Regents....	25 00
General Fund .....	78 56	Bishop Schereschewsky ....	76 25
Christmas Fund .....	119 96	Livingston College, N. C...	48 17
Deaf Mute Mission .....	12 08	Miscellaneous.....	268 09
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	16 73		
Parochial, \$10,815.10; Diocesan, \$2,907.92; General, \$2,598.78...\$16,321 80			

Church Property—Church, \$132,000. Insurance, \$47,000.

Services at St. Andrew's Chapel and St. Luke's Hospital are included in the above report. On May 1st, 1895, St. Andrew's Chapel was loaned to the Rector of Trinity Church, who will henceforth have charge of the services there. A beautiful Altar and Reredos of Caen stone, and seven very fine windows from the factory of Mr. Henry Holliday of London, have been added to the new Chancel by the heirs of the late Mrs. James Watson Williams. A Baptismal Font of Italian marble, representing an Angel holding a shell for the bowl, has also been placed in the Church in memory of the late Mr. Henry Swartwout of Troy, by his daughters, Mrs. Isaac N. Phelps, of New York and Mrs. W. Jerome Green, of this parish.

Utica, St. George's Church.

THE REV. W. B. COLEMAN, RECTOR.

Wardens—W. M. Gibson, M. D., Edward Trevvett.

Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 17.....	22	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	13	Holy Communion—pub.423, priv.6	429
Communicants .....	160	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 70....	78
Marriages.....	6		

Onelda County: Utica.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 62 51	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 1 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,564 12	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 23
Sunday School..	73 97	Missions—Domestic .....	52 00
Repairs and Improvements.	74 65	Jews .....	7 20
Diocesan Missions.....	46 15		
Parochial, \$1,775.25; Diocesan, \$52.38; General, \$59.20.....			\$1,886 83

Indebtedness, \$169.

Utica, Memorial Church of the Holy Cross.

THE REV. JAMES J. BURD, RECTOR.

Trustees—Right Rev. F. D. Huntington, James Eagan, E. D. Brandegee, W. W. Canfield, C. Higgeson, A. W. Burns, B. Tarbox.

Families.....	125	Marriages.....	6
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 22 .....	25	Burials....	9
Confirmed .....	16	Services—Sund. 202, weekd. 143	345
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 85, priv. 5	90
158, all others 59, ad. 16, rec. 20		S. S. Teachers 12, Scholars 138..	150
rem. 19, present no.....	217		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 28 49	Diocesan Missions, .....	\$ 82 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,544 73	“ “ W. A..	6 00
Sunday School... ..	66 62	“ “ W. A. bxs	22 48
Altar Guild.....	20 10	Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	5 59
Special for the poor.....	18 10	Missions—General S. S. . .	55 60
Library.....	10 30	Dom. and Foreign	11 71
Industrial School.....	38 75	Domestic, W. A.	3 00
Woman's Guild .....	248 33	Jews .....	6 07
Girls' Friendly Society.....	37 40	Deaf Mutes ....	9 86
Easter, organ fund.....	217 70	Increase of the Ministry ...	1 76
Christmas “ .....	91 31	Church Temperance Society	3 33
Other Parochial objects ...	24 86	Junior Auxiliary.....	9 50
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	16 56	Persian Missionary .....	70

Parochial, \$2,346.69; Diocesan, \$138.63; General, \$101.53.....\$2,586 85

Church Property—Church, \$42,000; Chapel, \$1,100: \$43,100.

Insurance, \$20,000.

Oneida County : Utica.

Utica, St. Luke's Memorial Church.

THE REV. BERNARD SCHULTE, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. GEORGE H. TRICKETT, ASSISTANT.

Wardens—Henry Hopson, John D. Moshier.

Families . . . . .	361	Services—Sund. 222, weekd 236 .	458
Baptisms—Ad. 18, Inf. 64 . . . . .	82	Holy Communion—pub. 121, priv. 84	155
Confirmed . . . . .	35	S. S. Teachers 28, Scholars 370..	398
Communicants . . . . .	583	Parish School — Teachers 6,	
Marriages . . . . .	36	Scholars 80 . . . . .	86
Burials . . . . .	61		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 109 11	Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	\$ 10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,208 96	St. Luke's Hospital . . . . .	40 00
Sunday School . . . . .	410 14	Special charities . . . . .	71 00
Parish House . . . . .	4,962 49	Aid to churches . . . . .	18 00
Special for the poor . . . . .	287 00	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	11 08
Altar Society . . . . .	59 80	“ W. A. bxs . . . . .	92 10
Girls' Friendly Society . . . . .	119 10	Foreign . . . . .	11 07
Other Parochial objects . . . . .	89 00	“ W. A. bxs . . . . .	43 00
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	31 40	Colored . . . . .	14 00
“ W. A. bxs. . . . .	30 12	Increase of the Ministry . . . . .	62 50
General Fund . . . . .	12 00	Bishop Barker . . . . .	10 00
Christmas Fund . . . . .	11 01	Africa, Capetown . . . . .	34 00

Parochial, \$8,245.60; Diocesan, \$223.53; General, \$277.75 . . . . . \$8,746 88

Church Property—Church, \$23,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Parish House, \$14,000: \$44,000.

Indebtedness, \$9,000. Insurance, \$15,000.

The parish is wholly composed of people with but little means. The past year has been one of exceptional hardness caused by the hard times, the closing of the mills, and the want of work. The new Parish House was an absolute necessity. Of the money reported above, more than \$3,000 was contributed outside of the parish. The expense of the Assistant is met by a friend of the Rector.

Utica, Trinity Church.

THE REV. JOHN R. HARDING, RECTOR.

Wardens—William M. Storrs, George M. Weaver.

Families . . . . .	156	Burials . . . . .	9
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 8 . . . . .	12	Services—Sund. 160, weekd. 72..	232
Confirmed . . . . .	10	Holy Communion—pub. 58, priv. 7,	65
Communicants . . . . .	287	S. S. Teachers 20, Scholars 127..	147
Marriages . . . . .	3		

Oneida County : Waterville.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 104 45	Theological education .....	\$ 60 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,970 57	Christmas Fund .....	18 33
Sunday School.....	138 58	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	14 00
Repairs and Improvements,	499 30	Missions—Domestic, . ....	91 73
Altar Society .....	91 27	“ W. A. bxs.	186 40
Knights of Temperance....	4 45	Foreign .....	35 25
Brotherhood of St. Andrew,	64 80	“ W. A. bx..	4 00
Girls' Friendly Society ....	162 12	Colored .....	18 00
Special Building fund ....	215 00	“ G. F. S. bx	26 00
Other Parochial objects....	133 15	Deaf Mutes .....	70 00
Diocesan Missions .....	167 33	General Missions, S. S. ....	33 45
“ W. A....	19 00	Junior Auxiliary bx. ....	32 10
“ Jun. Aux.	10 48	“ Domestic..	2 28

Parochial, \$5,443.69; Diocesan, \$229.66; General, \$499.21.....\$6,172 56  
Church Property—Church, \$15,000; Rectory, \$4,500; Parish House,  
\$9,000: \$28,500.

Indebtedness, \$1,000. Parish House, \$2,057. Insurance, \$19,700.

This report includes that from St. Paul's Chapel, Deerfield. On May 1st  
the work at St. Andrew's Chapel, Faxon street, was transferred to Trinity  
Church, but the report of last year appears in that from Grace Church.

Waterville, Grace Church.

THE REV. JAMES K. PARKER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Amos O. Osborn, George W. Berrill.

Families .....	90	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 9 .....	11	Burials.....	9
Confirmed .....	10	Services—Sund. 144, weekd 126 .	270
Communicants—ad. 10, died 3,		Holy Communion—pub. 78, priv. 8,	86
present no .....	175	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 52....	60

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 76 92	General Fund .....	\$ 60 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,145 00	Christmas Fund .....	60 00
Sunday School.....	78 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 60
Repairs and Improvements.	43 65	Mission in the Diocese ....	35 00
Gifts and memorials .....	71 00	Missions—General, W.A. ..	41 95
For Parish House .....	631 18	“ J. A. ..	1 75
Thanksgiving offering ....	35 00	Domestic S. S. ...	12 50
Parish Aid Society .....	75 00	Foreign, S. S. ..	12 50
Music fund .....	105 65	“ J.A.bxs	5 00
Easter flowers .....	10 00	Indian, W.A.bxs	50 00
Other Parochial objects ....	20 00	“ J. A. bxs	20 10
Diocesan Missions .....	64 13	Jews .....	10 51
“ W. A....	15 43	Hospital Springhill, N. S..	5 00
“ W. A. bxs	22 50		

Parochial, \$2,291.40; Diocesan, \$267.66; General, \$165.31 .....\$2,724 37

Church Property—Church, \$7,500; Rectory, \$4,000; Parish House, \$1,500:  
\$13,000. Insurance, \$9,200.

Onelda County : Westmoreland—Whitesboro.

Onondaga County : Baldwinsville.

Westmoreland, Gethsemane Church.

THE REV. OLIVER OWEN, RECTOR.

Wardens—Samuel G. Smith, Fred. W. Lattimore.

Families .....	22	Services—Sund. 54, weekd. 27...	81
Confirmed .....	2	Holy Communion—public. ....	19
Communicants .....	85	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 12....	14
Marriage .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 8 80	Diocesan Missions ....	\$ 36 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	301 22	General Fund.....	8 00
Sunday School.....	5 76	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 92
Repairs and Improvements,	7 27	Missions—Dom., W.A. bxs.	10 00
Insurance .....	15 50		
Parochial, \$338.55; Diocesan, \$46.92; General, \$10.00.....			\$ 395 47

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,500.

Whitesboro, St. John's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM COOKE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Robert Aucock, William Rahn.

Baptisms—Infant .....	9	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 25....	30
Marriages .....	5		

OFFERINGS.

Expenses and Rector's Salary.....	\$ 400 00
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Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000: \$4,000.

Insurance, \$2,800.

The present Rector took charge of the parish May 8, 1895. No record of the number of families or communicants having been kept, it is impossible to give their number.

Onondaga County.

Baldwinsville, Grace Church.

THE REV. W. M. BEAUCHAMP, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Richard Richardson, Robert C. Scott.

Families .....	70	Marriages .....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 2 .....	4	Burials .....	22
Confirmed .....	4	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 25..	129
Communicants—ad. 4, rec. 3,		Holy Communion—public .....	19
died 4, rem. 13, present no....	142	S. S. Teachers 9, Scholars 75....	84



*Onondaga County: East Syracuse—Fayetteville.*

## OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 44 10	General Fund .....	\$ 25 63
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,000 00	Christmas Fund.....	10 00
Sunday School .....	21 63	Onondaga Indians .....	10 00
Easter offering .....	47 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 07
Thanksgiving offering ....	32 30	Missions—Domestic .....	8 00
Hymnals .....	12 50	“ W. A. bxs .....	26 00
Christmas Tree .....	40 00	Foreign .....	7 18
Guild .....	50 00	Colored .....	4 00
Other Parochial objects....	43 00	Deaf Mutes .....	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	47 59	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	3 32
“ W. A. bxs .....	65 00	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	3 00

Parochial, \$1,290.53; Diocesan, \$160.29; General, \$51.50..... \$1,502 32

Church Property—Church, \$10,000; Rectory, \$8,000; Funds on deposit, \$1,450: \$14,450. Insurance, \$5,200.

The parish deeply laments the death of Mr. I. M. Baldwin, for a full generation an esteemed Warden of this parish. By removals and deaths it has also suffered, as well as in other ways, but yet hopes to carry out some plans of parish improvement the present year.

**East Syracuse, Emmanuel Mission,**

THE REV. ROBERT FLETCHER IN CHARGE.

*Trustees*—M. I. Farr, Mr. Currie.

Families .....	43	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Infant .....	1	Burials.....	3
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 156, weekd 60 ..	216
55, all others 2, rec. 8, rem. 2,		Holy Communion—public .....	15
present no.....	67	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 53....	58

## OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 462 47	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 3 35
Sunday School.....	19 14	Missions—Domestic .....	3 55
Repairs and Improvements.	194 68	Increase of the Ministry....	20
Diocesan Missions.....	1 25		
Parochial, \$676.29; Diocesan, \$4.60; General, \$3.75.....			\$684 64

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

**Fayetteville, Trinity Church.**

THE REV. ABRAM WILLIS EBERSOLE, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—DeLancey Bartlett, Dennison Higley.

Families.....	57	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 5 .....	8	Burials.....	7
Confirmed .....	9	Services—Sund. 130, weekd 50....	180
Communicants—ad. 9, rec 1, died		Holy Communion—pub. 62, priv.1	63
3, rem. 1, pres no .....	153	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 67....	74

Onondaga County : Jamesville.

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms .....	\$ 15 33	General Fund .....	\$ 2 72
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	855 00	Christmas Fund .....	4 69
Sunday School.....	9 96	Building Fund.....	2 71
Repairs and Improvements	12 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	2 69
Easter collection ... ..	137 50	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc.,	2 50
Altar Guild .....	73 72	Missions—Domestic .....	5 55
Heart to Heart Society ....	14 55	Foreign .....	2 00
Ladies Aid Society .....	40 00	Colored,.....	1 25
Insurance .....	21 35	Jews .....	82
Interest .....	141 60	Increase of the Ministry ...	8 25
Diocesan Missions ... ..	16 56	Archdeacon Joyner.....	8 19
“ W. A. bxs	6 25	S. S. Lenten bxs .....	5 28

Parochial, \$1,321.01; Diocesan, \$38.12; General, \$21.34 ..... \$1,380 47

Church Property—Church \$14,000; Rectory, \$2,200: \$16,200.

Indebtedness, \$2,300. Insurance, \$8,500.

Mrs. Horace Wheeler, a valued parishioner, left in her will one thousand dollars, the interest to be used towards the payment of the Rector's salary.

Jamesville, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BABCOCK, D. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Henry G. Dixon, John Frederick Barker.

Families. ....	21	Burial .....	1
Confirmed.....	4	Services—Sund. 65, weekd. 11...	76
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public....	10
23, all others 4, ad. 4, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 29....	33
died 1, rem. 1, present no. ....	27		

OFFERINGS.			
Communion Alms.....	\$ 12 26	Prayer Books .....	\$ 4 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	309 31	Diocesan Missions .....	22 00
Sunday School.....	26 60	General Fund .....	8 00
Repairs and Improvements.	55 30	Christmas Fund .....	5 50
Insurance .....	31 74	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	11 38
Donations .....	24 75	Missions—General.....	17 30

Parochial, \$463.96; Diocesan, \$46.88; General, \$17.30 ..... \$ 528 14

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$900: \$3,900.

Insurance, \$2,000.

Onondaga County : Jordan—Manlius.

Jordan, Christ Church.

REPORTED BY THE WARDENS.

Wardens—H. H. Daboll, S. L. Rockwell. L. J. Christler, *Lay Reader*.

Families . . . . .	70	Burials.....	7
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1.....	2	Services—Sund. 102, weekd. 12 ..	114
Confirmed . . . . .	10	Holy Communion—public . . . . .	3
Communicants.....	79	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 60.....	65
Marriage . . . . .	1		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 2 71	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 10 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	535 80	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 00
Sunday School.....	27 00	Ladies Aid Society . . . . .	24 58
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	4 35		
Parochial, \$565.51; Diocesan, \$19.35; General, \$24.58 . . . . .			\$ 609 44

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,500; \$6,500.

Insurance, \$5,500 on Church and Rectory.

Manlius, Christ Church.

THE REV. THEODORE BARCOCK, D. D., Rector.

Wardens—Elijah Stanton, William Verbeck.

Families . . . . .	35	Marriages . . . . .	3
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 6.....	8	Burials.. . . . .	3
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 142, weekd. 45..	187
47, all others 3, ad. 1, rec. 1,		Holy Communion—public . . . . .	52
died 1, rem. 1, pres. no . . . . .	50	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 50....	56

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 29 45	Shelter, J. A. bx.....	\$ 7 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	453 43	“ W. A.....	1 00
Sunday School . . . . .	14 63	H. G. S., Syr. W. A. bx ...	11 00
Repairs on Rectory.....	118 35	Missions—General . . . . .	8 30
Church decorations.....	8 40	“ S. S. ...	11 25
Insurance . . . . .	30 50	Domestic, J. A. .	4 00
Thanksgiving offerings ....	8 08	“ W.A.bxs	3 00
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	50 00	Foreign, J. A. .	6 00
“ J. A. special	7 00	“ L. B. A.	5 00
General Fund . . . . .	16 00	Colored, S. C. ..	16 00
Christmas Fund . . . . .	5 00	“ J. A. bxs	18 00
Bishop's Memorial, J. A. . .	5 00	Indian N.Dakota	1 00
Deaf Mute Mission, J. A...	10 00	“ W. A. bxs	17 56
Altar, St. John's School, J.A.	10 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society .	3 70

Parochial, \$662.84; Diocesan, \$122.50; General, \$93.76 . . . . . \$879 10

Church Property—Church, \$5,000; Rectory, \$1,500: \$6,500.

Insurance, \$3,000.

Contributions by local societies: L. B. A., \$97.13; W. A., \$142.18: J. A., \$67.79.

*Onondaga County : Marcellus—Onondaga Castle—Skaneateles.*

**Marcellus, St. John's Church.**

THE REV. GEORGE F. POTTER, MISSIONARY.

*Wardens*—Addison M. Seymour, William Nightingale, Jr.

Families .....	38	Burials .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 9 .....	10	Services—Sund. 108, weekd. 9...	112
Confirmed .....	6	Holy Communion—pub.4, priv.2.	6
Communicants .....	56	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 20.....	22
Marriages ....	2		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	293 88	General Fund.....	\$ 10 00
Sunday School .....	8 29	Christmas Fund .....	9 30
Repairs and Improvements.	66 00	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	8 35
Diocesan Missions ...	80 42		
Parochial, \$368.17; Diocesan, \$58.07.....			\$ 426 24

Church Property—Church, \$4,750. Insurance, \$8,000.

**Onondaga Castle, Church of the Good Shepherd.**

THE REV. JOHN SCOTT, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	26	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Burials.....	4
Confirmed .....	2	Services—Sund. 99, weekd. 14 ..	113
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.12,priv.2	14
45, rec. 1, died 2, present no...	46	S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 20....	21

OFFERINGS.

Current expenses.....\$	20 00	Setting new furnace.....	\$ 15 00
Paid on new furnace .....	20 00	Christmas Tree.....	20 00
Parochial.....			\$ 75 00

The price of the furnace, which was put in last fall, is \$98, leaving to be paid \$78. We hope to make another payment soon.

**Skaneateles, St. James' Church.**

THE REV. FRANK N. WESTCOTT, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—William Marvin, E. Reuel Smith.

Baptisms—Ad. 12, Inf. 7 .....	19	Burials.....	6
Confirmed .....	18	Services—Sunday .....	326
Communicants—rem. 5, pres. no.	352	Holy Communion—public .....	110
Marriage .....	1		

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 60 00	Missions—Domestic .....	\$ 41 24
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,541 10	Foreign .....	43 20
Parsonage repairs .....	75 19	Colored .....	50 00
Diocesan Missions ... ..	196 35	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	18 94
General Fund .....	59 89	Increase of the Ministry ...	32 07
Christmas Fund .. .....	14 93		
Parochial, \$1,676.29; Diocesan, \$271.17; General, \$180.45.....			\$2,127 91

Church Property—Church, \$27,958. Rectory, \$4,000: \$31,958.

Insurance, \$15,247.

Syracuse, Calvary Church.

THE RT. REV. F. D. HUNTINGTON, S. T. D., RECTOR.

THE REV. J. E. JOHNSON, PRIEST IN CHARGE.

Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 29 .....	35	Marriages .....	21
Confirmed .....	17	Burials....	19
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 350.	506
150, all others 102, ad.17, rec.1,		Holy Communion—pub. 87, priv. 4	91
died 3, rem. 10, pres. no .....	252	S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 110..	120

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	396 37	Bishop's Secretary .....	\$ 10 75
Sunday School .....	18 00	Diocesan Missions.....	17 50
Repairs and Improvements,	60 00	“ W. A ...	5 00
Altar committee .....	10 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	5 00
Reredos .....	40 00	St. Luke's Mission.....	2 01
Sewing Society.....	15 00	Missions—Domestic .....	4 24
General Fund.....	12 00		
Parochial, \$589.87; Diocesan, \$50.25; General, \$6.25 .....			\$ 595 87

Church Property—Church, \$4,000; Guild House, \$1,300: \$5,300.

Insurance, \$4,000.

Services at the County House, fortnightly; Holy Communion, monthly.

Services at St. Luke's Mission, Sundays 52, week day 15—67. Sunday School, teachers 12, scholars 275. Total expenditures, \$118.75.

*Onondaga County : Syracuse.*

**Syracuse, Grace Church.**

THE REV. HERBERT G. CODDINGTON, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—George T. Jack, Jedediah Barber.

Families .....	81	Marriages .....	8
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 16 .....	18	Burials.....	9
Confirmed .....	15	Services—Sund. 156, weekd. 161, 317	
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.86, priv.6, 92	
161, all others 79, ad. 15, rec. 8,		S. S. Teachers 10, Scholars 90 ...	100
died 2, rem. 10, pres. no.....	240		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 42 20	Junior Auxiliary.....	\$ 12 02
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,645 87	Missions—Domestic .....	11 90
Sunday School.....	98 87	“ W.A. bxs	25 00
Repairs and Improvements.	43 00	Foreign .....	8 25
St. Edith's Altar Guild ....	88 91	“ W. A.....	6 00
Diocesan Missions .....	89 65	Colored .....	28 02
“ W. A.....	4 00	Indian .....	1 75
Christmas Fund .....	6 71	Deaf Mutes.....	2 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 00	Foreign Missions, S. S. ....	61
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	3 25	Domestic Missions, S. S. ..	61
Bishop's Assistance fund...	6 75		
Parochial, \$1,913.85; Diocesan, \$78.88; General, \$79.14.....			\$2,070 87

Church Property—Church, \$34,000; Rectory, \$6,000: \$40,000.

Indebtedness, on Rectory, \$2,000.

Insurance, on Church, \$12,000; on Rectory, \$2,000.

**Syracuse, St. James' Church.**

THE REV. FREDERICK W. WEBBER, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—George J. Gardner, William Prime.

Families .....	70	Communicants .....	90
Confirmed .....	22	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 60....	68

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 892 90	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 1 00
Rent .....	157 00	Deaconess home .....	1 00
Special .....	1,151 10	House of Good Shepherd ..	10 00
Sale of house .....	2,000 00	Missions—Dom., W.A. bxs.	14 00
Parochial, \$4,201; Diocesan, \$12; General, \$14.....			\$4,227 00

Church Property—Church, \$40,000.

Indebtedness, \$24,500. Insurance, \$20,000.

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

Syracuse, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. HENRY R. LOCKWOOD, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—Leroy L. Alexander, Charles Andrews.

Families .....	311	Marriages .....	11
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 22.....	28	Burials.....	28
Confirmed .....	38	Services—Sund. 144, weekd. 610.	754
Communicants—ad. 33, rec. 7,		Holy Communion—pub. 55, priv. 3	58
died 9, rem. 12, present no ...	583	S. S. Teachers 22, Scholars 165..	187

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 307 98	Deaf Mute Mission.....	\$ 97 89
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	8,797 00	“ “ J. A....	15 00
Sunday School. ....	179 55	St. John's, Syracuse.....	250 00
Repairs and Improvements,	1,733 00	H. G. S., Syracuse ....	500 00
Altar Society.....	174 13	Onondaga Mission, W. A...	20 00
Parochial Society.....	1,733 43	Missions—Domestic .....	34 34
For the poor.....	151 25	“ W. A. bx	150 79
Expenses of Convention...	236 15	“ Foreign .....	12 30
Church debt ... ..	1,000 00	“ “ W. A....	61 00
G. F. S.....	11 55	“ General S. S....	73 10
Diocesan Missions ... ..	410 16	Church Building Fund ....	23 89
“ “ W. A....	8 00	Clerical Relief .....	22 24
General Fund .....	120 00	Lockwood scholarship, J. A.	60 00
Christmas Fund .....	50 43	Huntington “ J. A.	5 00
St. Andrew's Divinity school	29 80	Bishop Barker .....	36 66
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	24 67	Livingston College ....	53 31

Parochial, \$14,324.44; Diocesan, \$1,525.95; General, \$532.63....\$ 16,383 02

Church Property—Church, \$150,000; Other, \$3,000: \$153,000.

Indebtedness, \$85,000. Insurance, \$37,000.

Syracuse, Church of St. John the Divine.

THE REV. DAVID B. MATTHEWS, MINISTER.

Trustees—J. J. Moore, M.D., President, S. H. Ricker, Treasurer, Geo. M. Burwell, Secretary.

Families .....	150	Marriages.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 20 .....	24	Burials.....	6
Confirmed .....	23	Services—Sund. 152, weekd. 10..	162
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.24, priv 3	27
200, all others 50, ad. 10, rec. 2,		S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 160..	175
died 1, rem. 3, pres. no.....	250		

Onondaga County : Syracuse.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 26 58	St. Luke's, Syracuse.....	\$ 5 80
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	844 42	Missions—Domestic .....	10 05
Sunday School.....	97' 00	“ “ J. A. bxs	73 50
Repairs and Improvements,	47 42	Deaf Mutes.....	1 05
Other Parochial objects....	160 00	F. D. Huntington scholar-	
Diocesan Missions .....	42 48	ship.....	2 00
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 14	Surplice for Missionary W.A	6 00

Parochial, \$1,175.42; Diocesan, \$52.42; General, \$92.60.....\$ 1,320 44

Church Property—Church, \$5,500; Parish House, \$1,100; Guild House \$2,100: \$8,700. Insurance, \$6,000.

Syracuse, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM DE L. WILSON, RECTOR.

Wardens—Guy Terry, Cyrus D. Avery.

Families .....	92	Marriages.....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 3.....	7	Burials.. ..	7
Confirmed.....	27	Services—Sund. 82, weekd 28....	110
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.28, priv. 1,	29
120, all others 5, ad. 27, rec 15,		S. S. Teachers 15, Scholars 110..	125
died 2, present no.....	125		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 5 50	Christmas Fund.....	\$ 2 40
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,435 64	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 62
Sunday School.....	52 85	House of Good Shepherd...	2 80
Repairs and Improvements, 20,555	49	Missions—Domestic.....	14 89
Other Parochial objects....	106 85	“ “ S. S. ....	16 00
Diocesan Missions .....	94 30	Colored .....	10 00
General Fund .....	16 00		

Parochial, \$22,155.49; Diocesan, \$126.12; General, \$40.89.....\$22,322 50

Church Property—Church, \$18,000; Sexton's House, \$400; Guild House \$12,000: \$30,400.

Indebtedness, \$16,500. Insurance, \$16,800.

During the year the Church has been completed at a cost of \$10,000, and the adjoining property of five city lots, with large brick residence, costing \$23,000, has been purchased, to be used for parish purposes. A mortgage of \$6,500 has been placed on the church property and one of \$10,000, on the Guild House. The above total of parochial offerings includes these mortgages, leaving \$6,222.70 actually contributed for all purposes.



Onondaga County : Syracuse. Oswego County : Cleveland.

Syracuse, Trinity Church.

THE REV. ROBERT HUDSON, PH. D., RECTOR.

Wardens—David H. Phinney, John L. Kling.

Families .....	125	Burials .....	21
Baptisms—Ad. 8, Inf. 13 .....	21	Services—Sund. 116, weekd. 30, .	146
Confirmed .....	27	Holy Communion—pub. 30, priv. 6	36
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 20, Scholars 140..	160
860, ad. 27. rec. 10, died 3,		Mission School—Teachers 6, Schol-	
rem. 5, present no. ....	885	ars 35 .....	41
Marriages .....	14		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 145 17	Industrial Chapter .....	\$ 228 03
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	3,853 27	Sanctuary .....	36 37
Sunday School.....	124 46	Choir .....	32 65
Repairs and Improvements.	205 50	Young People's Association	300 00
Mission Sunday School....	11 80	Diocesan Missions .....	14 50
Young People's Society....	58 97	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	12 05
Sewing School .....	4 99	Missions—Domestic W. A. bxs	30 50

Parochial, \$4,496.20; Diocesan, \$26.55; General, \$30.50 ..... \$4,553 25

Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$6,000; \$26,000

Indebtedness, \$5,840. Insurance, \$18,000.

Oswego County.

Cleveland, St. James' Church.

THE REV. GEORGE L. NEIDE, RECTOR,

Wardens—George G. Baker, C. Getman.

Baptisms—Infant .....	4	Communicants—ad. 5, rec. 4, died	
Confirmed .....	3	3, rem. 13, present no. ....	63
Burials .....	5	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 35....	39

OFFERINGS

Communion Alms ... ..	\$ 6 96	Christmas Fund .....	\$ 1 85
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	214 49	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	1 45
Sunday School .....	20 03	Missions—Domestic .....	2 75
Diocesan Missions .....	25 00		
Parochial, \$241.48; Diocesan, \$28.30; General, \$2.75.....			\$ 273 53

Of the amount received for current expenses the King's Daughters contributed \$80.52, and the Willing Workers \$11.88.

*Oswego County: Fulton—Lacona.*

**Fulton, Zion Church.**

THE REV. HERBERT MORISON CLARKE, PH. D.

*Wardens*—Willis S. Nelson, George Ehrhart.

Families .....	80	Burials .....	9
Baptisms—Infant .....	4	Services—Sund. 105, weekd. 64..	169
Communicants—rec. 12, died 2,		Holy Communion—pub.19,priv.3	23
rem. 3, pres. no. ....	100	S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 49....	56

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 9 51	Various assessments, J. A..	\$ 1 25
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	694 45	Missions—Domestic .....	9 25
Sunday School.....	20 43	“ W. A. bx,	3 82
Repairs and Improvements.	29 58	Foreign .....	7 00
Parish Aid Society .....	96 58	“ W. A. ...	5 00
Chancel rail, P. A. ....	20 00	Colored J. A. bx	17 55
Chancel Prayer Book, S. S..	9 20	Deaf Mutes.....	2 00
Christmas gift to Rector ...	21 00	“ J. A. .	1 00
Diocesan Missions .....	55 00	Increase of the Ministry ...	48
General Fund .....	40 08	J. A. assessments .....	50
Christmas Fund .....	6 32	General Missions, S. S. ...	22 50
C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	1 00	Trinity offering, S. S. for.	
Quilt to H. G. S., Syr. J. A.	5 25	African Missions:.....	50

Parochial, \$900.73; Diocesan, \$109.90; General, \$68.54..... \$1,079 17

Church Property—Church, \$2,500; Rectory, \$1,800: \$4,300.

Insurance, \$2,000.

I have usually exchanged on the third Sunday of the month with the Lay Reader at Mexico. I have married a couple there, and one in Grace Parish, Syracuse. I have administered Holy Communion once in St. John's Church, Syracuse, and once in private in that parish. I have also read service twice at the House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse. During three Sundays last September I officiated at the Church of St. Lawrence, Alexandria Bay, N. Y. Last year's report of parochial expenses extended only to April 1, 1894. This report therefore covers thirteen months, beginning with that date.

**Lacona, Emmanuel Mission.**

THE REV. DANIEL DALY, MISSIONARY.

*Committee*—G. N. Harding, J. H. Hubbs, C. E. Lounsbury.

Families .....	44	Marriages .....	4
Baptisms—Ad. 11, Inf. 11 .....	22	Burials .....	5
Confirmed .....	6	Services—Sund. 135, weekd. 32..	167
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	5
8, all others 15, rec. 2, rem. 1,		S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 34....	37
present no .....	25		

Oswego County: Mexico—Oswego

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary . \$ 130 00	Diocesan Missions..... \$ 5 00
Sunday School..... 2 00	
Parochial, \$132; Diocesan, \$5 .....	\$ 137 00

Church Property—Church, \$2,400. Insurance, \$2,000.

Our beautiful church is now consecrated.

Mexico, Grace Church.

HENRY S. SIZER, LAY READER.

Warden—B. F. French.

Families..... 33	Burials..... 4
Baptisms—Infant..... 2	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 100, 204
Communicants..... 50	Holy Communion—public..... 8
Marriages..... 2	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40.... 45

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary.. \$ 254 00	Repairs and Improvements, \$ 46 80
Sunday School..... 5 00	Diocesan Missions..... 24 80
Parochial, \$305.80; Diocesan, \$24.80.. .....	\$ 330 60

Church Property—Church, \$20,000. Insurance, \$5,000.

Oswego, Christ Church.

THE REV. PHILIP N. MEADE, RECTOR.

Wardens—George C. McWhorter, Charles H. Butler.

Families..... 220	Marriages..... 7
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 16..... 18	Burials..... 17
Confirmed..... 20	Services—Sund. 104, weekd. 300 404
Communicants—within two years	Holy Communion—pub. 100 priv. 12 112
285, ad. 20, died 5, rem. 61,	S. S. Teachers 17, Scholars 150.. 167
present no..... 233	

Oswego County : Oswego.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....\$	150 00	Missions—Domestic .....	\$ 38 55
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	4,357 28	“ W. A. .	5 00
Sunday School.....	123 59	“ J. A. .	4 82
Repairs and Improvements.	329 70	“ S. S. .	31 00
Easter off'g for parish debt	365 40	Foreign, W.A....	2 00
Oswego Hospital .....	54 00	China and Africa, W.A. ...	1 00
Christmas and Easter flowers	28 95	Deaf Mutes.....	5 60
Girl's Friendly.....	109 85	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	8 52
Employment Society .....	127 34	Am. Ch. Building Fund ...	9 00
St. Andrew's Brotherhood	87 50	Homes for Orphans .....	4 14
Parish House debt .....	55 60	Bishop Brewer, special. ...	25 00
City Mission.....	150 03	“ “ S. S.	50 00
Expenses Quiet Day.....	15 00	Bishop Talbot, special.....	11 50
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	71 70	“ “ S. S. .	20 00
“ “ W. A....	79 03	Bishops Talbot and Leonard	5 00
General Fund .....	100 00	Texas, W. A. ....	8 65
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	10 00	Kansas, W. A.....	3 32
Christmas Fund.....	37 52	Tullahoma, Tenn. W.A.bx.	48 68
Bishop's Anniversary .....	252 00	Oneida, Wis. W. A.....	71 53
Rev. Mr. Scott's salary W.A.	5 00	Rev. Mr. Joyner, S. C. J. A	6 00
Diocesan W. A. expenses“	5 00	Rev. Mr. Avirett, N.C. J. A.	40 00
Rev. Mr. Dantzer “	6 50	Mrs. Buford .....	25 00
Diocesan Superintendent “	2 00	Bishop Penick .....	62 75
Trumansburgh . “	5 00	J. H. Williamson, N. C....	39 60
Shelter, Syracuse, bx “	5 00	Rev. C. B. Wilmer, Va. ...	22 00
Brazil .....	18 30	R. H. Fitzhugh, Ky.....	10 00
Huntington Schol.. Africa,	10 00		
Parochial, \$5,889.24; Diocesan, \$584.35: General, \$586,61.....			\$7,060 20

Church Property, \$57,000.

Indebtedness, \$6,939.75. Insurance, \$51,000.

Oswego, Church of the Evangelists.

THE REV. A. GEORGE E. JENNER, RECTOR.

Wardens—M. P. Neal, R. A. Downey.

Families .....	195	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 5, Inf. 17 .....	22	Burials .....	28
Confirmed .....	32	Services—Sund. 257, weekd. 628,	880
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub. 198, priv. 12	210
255, all others 40, rec. 9, died 9,		S. S. Teachers 16, Scholars 200..	216
rem. 50, pres. no. ....	296		

Oswego County : Pulaski.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 73 75	St. John's Chapel and Guild	\$ 50 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary:..	2,292 96	Other Parochial objects....	73 55
Sunday School.....	99 61	Diocesan Missions.....	18 10
Repairs and Improvements,	207 97	“ W. A. ..	1 00
Choir ....	139 65	Christmas Fund .....	2 25
Daughters of the King ....	221 38	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	9 01
Brotherhood of St. Andrew	9 95	Missions—Domestic .....	80 27
The Record ...	116 50	“ W. A. bxs.	60 00
Industrial Society ..	17 90	Foreign .....	31 27
Guild Iron Cross and G.F.S.	19 60		
Parochial, \$8,822.67; Diocesan, \$30.86; General, \$121.54 .....\$ 3,474 57			

Church Property—Church, \$35,000; Rectory, \$3,000; Parish House \$3,000; St. John's Chapel, \$1,500: \$32,500.

Indebtedness, \$4,000. Insurance, \$12,600.

ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL.—Statistics of Sunday School teachers and scholars, as well as of finance, are included in the above report. Regular weekly services and Sunday School are held in the Chapel, which continues its useful career. Mr. Nelson Morrow is superintendent of the Chapel Sunday School.

Pulaski, St. James' Church.

THE REV. ROBERT PAUL, RECTOR.

Wardens—Charles L. Myers, L. D. Potter.

Families .....	30	Marriages .....	2
Baptisms—Infant .....	1	Burial .....	1
Communicants—within two years		Services—Sund. 100, weekd. 26..	126
55, ad. 4, rec. 4, died 3, rem. 11,		Holy Communion—public .....	12
present no. ....	49	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40,...	45
Confirmed .....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	450 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....\$	3 50
Sunday Schoo ...	40 00	Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A .....	3 00
Donation to Rector.....	100 00	Missions—General.....	5 00
Diocesan Missions .....	27 37	Westcott fund .....	3 00
Christmas Fund .....	4 00		
Parochial, \$590; Diocesan, \$37.87; General, \$8 .....\$ 635 87			

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$2,000: \$5,000.

The health of the Rector of this parish is considerably improved. During the year the Advent, Christmas, Lenten and Easter attendance and offerings especially were encouraging. All the recently confirmed come monthly to the Holy Communion. There is an increase of zeal, and love prevails.

*Oswego County: Redfield—Sandbank, Seneca County: Dey's Landing.*

**Redfield, Emmanuel Mission.**

THE REV. DANIEL DALY, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	5	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1 .....	2	Services—Sund. 15, weekd. 10...	25
Confirmed .....	16	Holy Communion—public ... ..	2
Communicants—died 1, pres. no. 16			

**Sandbank, St. John's Mission.**

THE REV. DANIEL DALY, MISSIONARY.

*Trustees*—William McCaw, W. H. Phillips.

Families .....	31	Butials .....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 6, Inf. 7 .... ..	13	Services—Sund. 50, weekd. 10...	60
Confirmed .....	2	Holy Communion—public .....	5
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 7, Scholars 50....	57
2, all others 34, pres. no ... ..	36		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	100 00	New furnace.....	\$ 60 00
Sunday School.....	20 00	Carpet .. ..	50 00
Repairs and Improvements. •	10 00	Diocesan Missions.....	6 00
Parochial, \$240; Diocesan, \$6 .....			\$ 246 00
Church Property—Church, \$2,200. Insurance, \$1,100.			

**Seneca County.**

**Dey's Landing, St. Andrew's Mission.**

*Trustees*—C. C. Pontius, J. Reeder, M. E. Halsey.

Families.....	10	Confirmed .....	1
Baptisms—Infant .....	5	Services—Sunday .....	50
Communicants—died 2, rem. 2		S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 11....	12
present no. ....	6		

Seneca County : Hayt's Corners—Fayette.

OFFERINGS.

Current expenses.....\$	2 17	Hymnals .....	\$ 1 50
Repairs and Improvements,	6 89	Diocesan Missions.....	6 49
Sexton .....	9 50	General Fund.....	19 59
Coal .....	4 75	Deaf Mutes.....	83
Livery .....	15 50		
Parochial, \$40.31; Diocesan, \$26.38; General, \$ .82 .....			\$ 67 51

Insurance, \$1,700.

Thanks are due to Rev. Messrs. Potter, Duff, Brittain, Cornell, Kellner, Nelson, Caughn and Van Allen, and to Messrs. Burleson, Ballard, Graves, Rose, Fox, Church, Davis, Anderson, Singesen, Bishop, Haight, Dox, Quimby and Huntington for gratuitous services.

Hayt's Corners, Calvary Mission.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—George S. Smith, William Spader, William S. Brooks.

Families .....	22	Services—Sund. 65, weekd 19 ...	84
Baptisms—Adult.....	1	Holy Communion—public .....	14
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 24....	28
32, rem. 6, present no.....	26		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 5 18	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 16 48
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	68 61	“ W. A. bxs	4 50
Sunday School .....	4 55	Bishop's testimonial .....	1 00
Repairs and Improvements,	27 50	Missions—Domestic S. S...	5 04
Christmas gifts to S. S.....	4 75	Relief of Nebraska sufferers	3 75
Organ fund .....	26 31	“ Clothing and provisions	100 00
Christmas Fund.....	79		
Parochial, \$136.90; Diocesan, \$22.77; General, \$108.79.....			\$ 268 46

Church Property—Church, \$3,000. Insurance, \$1,500.

Fayette, Jerusalem Mission.

Families .....	6	Communicants .....	5
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 7 ..	8	Services—Sunday .....	49
Confirmed .....	2		

Seneca County : Romulus—Seneca Falls.

OFFERINGS.

Livery bills .....	\$ 22 49	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 4 02
Leaflets .....	8 84	Deaf Mutes . . . . .	95
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Parochial, \$31.33; Diocesan, \$4.02; General, \$ .95 .....		\$ 36 80	

Thanks are due Rev. Messrs. Kellner, Cornell, Brittain, Duff, Caughn and Nelson; also to Messrs. Burleson, Church, Bishop, Rose, Haight, Graves, Quimby, Anderson, Ballard, Davis and Singsen for gratuitous services.

Romulus, St. Stephen's Church.

HERBERT H. FOX, LAY READER.

Trustees—W. P. Goodman, R. M. Steele, Jesse Yerkes.

Families .....	80	Services—Sund. 102, weekd 5 ...	107
Baptisms—Ad. 2, Inf. 1 .....	8	Holy Communion—public .....	8
Communicants.....	31	S. S. Teachers 8, Scholars 28....	31

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$ 313 75	Shelter, Syracuse.....	\$ 5 25
Sunday School .....	3 84	“ “ W.A.bx	5 00
Repairs and Improvements.	7 00	Rev. John Scott, W. A.....	1 00
Prayer Books and Hymnals	5 00	Missions—Foreign .....	1 90
Diocesan Missions .....	33 60	“ S. S. ..	6 50
General Fund .....	8 00	Jews .....	51
Christmas Fund .....	2 58	Deaf Mutes. ...	85
Building Fund....	83	Bishop Talbot, W. A. ....	1 00
Diocesan Expenses W. A..	1 00	<hr/>	
Parochial, \$329.09; Diocesan, \$57.26; General, \$10.76 .....		\$ 897 11	

Church Property—Church, \$3,500. Insurance, \$2,000.

Seneca Falls, Trinity Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM BOURS CLARKE, RECTOR.

Wardens—Lansing S. Hoskins, William B. Lathrop.

Families .....	195	Burials .....	18
Baptisms—Infant .....	4	Services—Sund. 180, weekd 181 .	261
Confirmed .....	12	Holy Communion—pub.74,priv.2,..	76
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 24, Scholars 149..	178
270, all others 44, rec. 9, died 4,		Sewing School—Teachers 18,Schol-	
rem. 5, pres. no. ....	814	ars 68.....	81
Marriages .....	5		



Seneca County : Waterloo.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 117 24	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc. .	\$ 19 49
"          special..	92 14	H. G. S., Syracuse, S. S. .	25 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,712 82	Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A. ....	10 00
Sunday School.....	57 15	Trumansburgh and Slater-	
Repairs and Improvements,	189 26	ville W. A. ....	4 00
From Mite Society ....	197 50	Missionary in Diocese W. A.	14 25
Easter offering.....	222 74	Diocesan Fund W. A.....	5 00
Industrial Society .....	112 46	Missions—Domestic .....	107 92
Lenten offering.....	17 61	"      S. S. ....	5 00
Church Building Fund Soc.	162 31	"      W. A. bxs	150 50
Parish Choral Society ...	80 00	Foreign .....	100 00
Thanksgiving offering.....	51 54	"      S. S.....	5 00
Sewing School expenses....	9 69	Colored S. S. ....	5 00
Interest .....	31 50	Indian S. S. ....	5 00
Gifts to Church.....	15 00	Jews .....	9 50
Diocesan Missions.....	287 80	St. Mark's School, Utah S.S.	40 00
"      W. A. bxs ....	99 22	Bishop Talbot ...	10 00
General Fund .....	38 51	Rev. Mr. Joyner, W. A....	6 89
Christmas Fund .....	50 78	General objects, W. A. ....	8 45
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	21 50	Mission at Lodi, Cal., W. A.	18 50

Parochial, \$3,018.96; Diocesan, \$575.55; General, \$471.76..... \$4,066 27

Church Property—Church, \$40,000; Rectory, \$5,000: \$45,000.

Indebtedness, \$2,650. Insurance, \$17,000.

Waterloo, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. ROBERT M. DUFF, S. T. D., RECTOR.

Wardens— A. H. Terwilliger, S. G. Hadley.

Families .....	170	Burial.....	25
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 22 .....	25	Services—Sund. 160, weekd 103 .	263
Confirmed .....	18	Holy Communion—pub.35, priv.2.	37
Communicants—ad. 18, rec. 12,		S. S. Teachers 28, Scholars 180..	208
died 9, rem. 7, pres. no. ....	270	Parish School—Teachers 1,Schol-	
Marriages ...	4	ars 16.....	17

Seneca County : Willard.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 88 00	General Fund . . . . .	\$ 20 83
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,647 17	Christmas Fund . . . . .	16 51
Sunday School . . . . .	75 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 61
"    "    St. John's...	31 73	Diocesan Fund W. A. ....	6 00
Repairs and Improvements,	84 17	Deaf Mute Mission . . . . .	4 52
Parish School . . . . .	632 52	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	84 85
Festival decorations.....	35 63	"    W. A. ....	2 00
Divinity student, St. John's		"    W. A. bxs,	200 00
and St. Paul's Guild.....	45 00	Foreign . . . . .	23 15
Cassock, Ladies' Mite Soc..	21 00	"    J. A....	5 00
Parish Charities, S. P. G...	12 61	Jews . . . . .	5 00
Other Parochial objects ...	25 65	N. Y. Prayer Book Society,	7 14
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	169 06	Nebraska, J. A. bxs ...	50 00
"    W. A. ....	15 00	Associate Mission, Omaha..	50 00
"    W.A. bxs....	44 07		
Parochial, \$3,698.48; Diocesan, \$282.60; General, \$377.14 . . . . .			\$4,858 22

Church Property—Church, Chapel and Rectory, \$37,000; Endowment, \$26,000: \$63,000.

Indebtedness, \$16,004.

As Dean of the Fifth District I have visited nine missions during the year celebrated Holy Communion three times, and baptized three children. This report is not included in the above.

Willard, Christ Church.

THE REV. CHARLES W. MACNISH, MISSIONARY.

Trustees—Morris J. Gilbert, John E. Walsh, Wm. Farley.

Families . . . . .	38	Marriages . . . . .	2
Baptisms—Ad. 3, Inf. 9.....	12	Burials . . . . .	5
Confirmed.. . . .	6	Services—Sund. 53, weekd. 17...	70
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—pub.16, priv.1	17
52, all others 17, ad. 6, rec. 1,		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 32....	36
died 2, rem. 1, present no....	73		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 24 15	Music for choir . . . . .	\$ 6 50
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	282 91	Diocesan Missions.....	75 23
Sunday School . . . . .	6 48	General Fund . . . . .	4 35
Christmas gift to Rector...	162 25	Christmas Fund . . . . .	4 24
Christmas gift to S. S . . . .	18 50	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	6 04
Parish House.....	55 07	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	9 97
"    Bequest.....	75 00	"    W.A.bxs	100 00
Expenses to Convention....	2 49		
Parochial, \$633.35; Diocesan, \$89.86; General, \$109.97 . . . . .			\$ 833 18

Church Property—Church, \$3,000.

Insurance, \$1,500.

Seneca County : Willowdale. Tioga County : Candor.

Willowdale, Grace Church.

Trustees—M. Middlewood, A. P. Rose, M. E. Halsey.

Families .....	85	Burials.....	9
Baptisms—Ad. 4, Inf. 9.....	18	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 20..	72
Confirmed.....	8	Holy Communion—pub. 18, priv. 1	19
Communicants died 2, rem. 4		S. S. Teachers 1, Scholars 40....	41
present no .....	53		

OFFERINGS.

Charity .....	\$ 24 20	Easter treat for children..	\$ 2 00
Current Expenses.....	6 80	Other Parochial objects...	8 00
Stove, &c.....	12 50	Diocesan Missions .....	24 53
Livery bills, stipends, &c...	117 56	General Fund .....	6 75
Sexton .....	9 50	Christmas Fund.....	1 75
Two parish fetes.....	10 00	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	12 18
Christmas gifts and County		Missions—Jews .....	1 00
House treat.....	81 01	Church Home, Geneva.....	5 00

Parochial, \$216.96; Diocesan, \$45.20; General, \$7.67 ..... \$ 269 83

Insurance, \$1,600.

Thanks are due to Rev. Drs. Potter, Nelson, Converse, Rankine, and Duff, to Rev. Messrs. Kellner, Britain, Cornell, Jones, Gallagher, Van Allen, McKensie, Caughn, Way and Nelson, also to Messrs. Burleson, Graves, Haight, Rose, Bishop, Davis, Huntington, Ballard, Church, Quimby, Anderson and Singen. for gratuitous services. St. Faith's Guild has accomplished a great deal of work.

Tioga County.

Candor, St. Mark's Church.

THE REV. DWIGHT A. PARCE, MINISTER.

Wardens—Edwin Jennings, J. C. Dixon.

Families.....	21	Marriage .....	1
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 1 .....	2	Services—Sund. 30, weekd. 26,..	56
Confirmed .....	12	Holy Communion—public .....	4
Communicants—within two years		S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 27 ...	31
47, rem. 2, present no .....	45		

Tioga County : Owego.

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary .	\$ 306 70	St. Joseph's, Rome.....	\$ 4 00
Sunday School.....	7 50	Missions—Domestic S. S...	5 00
Repairs and Improvements	5 71	“ “ W. A..	5 50
Diocesan Missions ..	29 75	“ “ W.A.bxs.	8 75
General Fund .....	8 00	Foreign, S. S. ..	8 00
Christmas Fund .....	3 29	“ Jews.....	1 05
Bishop's Relief Fund.....	8 52	“ Deaf Mutes....	8 05

Parochial, \$319.91; Diocesan, \$48.52; General, \$21.85.....\$ 389 78

Church Property—Church, \$3,000; Rectory, \$1,000; Endowment, \$1,000: \$5,000. Insurance, \$3,100.

The report of services is only from Oct. 1st, 1894.

Owego, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. JAMES HOLWELL KIDDER, RECTOR.

Wardens—Gurdon Hewitt Pumpelly, Edwin Day Downs.

Families .....	77	Burials.....	19
Baptisms—Adult .....	5	Services—Sund, 143, weekd 66 ..	226
Communicants—died 6, rem. 2,		Holy Communion .....	282
present no. ....	112	S. S. Teachers 5, Scholars 40....	45
Marriages .....	2		

OFFERINGS

Communion Alms .....	\$ 39 05	Missions—Domestic .....	22 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	1,600 00	“ W. A. ...	5 00
Sunday School.....	15 27	“ W. A. bx.	6 00
Diocesan Missions .....	61 50	General, W. A...	17 00
“ W. A... ..	18 50	Foreign, W.A.bxs	76 00
General Fund .....	40 00	Colored, W.A. bx.	4 00
Christmas Fund .....	18 75	Deaf Mutes ...	15 64
		General Missions, S.S. Lent.	19 80

Parochial, \$1,654.82; Diocesan, \$188.75; General, \$165.44 ..... \$1,953 51

Church Property—Church, \$17,000. Insurance, \$4,000.

The new church, of which the corner stone was laid October 31, 1894, was consecrated by the Bishop of the Diocese on the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul, January 25, 1895. It is a cruciform structure with square tower and octagonal turret, in rural English style. The material is Oxford blue stone with brick copings, trimmings, casings and string course, pale buff brick lining, open timbered roof finished in the natural color of the wood. The extension of the south transept to the line of the street makes a small chapel open to view from the church and arranged for use as part of the church or as a separate room. The font is in the turret near one of the west entrances, and the tower space makes the baptistry. The chancel, distinctly indicated architecturally, is of the full width of the nave, twenty-six feet, and twenty-

*Tioga County : Smithboro—Spencer.*

three feet in depth, and is equally divided into choir and sanctuary. The altar is well raised four feet above the floor of the nave. The pulpit, placed on the epistle side at the intersection of the chancel and transept, commands every part of the church and the chapel. Nave and baptistry are furnished with pews for 260 persons, the chapel with chairs for forty. There is a wide middle alley and alleys along the side walls. The architect is William Halsey Wood. The contract price for the building alone was \$12,700, and the actual cost, including changes and extras, was \$12,802. All the furnishings of chancel and nave are gifts from members and friends of the congregation and some are memorials. The cost of the pews and furnaces and of moving and repairing the organ, and many other things needed to fit the house for occupancy, was paid by the Guild of the parish. All the sacred furniture of the old church has been transferred to the new chapel. The acoustic properties of the building seem to be without fault, and it is found by regular use to be well suited to the purpose of divine service, and satisfactory to clergy and people.

**Smithboro, Emmanuel Church.**

THE REV. J. F. ESCH, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	6	Communicants—ad. 1, pres no..	20
Baptism—Infant.....	1	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 20....	23
Confirmed .....	1		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary...\$	41 37	General Fund.....	3 00
Sunday School.....	9 71	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	2 50
Diocesan Missions .....	4 37		
Parochial, \$51.10; Diocesan, \$9.87....			\$ 60.97

**Spencer, St. John's Mission.**

THE REV. G. WHARTON McMULLIN, MISSIONARY.

Families .....	12	Confirmed.....	3
Baptism—Adult .....	2	Services—Sund. 44, weekd. 9....	53
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public .....	4
15, ad. 4, rem. 1. present no...	14		

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	67 04	Diocesan Missions.....\$	10 00
Parochial, \$67.04; Diocesan, \$10.00....			\$ 77 04

Services are held in the Town Hall.

*Tioga County : Waverly. Tompkins County : Ithaca.*

**Waverly, Grace Church.**

THE REV. W. GORDON BENTLEY, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Elmer Nelson, Albert B. Baldwin.

Families .....	76	Marriages .....	3
Baptisms—Ad. 7, Inf. 7.....	14	Burials.....	4
Confirmed.....	6	Services—Sund. 114. weekd. 106	220
Communicants—within two years		Holy Communion—public.....	71
, 96, all others, 26, ad. 8; rec. 10,		S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 42....	48
died 2, rem. 2, pres. no .....	122		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms.....	\$ 14 31	Bishop's Relief Fund.....	4 24
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	418 56	Rev. Mr. Scott, W. A.....	4 00
Sunday School.....	16 86	Diocesan expenses J. A.....	1 00
Repairs and Improvements,	34 11	Missions—Domestic.....	1 52
Ladies Aid Society .....	446 00	“ W. A. bxs	50 00
Grace Church Guild.....	29 15	“ J. A. bxs	4 50
Insurance .....	45 00	Foreign .....	1 51
Gift on debt from a friend ..	100 00	Increase of Ministry.....	1 44
Diocesan Missions .....	33 30	General Missions, S.S. Lent.	13 20
General Fund.....	3 78	St. Augustine School, N.C.,	1 08
Christmas Fund.....	3 49	R. P. Hospital, Sayre, Pa.	4 76
Building Fund.....	1 25		
Parochial, \$1,103.99; Diocesan, \$50.06; General, \$77.96 .....			\$ 1,282 01

Church Property—Church \$5,000; Rectory, \$3,000: \$8,000.

Indebtedness, \$450. Insurance, \$4,500.

The Parish was without a Rector from Sep. 1st, 1894, to Dec. 1st, 1894. Services, offerings, &c., as reported are for the entire year. A mission Sunday School consisting of about thirty members is maintained in South Waverly, in the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania.

**Tompkins County.**

**Ithaca, St. John's Church.**

THE REV. STEPHEN H. SYNNOTT, RECTOR.

*Wardens*—Lafayette L. Treman, H. V. Bostwick.

Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 19 ...	20	Burials .....	14
Confirmed .....	22	Services—Sund. 124, weekd. 73,.	197
Communicants .....	380	Holy Communion—public .....	26
Marriages.....	9	S. S. Teachers 85, Scholars 250..	285

Tompkins County : McLean—Speedsville.

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 197 00	General Fund . . . . .	90 45
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	2,915 62	Christmas Fund . . . . .	35 67
Sunday School . . . . .	57 05	Building Fund . . . . .	18 97
City Hospital . . . . .	80 88	Bishop's Relief Fund . . . . .	10 00
City taxes . . . . .	188 53	St. Joseph's, Rome . . . . .	20 00
Insurance . . . . .	113 88	Missions—Domestic . . . . .	58 88
Inlet Mission . . . . .	69 26	Foreign . . . . .	64 02
Other Parochial objects . . . .	1,400 00	Woman's Auxiliary . . . . .	254 65
Diocesan Missions . . . . .	818 98	General Clergy relief . . . . .	25 05

Parochial, \$4,966.12; Diocesan, \$489.02; General, \$397.60 . . . . . \$ 5,852 74

Church Property—Church, \$18,000; Rectory, \$7,000; Parish House, \$6,000; Inlet Mission, \$2,400: \$33,400.

Insurance, \$17,200.

McLean, Zion Church.

THE REV. PARKER FENNO, MISSIONARY.

Wardens—Charles McClintock, Henry E. Hubbard.

Families . . . . .	12	Services—Sund, 23, weekd 16 . . .	39
Confirmed . . . . .	1	Holy Communion—public . . . . .	3
Communicants . . . . .	16	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 11 . . .	13

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms . . . . .	\$ 3 95	Diocesan Missions . . . . .	13 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	113 29	W. A. bxs . . . . .	17 00
Sunday School . . . . .	8 31	Christmas Fund . . . . .	2 50
Repairs on rectory . . . . .	17 79		
Parochial, \$143.34; Diocesan, \$32.50 . . . . .			\$ 175 84

Church Property—Church, \$1,500; Rectory, \$800: \$2,300.

Insurance, \$1,500.

Speedsville, St. John's Church.

THE REV. DWIGHT A. PARCE, MINISTER.

Wardens—John Cross, Truman B. Phillips.

Families . . . . .	24	Services—Sund. 33, weekd. 13 . . .	46
Confirmed . . . . .	2	Holy Communion—public . . . . .	3
Communicants . . . . .	27	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 17 . . .	20

*Tompkins County : Slaterville Springs—Trumansburgh.*

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	112 30	Insurance .....	12 00
Sunday School.....	2 98	Organist.. .....	10 00
Repairs and Improvements,	26 25	Diocesan Missions.....	5 00
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Parochial, \$163.48; Diocesan, \$5.00.....			\$168 48
Church Property—Church, \$6,030.			

The Woman's Parish Aid Society have expended \$48.84. included in the above.

**Slaterville Springs, St. Thomas' Church.**

THE REV. DWIGHT A. PARCE, MINISTER.

Wardens—R. G. H. Speed, James W. Reed.

Families .....	24	Services—Sund. 47, weekd. 21...	68
Confirmed .....	8	Holy Communion—public .....	7
Communicants .....	32	S. S. Teachers 4, Scholars 23....	27

OFFERINGS.

Exp's and Rector's Salary..\$	150 66	Diocesan Missions .....	17 57
Sunday School .....	6 28	Bishop's Relief Fund .....	17 88
Carpet, W. A. ....	99 99	St. Joseph's, Rome . ....	1 70
Organ debt, W. A.....	41 20	Jews .....	78
Easter offering .....	14 85	Junior Auxiliary.....	1 58
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Parochial, \$312.48; Diocesan, \$37.10; General, \$2.31.....			\$ 351 84
Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Insurance, \$2,000.			

**Trumansburgh, Church of the Epiphany.**

THE REV. WILLIAM H. VANALLEN, DEACON IN CHARGE.

Wardens—C. F. Mosher, E. E. Scribner.

Families ....	48	Services—Sund. 85, weekd. 20 ..	55
Baptisms—Infant.....	1	Holy Communion—public .....	8
Communicants.....	78	S. S. Teachers 6, Scholars 20....	86
Marriage .....	1		



Aurora—Port Byron.

OFFERINGS

Exp's and Rector's Salary..	\$600 00	Repairs and Improvements.	\$ 100 00
Parochial .....			\$ 700 00
Church Property—Church, \$20,000; Rectory, \$2,500: \$22,500			
Insurance, \$7,000.			

The Church has been closed from February 1 to July 1, and had only occasional ministrations before the former date. There has been no resident clergyman, since February, 1893, until July, 1895.

The following reports were not received in time to be inserted in their place on page 95.

Aurora, St. Paul's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM H. CASEY, RECTOR.

Warden—E. T. Brown.

Families.....	15	Burials.....	2
Baptisms—Ad. 1, Inf. 3 .....	4	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 41...	93
Confirmed .....	3	Holy Communion—pub. 15, priv. 2,	17
Communicants .....	42	S. S. Teachers 2, Scholars 10, ...	12

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 30 00	Episcopate Fund.....	\$ 5 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	217 50	Bishop's Relief Fund ...	6 18
Repairs and Improvements,	53 50	C. N. Y. Prayer Book Soc..	3 00
Insurance .....	33 52	Missions—Domestic .....	8 00
Other Parochial objects....	181 79	Foreign .....	2 00
Diocesan Missions.....	60 00	Deaf Mutes ..	3 00
“ “ W. A....	3 00	N. Y. Prayer Book Society.	3 00
Christmas Fund ....	7 25	Increase of the Ministry...	4 00
Building Fund.....	3 00		
Parochial, \$516.31; Diocesan, \$87.43; General, \$20.....			\$ 623 74

Church Property—Church, \$19,788. Insurance, \$5,000.

Port Byron, St. Paul's Church.

JOSEPH BISHOP, LAY READER.

Wardens—A. D. Stewart, L. W. Thompson.

Families, 18; Baptisms, infant 4; Holy Communion, public 7; Sunday School, Teachers 2; Scholars 14. Value of Church \$1,600. Insurance \$1,000.

Cayuga—Union Springs.

Cayuga St. Luke's Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM H. CASEY, RECTOR.

Warden—Andrew Baker.

Families .....	16	Services—Sund. 52, weekd. 14,..	66
Baptisms....	4	Holy Communion—public.....	14
Communicants.....	26	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 15....	18
Burials.....	5		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 12 00	Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 26 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	172 50	Missions—Domestic .....	2 00
Sunday School.....	6 00	Foreign .....	2 00
Repairs and Improvements,	240 10		
Parochial, \$430.60; Diocesan, \$26; General, \$4 .....			\$ 460 60

Church Property, \$5,000. Insurance, \$2,000.

Union Springs, Grace Church.

THE REV. WILLIAM H. CASEY, RECTOR.

Wardens—F. Yawger, L. Wales.

Families .....	25	Services—Sund. 53, weekd. 23,..	78
Baptisms—Infant .....	3	Holy Communion—public .....	15
Communicants .....	33	S. S. Teachers 3, Scholars 12....	15
Burials .....	4		

OFFERINGS.

Communion Alms .....	\$ 12 00	Diocesan Missions .....	\$ 39 00
Exp's and Rector's Salary..	310 13	Christmas Fund .....	5 25
Sunday School.....	5 55	Missions—Domestic .....	2 77
Repairs and Improvements.	75 00	W.A. bxs	25 00
Other Parochial Objects....	10 00	Foreign .....	2 77

Parochial, \$412.69; Diocesan, \$44.25; General, \$30.54.....\$ 487 47

Church Property—Church, \$4,000. Rectory, \$1,000: \$5,000.

Insurance, \$3,200.

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*Weedsport—Parishes and Missions not Reporting.*

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**Weedsport, St. John's Church.****JOSEPH BISHOP, LAY READER.****Wardens—David Kevand, H. D. Brewster.**

Confirmed, 4; Holy Communion, public 7; Sunday School, Teachers 3.  
Scholars 18. Offerings or current expenses \$93.78. Value of Church \$5,000.  
Insurance \$2,000.

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**Parishes and Missions not Reporting.**

St. Mark's, Millport,  
Christ Church, Clayton,  
St. Paul's, LaFargeville,

Brookfield Mission,  
St. Stephen's, Perryville.

*Other Clerical Reports.*

**Other Clerical Reports.**

The REV. E. C. ALCORN reports that from May 1, 1894, to November 1, 1894, he remained in charge of Grace Church, Earlville. Since the latter date he has officiated as an assistant or as a "supply" in various parishes and missions, one Sunday at St. John's, Syracuse, one at Clayton, one at St. Andrew's, Utica, one and Christmas day at Trinity, Utica, two at St. George's, Utica, two at Brookfield, six at Grace, Elmira. On Easter Tuesday he celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Thomas' Church, Van Etten. He was in actual quarantine three Sundays, and practically so six. He assisted the Rev. Dr. Gibson in editing the "Church Eclectic" till April 1, 1895, when it was transferred to the "Young Churchman Co.," Milwaukee.

The REV. GEORGE BOWEN reports that during the year he has held services at Syracuse, Sayre, Pa., Van Etten, Spencer, Waverly, Owego and Candor, in all ninety-six services. He has celebrated the Holy Communion thirty-six times, has preached sixty-one times, baptized three adults assisted at two baptisms, and two funerals, and officiated at one burial.

The REV. JOSEPH M. CLARKE, D. D., Chaplain to Bishop Huntington, reports: He has read a brief daily evening service at the House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse, except when absent from the city. He has held fifteen services at the Shelter for unprotected girls in Syracuse. He has officiated twelve times in St. Paul's Cathedral, nine times in St. John's Church, three times in Grace Church, twice in St. Luke's Chapel, and once in Calvary Church, all in Syracuse. He has assisted in the instruction in St. Andrew's Divinity School, having conducted thirty recitations in Hebrew, twenty-nine in Church History, twenty-seven in Pastoral Theology, twenty-eight in the Greek Testament, and twenty-two in the New Testament in English. As one of the Examining Chaplains he has taken part in nine examinations of Candidates for Holy Orders. He has acted as Priest of the Associated Mission of St. Andrew, and in other work of the Diocese, officiating at Marcellus five times, at Cazenovia five times, at Weedsport six times, at Port Byron five times, at Chittenango three times, at Canastota three times, at St. John's Auburn, twice, twice at Jordan, twice at Fulton, and once each at St. Joseph's, Rome, Zion Church, Rome, Calvary, Utica, and in the Churches at Sand Bank, Lacona, Norwich, Seneca Falls, Homer, McLean and Skaneateles. He has baptised nine adults and eighteen infants, has presented two candidates for confirmation, has administered the Holy Communion publicly forty-four times, and in private with the sick five times, has solemnized five marriages and attended thirteen funerals, and served the Bishop as his Private Secretary.

The REV. F. B. COSSITT reports that during the year ending April 30th, 1895, he officiated six times in the Diocese of Rhode Island, and once in the Diocese of Massachusetts. He preached and celebrated the Holy Communion three times at Augusta and three times at Oriskany Falls, and frequently assisted the Rev. Mr. Parker in the church and Sunday School of Grace parish, Waterville.

The REV. JOHN W. CRAIG, residing at Englewood, N. J., reports that he has been engaged the past year in preparing for his educational work. Occasionally he has done clerical duty for friends.

The REV. CHARLES ORVIS DANTZER, of the Church Mission to Deaf Mutes, reports as follows for the year ending May 1, 1895: Baptisms, adult 8, infant 7, total 15; Confirmed 11; Communicants, within two years 73, died 1,

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*Other Clerical Reports.*

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removed 11, present number 61; Marriages 5; Services, Sunday 67, week-day 64, total 131; Offerings, received from this Diocese \$430.34, from the Diocese of Western New York, \$321.92, from deaf mutes of both Dioceses for expenses \$163.93; amount of expenses \$236.63.

The REV. OSGOOD E. HERRICK, D. D., Post Chaplain U. S. Army (retired) and Assistant in Trinity Church, Watertown, reports that since the date of his last report he has officiated nearly every Sunday and on many other days in various parishes in this Diocese and in the Dioceses of New York, Maryland and Virginia. Items of record are included in the reports of Grace Church, Utica, and Trinity Church, Watertown.

The REV. GILBERT WM. LAIDLAW, Deacon, reports that since his ordination on the 9th of March, 1895, he has continued his theological studies in the Episcopal Theological School in Cambridge, Mass. On Easter Day he assisted at three celebrations of the Holy Communion in Grace Church, Lawrence, and on the 26th of May he read services in the Missions in Walpole and Norwood, Mass.

THE REV. JOHN MUIR, M. D., residing at Merrickville, Ont., reports that since last he made a return of services engaged in, his opportunity and ability for usefulness have not been frequent or extensive. In Trinity Church, Merrickville, he has officiated three times; and at the Cemetery, read the Burial Service once in the temporary absence of the Incumbent. By special request of the Masonic Fraternity of Merrickville, he preached to the Brethren on the Festival of St. John the Baptist, and took part in the services on occasion of a Confirmation by the Lord Bishop of Niagara. At Christ Church, Burrett's Rapids, he also acted for the Rev. W. Roberts, twice. For the Reverend C. P. Emery of Kemptville, he has officiated twice and was present with other clergy at the consecration of the Church of St. James the Apostle at Kemptville, Ont., by the Archbishop of Ontario.

The REV. THOMAS L. RANDOLPH reports that he has resided during the last Conventional year at Alameda, California, and has had charge of St. Matthew's Mission, Lorin, in the town of Berkeley, giving them the morning service and sermon, and the Holy Communion monthly. He has baptised several children, and presented four persons for confirmation. Besides this he has administered the Holy Communion a number of times at the Mission in West Berkeley, and assisted frequently in services at other churches.

The REV. CHARLES SEYMOUR reports that from the date of the last Convention until early in the year 1895 he officiated as the assistant of the Rector of Grace Church, Nyack, N. Y., preaching occasionally and taking part in the services on Sundays and week-days. From March, 1895, he was so much reduced in bodily strength that he was not able to do anything officially.

The REV. MOSES COIT TYLER, LL. D., reports that during the past year he has been compelled, on account of the unusual pressure of University work, to decline all public labor on Sunday, and that he has preached but twice, each time at St. Thomas' Church, Slaterville Springs.

The REV. WILLIAM H. VAN ALLEN, who was ordered Deacon June 17, 1894, reports that he began work at St. Anna's and St. Luke's Chapels, Syracuse, on the second Sunday in September. Since then he has taken the Sunday services mornings at St. Anna's, and evenings at St. Luke's, with additional Lenten services. He baptized two children at St. Luke's, one at Grace Church, Willowdale, and two at St. Andrew's, Dey's Landing. He has

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*Other Clerical Reports.*

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preached at Calvary, Grace, and St. James', Syracuse; Christ Church, Oswego; Trinity, Elmira; Trinity, Camden; Grace, Willowdale; St. Andrew's, Dey's Landing; St. Stephen's, Romulus; St. Joseph's, Rome; Emmanuel, East Syracuse; Trinity, Fayetteville; St. Martin's, Brooklyn, and the Church of the Redeemer, New York. In the absence of the Bishop and the Chaplain he has frequently taken the services at the House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse. At St. Luke's, Syracuse, he presented a class of six for confirmation.

The REV. WILLIAM D. WILSON, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D., reports that during the ecclesiastical year since the last Convention he has done but little work besides his duties as Dean of St. Andrew's, and his lectures at Keble. During several weeks in the winter he suffered so much from a severe cold that for several weeks he was not allowed to go out of the house. He performed all his duties to the theological students in St. Andrews, however, with the exception of two lectures. Besides these duties at St. Andrew's and Keble, he has officiated at one funeral.

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*Church Homes and Hospitals.*


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## APPENDIX III.

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**Church Homes and Hospitals.**


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**St. Luke's Home and Hospital, Utica.**

Organized October 18, 1869. Incorporated December 23, 1869. Endowment \$27,865.71. Receipts for the year ending September 30, 1894, \$15,077.38. Subscriptions to Children's Summer Hospital \$3,604.97. Total receipts \$18,682.32. Patients in Hospital, three hundred and fifty-seven, of whom eighty-three were men, two hundred and fifty-four were women, and twenty were children under ten years of age. Fifty-seven paid nothing. Two hundred and two patients were discharged recovered, eighty-two improved, twenty-seven unimproved and eighteen died. Thirty-eight remained under treatment. One hundred and six were medical cases, eighty-one were surgical, eighteen were suffering from diseases or injuries of the eye and ear. The cases peculiar to women were one hundred and fifty-two.

*Board of Managers*—President, William M. White; Vice President, Henry W. Millar; Treasurer, Clarence B. Crouse; Secretary, John G. Gibson; Chaplain, Rev. C. T. Olmstead, D. D., Rector of Grace Church; Alexander T. Goodwin, George H. Wiley, Rev. Bernard Schulte, D. D., George M. Weaver, J. Fred Maynard, James Constable, Jr.

*Officers of the Board of Almoners*—President, Mrs. Ella C. Peckham; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Cornelia F. Jackson, Mrs. Sarah J. Lynch, Mrs. Theresa W. Chamberlain; Secretary, Mrs. Grace N. Griffith; Treasurer, Mrs. Sophia F. Ingalls; Housekeeper, Mrs. Mary J. Clark; Head Nurse, Miss Emma J. Keith.

*Medical Director*—Dr. Willis E. Ford.

*Medical Staff*—Drs. William M. Gibson, E. D. Fuller, A. J. Browne, A. R. Simmons.

*Surgical Staff*—Drs. Wilbur H. Booth, Herbert G. Jones, F. A. Peck, J. D. Jones.

*Gynecological Service*—Drs. Willis E. Ford, W. J. Schuyler, George Seymour.

*Consulting Staff*—Drs. M. M. Bagg, Lafayette Rinkle, A. P. Dodge, Charles E. Smith, E. M. Draper, George Graves, James E. Rasbach, Baker W. Crane and Claude Wilson.

*Resident Physician*—Dr. P. J. Campbell.

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*House of the Good Shepherd, Utica. House of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.*

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### **House of the Good Shepherd, Utica.**

An institution for destitute and friendless children. Incorporated February 8, 1892. Endowment, \$24,700.

Receipts for 1894, \$5,599.26. Expenses, \$5,595.55. Average number of children cared for and taught, 40—the present limit of accommodation.

**Trustees**—T. R. Proctor, President; Wm. M. Storrs, Vice President; George M. Weaver, Secretary; H. P. Crouse, Treasurer; L. A. Tourtellot, M. D.; C. E. Chase, M. D., James Constable, H. W. Millar, J. E. Brandegge, H. Gilbert Hart, Hugh White.

**Managers**—Mrs. E. Z. Wright, President; Mrs. J. J. Francis, Mrs. W. M. Storrs, Mrs. M. H. Thomson, Mrs. E. H. Collier, Vice Presidents; Mrs. E. J. Wolcott, Secretary; Mrs. M. L. Brandegge, Treasurer.

**Matron**—Miss Mary J. King.

**Chaplain**—The Rev. J. J. Burd.

It is the aim of this institution to supply to the little ones entrusted to its care a good home, together with the much needed influence of a pure family life. Religious education is, of course, the primary object, and besides the daily devotions, it is the rule to have a weekly service and a catechetical instruction by the Chaplain. The house is grateful to the Bishop for his kindly interest shown in many ways.

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### **House of the Good Shepherd, Binghamton.**

NO REPORT.

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### **Shelter for Unprotected Girls, Syracuse.**

Opened February 21, 1877. Incorporated 1878.

**Trustees**—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese; Mrs. W. F. Belknap, Secretary; Miss A. S. Huntington, Treasurer; Dr. Juliet E. Hanchett, Miss J. E. McIntosh, Mrs. Lucius Moses, Mrs. F. R. Hazard, Mrs. I. G. Vann, Dr. J. C. Carson, W. T. Hamilton, W. S. Andrews, Robert Dey.

**Superintendent**—Miss A. A. Kendall.

**Chaplain**—The Rev. J. M. Clarke, D. D.

The object of this institution is to train young and neglected girls in ways of purity, industry and self-control. They are taught sewing, laundry and house work, with instruction in the elementary branches of education. Pains are taken to procure respectable situations at service for those who leave the house. There is no endowment, and the income is dependent upon annual subscriptions, occasional gifts and a small sum for board from friends or the poor authorities.



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*House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse. House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown.*

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Under the laws of the State, the Shelter receives girls under sixteen committed by any Justice in the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Judicial Districts, and retains control of them up to the age of nineteen. They are also placed by parents or guardians under the care of the Trustees for a term of years.

### **House of the Good Shepherd, Syracuse.**

Organized February, 1872.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President; Mr. George G. Gardner, Secretary; Mr. D. O. Salmon, Treasurer; Rev. H. R. Lockwood, D. D., Messrs. W. H. H. Smith, W. T. Hamilton, W. D. Dunning, Thomas W. Durston, Jacob Crouse, John Lyman, W. B. Cogswell, and the Mayor of Syracuse, *ex-officio*.

*House Family*—Miss Jessie Roberts, Superintendent and Treasurer of current receipts. There are twenty nurses in the school. Ten graduated during the year.

The institution is under the charge of a graduate of the Long Island College Hospital. The Training School is connected with the Hospital. There is a maternity department for mothers and children, with educated female physicians, Drs. Juliet E. Hanchett and Theresa Bannan. There are about seventy-five beds in the hospital.

There are rooms that are furnished as memorials; two in the hospital and four in the training school. Also one memorial bed. Other gifts for rooms and beds are greatly needed.

Number of patients during the year 559. Receipts, \$14,500. Expenses \$13,343.

The Bishop frequently visits and officiates at the house, which has his constant interest and supervision. The Rev. Dr. Clarke is Chaplain.

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### **House of the Good Samaritan, Watertown.**

Organized October 3, 1881. A free city hospital under the direction of members of Trinity and Grace Parishes.

*Officers*—President, H. M. Stephens, M. D.; Vice President, H. H. Babcock; Secretary, Rev. William H. Bown; Treasurer, Mr. George H. Sherman.

*Trustees*—George H. Sherman, Dr. H. M. Stephens, Hon. George A. Bagley, H. H. Babcock, Rev. J. S. Reed, Rev. W. H. Bown, C. H. Lane, J. T. Newton, S. D. Lansing, George McMullen.

*Matron*—Mrs. Caroline Fitch.

*Lady Visitors*—Mrs. H. M. Stephens, Mrs. G. H. Sherman.

*Medical Board*—Under direction of Trustees.

The hospital has done a large amount of good during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

June 1, 1895.

WILLIAM HENRY BOWN, *Secretary*.

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*St. Andrew's Divinity School. St. John's Military School, Manlius.*

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(**B.**)

**Educational Institutions.**

**St. Andrew's Divinity School.**

A Seminary for the training of Candidates for Orders, under the immediate supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese. Established September 16, 1876.

*Trustees*—The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, the Rev. H. R. Lockwood, S. T. D., Messrs. William Marvin, Horace O. Moss and Charles H. Smythe.

*Dean*—The Rev. W. D. Wilson, D. D., LL. D., L. H. D.

During the year the instruction is given as follows:

By the Bishop: The Sacraments and Sacramental Offices; Preaching; Spiritual Life.

By the Dean: First term, in the history and contents of the Old Testament Scriptures. Second term, the history, contents and interpretation of the New Testament Scriptures. Third term, the history, contents and right use of the Prayer Book.

By the Rev. Joseph M. Clarke, D. D.: in Hebrew and Church History, Pastoral Care and New Testament Greek.

By the Rev. J. Everett Johnson: in the Articles and Systematic Divinity throughout the year.

Instruction in Hebrew will be given throughout the year as may be desired.

There is a preparatory Course at St. John's School, Manlius, ten miles from Syracuse.

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**St. John's Military School, Manlius.**

The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese, President of the Board of Trustees; Lt. Col. William Verbeck, President; the Rev. A. C. Clarke, Chaplain.

St. John's school was founded in 1869 by the Rt. Rev. Frederic D. Huntington, S. T. D., Bishop of Central New York, and has ever since been a successful Church School of the highest grade. It is located at Manlius, N. Y., ten miles from Syracuse, on the line of the Syracuse, Ontario and New York R. R. The situation of the school buildings is on high ground with excellent natural drainage. The direct locality as well as the region surrounding it is extremely healthful. The appointments of the school edifice are unsurpassed. It was recently built at great expense with express reference to educational uses, and is provided with special securities against accident and ill health. It has all the modern improvements, is heated by steam and lighted by electricity.

The Chaplain conducts all religious worship and instruction. The services are arranged and conducted, with the advice of the Bishop, as will best promote moral and religious growth.

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*Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.*

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There are five courses of study, a course in Civil Engineering, a Classical Course, a Business Course, a Special Course and a Preparatory Course.

During the year ending June 21, 1895, there were one hundred and fourteen cadets registered.

The President, Chaplain, Headmaster, Commandant, detailed by the War Department, and seven masters, constitute the Faculty.

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**Keble School for Girls, Syracuse.**

Under the supervision of the Bishop of the Diocese. Founded in 1871.

Incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, in December, 1878, and a Board of Trustees chosen, of which the Bishop of the Diocese is President.

*Principal*—Miss Mary Jackson, who has fifteen assistants in the various departments. Number of pupils one hundred and fifty.

This is a Boarding and Day School, designed to furnish the best facilities for the sound and thorough education of girls in all scholarly attainments, womanly graces and Christian character. The situation of the school is in a healthful locality, on a wide, pleasant and attractive street, with a commodious house and ample grounds open to the light and air.

# APPENDIX IV.

(1.)

## Table of Parochial Statistics.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms.			Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Schools.		Offerings.	
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.				Teachers.	Pupils.		
BROOME COUNTY.										
Binghamton, Christ Church. . . . .	207	7	13	19	23	418	17	19	18	125 \$ 7,674 21
" Trinity. . . . .	207	6	15	21	24	405	12	23	31	300 9,086 18
" Good Shepherd. . . . .	11	9	12	15	8	222	6	12	6	1,026 91
Chenango Forks, St. John's. . . . .	80	1	1	2	2	41	2	4	25	228 85
Harpursville, St. Luke's. . . . .	23	1	3	3	2	49	1	3	20	211 39
Whitney's Point, Grace. . . . .	24	1	4	11	8	34	1	2	2	279 39
Windsor, Zion. . . . .	24	1	1	1	1	34	1	1	3	30 65
Total. . . . .	348	24	44	72	77	1201	36	63	65	530 \$37,322 55
CAYUGA COUNTY.										
Auburn, St. Peter's. . . . .	410	12	37	49	37	580	16	39	18	180 \$ 7,213 71
" St. John's. . . . .	80	2	8	10	4	198	1	5	8	65 1,134 45
Aurora, St. Paul's. . . . .	15	1	3	4	3	49	2	2	2	0 223 34
Cayuga, St. Luke's. . . . .	18	4	4	4	3	30	6	3	15	460 80
Moravia, St. Matthew's. . . . .	79	3	5	8	8	142	8	9	5	61 896 12
Port Byron, St. Paul's. . . . .	12	4	4	4	22	22	2	2	14	14
Union Springs, Grace. . . . .	25	3	3	3	3	33	4	3	12	487 47
Weedsport, St. John's. . . . .	15	3	3	4	4	16	3	3	18	96 78
Total. . . . .	658	19	64	82	56	1056	20	64	4	735 \$10,909 88
CHEMUNG COUNTY.										
Big Flats, St. John's. . . . .	20	1	1	1	1	31	1	1	1	20 \$ 300 84
Elmira, Trinity. . . . .	207	5	8	18	23	278	12	12	17	170 9,125 70
" Grace. . . . .	150	4	41	45	19	317	11	23	14	150 3,197 19
" Emmanuel. . . . .	65	6	13	21	14	114	4	7	9	60 1,084 89
Horseheads, St. Matthew's. . . . .	51	4	7	11	1	50	1	7	5	52 567 06
Millport, St. Mark's. . . . .	54	1	1	1	1	73	1	1	1	1 498 70
Van Etten, St. Thomas. . . . .	51	10	12	22	7	38	1	2	7	8 696 89
Wellburg, Christ Church. . . . .	26	6	4	10	12	39	1	1	5	29
Total. . . . .	624	25	67	122	77	948	30	51	62	563 \$15,900 47
CHENANGO COUNTY.										
Afton, St. Ann's. . . . .	36	3	3	6	45	45	1	3	12	278 41
Bainbridge, St. Peter's. . . . .	80	6	6	9	100	100	4	8	42	1,512 86
Greene, Zion. . . . .	122	5	4	9	5	207	2	17	9	70 2,183 68
Gullford, Christ Church. . . . .	1	7	8	2	180	1	8	8	54	5,368 26
McDonough, Calvary. . . . .	97	1	1	1	31	31	2	3	23	196 13
Mt. Upton, Grace. . . . .	1	1	1	1	12	12	1	1	1	142 81
New Berlin, St. Andrew's. . . . .	1	6	6	6	141	141	8	10	10	75 2,280 86
Norwich, Emmanuel. . . . .	177	3	11	14	10	272	3	8	15	110 2,294 02
Oxford, St. Paul's. . . . .	131	2	5	7	11	180	3	6	13	67 3,590 85
Sherburne, Christ Church. . . . .	40	1	14	15	143	143	2	11	19	66 1,667 23
Total. . . . .	663	21	50	71	37	1270	17	74	77	518 \$19,406 18
CORTLAND COUNTY.										
Cortland, Grace. . . . .	119	4	5	9	11	307	6	8	9	75 \$ 2,462 06
Homer, Calvary. . . . .	59	1	9	10	10	60	1	12	7	53 900 61
Total. . . . .	169	5	14	19	21	367	7	20	16	108 \$ 3,362 67
* Number last reported.										

\* Number last reported.

## Parochial Statistics: Jefferson—Lewis—Madison—Oneida.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms.				Communicants.	Marriages.	School.			Offerings.
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.	Total.			Burials.	Teachers.	Pupils.	
JEFFERSON COUNTY.										
Adams, Emmanuel.	33	9	5	9	80	1	4	5	50	608 51
Antwerp, St. Paul's.	36	1	1	11	63	1	5	5	54	764 54
Brownville, St. Paul's.	34	5	5	3	23	1	2	5	53	346 55
Cape Vincent, St. John's.	81	12	36	156	112	4	9	11	90	1,229 33
Carthage, Grace.	60	8	16	19	112	4	5	8	64	1,486 52
Champlain, St. John's.	24	1	1	27	60	1	1	1	1	120 52
Clayton, Christ Church.	37	1	1	1	18	1	1	1	1	128 52
Dexter, St. John's.	12	1	1	1	12	1	1	1	1	58 73
Elizburgh, Christ Church.	20	1	1	1	28	1	1	1	1	58 73
Evans Mills, Mission.	12	1	1	1	16	1	1	1	1	58 73
Fredericks Corners, St. Paul's.	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	58 73
Great Bend, Trinity Chapel.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	58 73
Glen Park, St. Andrew's.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	107 04
La Fargeville, St. Paul's.	27	1	1	1	23	1	1	1	1	362 00
North Watertown, Redeemer.	15	4	18	17	18	2	2	16	60	297 73
Pierrepont Manor, Zion.	34	1	2	3	34	2	4	5	34	986 87
Redwood, St. Peter's.	25	1	1	11	8	4	9	6	30	896 87
Sacketts Harbor, Christ Church.	51	7	14	21	54	4	9	5	55	1,171 06
Theresa, St. James.	50	8	11	19	7	54	4	6	40	775 73
Watertown, Trinity.	390	5	35	40	36	926	19	47	44	10,758 11
Grace.	150	2	4	4	18	246	7	7	15	5,107 67
Total.	1064	50	195	184	156	2121	50	98	183	\$23,906 73
LEWIS COUNTY.										
Constableville, St. Paul's.	58	2	5	7	1	78	4	8	52	954 19
Copenhagen, Grace.	23	1	1	1	35	1	1	1	1	315 44
Lowville, Trinity.	49	3	4	7	4	125	3	10	6	1,476 08
Port Leyden, St. Mark's.	30	1	1	1	40	1	2	1	1	426 01
Total.	210	5	10	15	5	303	4	19	19	\$ 1,72 57
MADISON COUNTY.										
Brookfield, Mission.	10	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1	3,542 89
Cazenovia, St. Peter's.	1	4	5	9	1,34	1	6	9	91	441 11
Cattaraugus, Mission.	44	1	4	5	5	70	1	5	4	223 23
Chittenango, St. Paul's.	17	1	1	1	35	1	1	1	1	537 58
Earlville, Grace Mission.	35	5	5	9	47	1	1	5	20	1,196 88
Hamilton, St. Thomas.	65	2	2	2	13	5	2	5	23	1,357 05
Oneida, St. John's.	155	3	10	19	15	223	3	7	13	2,474 48
Perryville, St. Stephen's.	10	1	1	1	19	1	1	1	1	1
Total.	325	10	26	36	40	628	12	23	30	\$ 8,834 61
ONEIDA COUNTY.										
Augusta, St. Andrew's.	10	1	1	1	21	1	1	1	1	19 00
Boonville, Trinity.	40	1	1	1	13	70	1	1	1	621 13
Bridgewater, Christ Church.	26	1	1	1	2	21	2	2	10	184 73
Camden, Trinity.	70	1	5	5	4	125	1	3	6	627 89
Chadwick, St. George's.	17	1	1	1	42	1	1	1	1	368 00
Clark's Mills, St. Mark's.	26	2	3	5	9	43	1	1	5	485 05
Clayville, St. John's.	23	1	2	2	36	1	1	1	1	369 26
Clinton, St. James.	28	1	16	24	11	191	1	11	9	1,324 38
Durhamville, Mission.	3	1	1	1	6	45	1	1	1	200 69
Forestport, Christ Church.	25	1	1	1	7	50	1	1	1	114 00
Holland Patent, St. Paul's.	25	1	1	1	35	1	1	1	1	570 06
New Hartford, St. Stephen's.	42	1	14	14	12	110	4	1	6	2,144 50
New York Mills, St. James.	24	1	1	1	45	1	1	1	1	195 00
Oriskany, St. Peter's.	35	1	7	8	1	94	2	5	2	534 35
Oriskany Falls, Good Shepherd.	1	3	2	5	2	29	2	2	4	174 86
Paris Hill, St. Paul's.	35	1	2	3	1	77	2	4	6	455 43
Rome, Zion.	201	10	15	25	31	400	3	8	16	5,046 71
St. Joseph's.	64	3	11	14	28	160	4	7	7	627 08
Utica, Calvary.	1	1	21	26	37	495	13	33	280	6,614 41
Grace.	1	6	27	39	23	544	6	15	22	16,321 80
Holy Cross.	125	3	22	25	16	217	6	9	12	2,596 65
St. George's.	1	1	17	23	18	100	6	7	8	1,886 03
St. Luke's.	361	18	64	82	35	383	36	61	28	8,746 28
Trinity.	156	4	8	12	10	267	3	9	30	6,172 56
Waterville, Grace.	80	2	9	11	10	173	3	9	8	2,724 37
Westmoreland, Gethsemane.	22	1	1	1	2	73	1	1	1	866 47
Whitesboro, St. John's.	1	1	1	1	1	21	1	1	1	400 00
Total.	1513	79	274	353	274	4168	116	200	240	\$56,737 64
* Number last reported.										

\* Number last reported.

Parochial Statistics: Onondaga—Oswego—Seneca—Tioga—Tompkins.

PARISHES AND MISSIONS.	Baptisms					School						
	Families.	Adults.	Infants.	Total.	Confirmed.	Communicants.	Marriages.	Parials.	Teachers.	Pupils.	Offerings.	
ONONDAGA COUNTY.												
Baldwinsville, Grace	70	2	2	4	4	142	7	32	9	75	1,502 32	
East Syracuse, Emmanuel	45	1	1	2	1	67	3	3	5	53	684 64	
Fayetteville, Trinity	55	3	5	8	9	133	3	7	7	67	1,391 47	
Jamestown, St. Mark's	21	1	1	2	4	27	1	1	4	29	523 14	
Jordan, Christ Church	70	1	1	2	10	...	1	7	5	50	809 44	
Manlius, Christ Church	35	2	6	8	5	50	3	3	6	50	679 10	
Marcellus, St. John's	34	1	10	11	6	...	2	2	3	30	426 24	
Onondaga, Indian Mission.	26	12	5	15	2	46	1	4	1	20	75 00	
Skaneateles, St. James'	...	12	7	19	18	352	1	16	...	...	2,137 91	
Syracuse, Calvary	...	6	20	35	17	322	27	19	10	110	565 87	
" Grace	61	2	16	18	15	240	8	9	10	90	2,070 87	
" St. James'	70	...	...	...	12	90	...	...	8	60	4,227 00	
" St. John's	190	4	30	34	23	250	2	6	15	160	1,330 44	
" St. Mark's	92	4	3	7	27	125	3	...	15	110	6,222 70	
" St. Paul's	311	6	23	29	34	593	11	28	22	165	10,838 08	
" Trinity.	125	8	13	21	27	365	14	21	26	173	4,508 23	
Total	1189	51	140	191	312	2702	79	143	145	1244	\$ 43,696 41	
OSWEGO COUNTY												
Cleveland, St. James'	...	4	4	8	3	63	...	...	3	4	35	272 53
Fulton, Zion	80	...	4	4	...	100	...	9	7	40	1,079 17	
Lacoma, Mission	44	11	11	22	6	25	4	5	3	24	137 00	
Mexico, Grace	33	...	2	2	...	50	2	4	5	40	330 60	
Oswego, Christ Church	220	2	16	18	20	233	7	17	17	150	7,000 30	
" Evangelists	195	5	17	22	32	390	3	29	18	300	2,474 57	
Pulaski, St. James'	30	...	1	1	4	49	3	1	5	40	635 37	
Redfield, Mission	5	1	1	2	16	16	1	...	...	...	...	
Sandbank, Mission	31	6	7	13	2	36	...	2	7	60	246 00	
Total	638	25	62	87	38	908	19	71	64	598	\$ 12,225 94	
SENECA COUNTY.												
Dey's Landing, St. Andrew's	10	...	5	5	1	6	...	...	1	11	5	67 31
Hayt's Corners, Calvary	22	1	1	2	...	26	...	...	4	24	269 46	
Fayette, Mission	6	1	7	8	2	5	...	...	...	...	36 30	
Romulus, St. Stephen's	30	2	1	3	...	31	...	...	3	28	397 11	
Seneca Falls, Trinity	195	...	4	4	12	314	5	18	24	149	4,060 27	
Watkins, St. Paul's	170	3	22	25	18	270	4	25	28	180	4,328 22	
Willard, Mission	38	3	9	12	6	73	3	5	4	32	838 18	
Willowdale, Grace	35	4	9	13	3	53	...	2	1	40	209 58	
Total	506	14	57	71	42	778	11	50	65	464	\$ 10,296 68	
TIOGA COUNTY.												
Candor, St. Mark's	21	1	1	2	12	45	1	...	4	27	3 389 78	
Owego, St. Paul's	77	1	4	5	...	112	2	19	3	40	1,933 31	
Smithboro, Emmanuel	6	1	1	2	1	20	...	...	...	20	60 97	
Spencer, St. John's	12	2	2	4	3	14	...	...	...	...	77 04	
Waverly, Grace	76	7	7	14	8	122	8	4	6	42	1,232 01	
Total	192	11	13	24	22	313	6	23	18	129	\$ 3,713 31	
TOMPKINS COUNTY												
Ithaca, St. John's	223	1	19	20	22	280	9	14	35	250	\$ 5,852 74	
McLean, Zion	12	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	2	11	175 64	
Shaterville, St. Thomas'	24	...	...	...	8	32	...	...	4	23	351 84	
Speedsville, St. John's	24	...	...	...	2	27	...	...	3	17	162 48	
Trumansburgh, Epiphany	48	...	1	...	...	74	1	...	8	20	700 00	
Total	341	1	20	21	28	583	10	14	50	321	\$ 7,248 00	
Total for 138 parishes, &c.	3479	358	901	1349	1130	17217	477	913	1087	8164	\$242,362 23	

\*Number last reported.

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*Summary of Statistics.*


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(B.)

**Summary of Statistics.****CLERGY:**

Ordained: Deacons 10, Priests 9 .....	19
Received .....	4
Transferred .....	6
Died.....	3
Canonically Resident: Bishop 1, Priests 101, Deacons 15,.....	117

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS ..... 17

POSTULANTS ..... 6

LICENSED LAY READERS ..... 97

**PARISHES:—**

Present number in Union with the Convention .....	108
Whole number of Parishes: Self-supporting 45, Missionary 65...	110
Whole number of Parishes and Missions.....	145

**CHURCHES:—**

Consecrated during the year .....	4
Corner Stones laid .....	1
Whole number of Churches.....	143

RECTORIES ..... 56

**EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS:—**

Parochial .....	1
Teachers .....	1
Scholars .....	16
Academic .....	2
Teachers.....	26
Students .....	264
Theological .....	1
Teachers .....	4
Students ... ..	16

**CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS:—****Church Homes:—**

For the Aged and Destitute.....	2
For Friendless Children .....	1
For Homeless Women .....	1
Church Hospitals .....	3
Number of Inmates in Church Homes .....	60
Number of Patients cared for in Church Hospitals .....	902

*Summary of Offerings.*

**Parochial Statistics.**

**FAMILIES:—**

Reported, 8,479; estimated for Parishes not reporting, 1,081..... 9,560

**BAPTISMS:—**

Adults, 358; Infants, 991..... 1,349

CONFIRMED..... 1,164

COMMUNICANTS..... 17,217

MARRIAGES..... 417

BURIALS... .. 913

**SUNDAY SCHOOLS:—**

Teachers reported in 116 Parishes and Missions..... 1,037

Scholars reported in 116 Parishes and Missions ..... 8,164

**Summary of Offerings.**

**PAROCHIAL:—**

Communion Alms.....\$ 4,818 94

Current Expenses and Rectors' Salaries..... 146,017 30

Sunday Schools... .. 5,608 71

Increase and Improvement of Church Property..... 37,660 00

Special Charities..... 4,742 03

Indebtedness paid..... 2,886 03

Other Parochial Objects..... 8,602 44

Total for Parochial Objects.....\$210,335 45

**DIOCESAN:—**

Diocesan Missions: from Parishes, &c..... \$8,884 79

Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued..... 1,125 20

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General Fund..... 1,815 50

Christmas Fund..... 1,029 68

Bishop's Relief Fund..... 739 57

Bishop's Chaplain Fund ..... 200 00

Bishop's Assistance Fund..... 282 40

Theological Education ..... 693 64

Mission to Deaf Mutes. .... 367 96

Central New York Bible and Prayer Book Society..... 98 73

Church Building Fund..... 59 69

Onondaga Indian Mission..... 402 68

Homes and Hospitals..... 5,939 99

Aid to various Churches..... 439 05

Various Objects..... 354 60

Total for Diocesan Objects.....\$22,433 48



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*Permanent Funds.*

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**GENERAL:—**

Domestic Missions: General.....	\$ 3,953 71
Special .....	1,360 30
Woman's Auxiliary, boxes valued.. ..	6,119 62
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	\$ 11,433 63
Foreign Missions .....	2,101 10
Church Missions to the Jews.....	140 36
New York Bible and Prayer Book Society.....	162 09
Increase of the Ministry.....	350 70
American Church Building Fund.....	254 50
Clerical Relief.....	47 29
Other Objects.....	492 24
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Total for General Objects.....	\$ 14,981 91
TOTAL AMOUNT OF OFFERINGS.....	\$ 247,750 84
VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY.....	\$2,047,896 00
AMOUNT OF INSURANCE REPORTED.....	\$ 829,140 00

**Permanent Funds.**

Christmas Fund for Disabled Clergy, &c .....	\$ 12,200 00
Episcopate Fund.....	76,504 32
DeLancey Fund .....	2,600 00
Permanent Missionary Fund .....	20,453 93
VanWagenen Missionary Fund.....	26,744 16
Jennie McGraw Fiske Fund .....	15,000 00
Clarke Scholarship Fund.....	2,000 00
Bible and Prayer Book Society Fund.....	3,000 00
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Total Amount of Permanent Funds.....	\$ 158,502 41



## APPENDIX V.

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(A.)

# CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

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## CONSTITUTION.

ADOPTED JUNE 14TH, 1870.

### ARTICLE I.

SECTION 1. There shall be a Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this Diocese, on the Second Tuesday of June, in the year 1870, and each year thereafter, at four o'clock and thirty minutes P. M., in such place as shall be determined by the Bishop for the time being, or in case of his inability to act or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, by the Standing Committee.

SEC. 2. On Tuesday evening, after service, a quorum being present, the Convention shall organize, and the Standing Committees shall be appointed.

SEC. 3. In the event of the prevalence of any epidemic disease, or for other sufficient cause, occurring after the designation of the place of meeting, the Bishop, or in the cases above mentioned, the Standing Committee, may appoint another place for the meeting of the Convention.

### ARTICLE II.

The Bishop may call Special Conventions when he shall judge it conducive to the good of the Church.

In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or the inability of the Bishop to do so, the Standing Committee may call such Conventions.

### ARTICLE III.

SECTION 1. The Convention shall be composed of the Bishop, if he be present, and the officiating Ministers regularly admitted and settled in some Church within the Diocese which is in union with the Convention; and of Lay-members, not exceeding three delegates from each Parish.

SEC. 2. All other Clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese for the space of six months, and not under discipline, may be members of the Convention.

SEC. 3. The Lay Delegates shall be chosen by the Vestry, when one is in legal existence. When the Vestry is, from vacancy or otherwise, incompetent to act, they shall be chosen by the congregation.

SEC. 4. But in case of Churches or Congregations organized or incorporated without a Vestry, Delegates may be chosen by the Church or Congregation, unless the Convention shall otherwise prescribe.

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**SEC. 5.** The mode of admitting new Churches or Congregations into union with the Convention may be prescribed by Canon.

**ARTICLE IV.**

Every Convention at its first morning session shall be opened with Prayers and the Holy Communion, and the Bishop may at this time deliver his Annual Address, or Charge.

**ARTICLE V.**

The Bishop shall preside in the Convention; but in case of a vacancy, inability to act, or necessary absence, the members shall elect a president from among the Presbyters.

**ARTICLE VI.**

A Secretary shall be chosen upon the assembling of the Annual Convention from among the members thereof, who shall remain in office until the meeting of the next Annual Convention, and until a successor be appointed. His duty shall be to take minutes of their proceedings, to preserve their journals and records, to attest the public acts of the body, and faithfully to deliver into the hands of his successor, all books and papers relative to the concerns of the Convention which may be in his possession. It shall also be his duty to give due notice to each Minister and Vestry of the time and place appointed for the meeting of each Convention.

**ARTICLE VII.**

**SECTION 1.** In all matters which come before the Convention, the Clergy and Laity shall deliberate, and, except as provided in the next Section, may vote, in one body; but if in any case it shall be required by five members, the two orders shall vote separately, the Clergy as individuals, and the Laity by Parishes; and the concurrence of a majority of each order shall be necessary to constitute a decision.

**SEC. 2.** In case of the election of a Bishop, the two orders shall always vote separately by ballot, and according to the mode above prescribed.

**ARTICLE VIII.**

The mode of altering the Constitution shall be as follows: A proposition for an amendment shall be introduced in writing, and considered in the Convention; and if approved of, shall lie over till the next Annual Convention; and, if again approved of in such next Convention by a majority of the two orders voting thereon separately, the change shall take place, and the Constitution so altered shall be valid and obligatory.

**ARTICLE IX.**

No amendment of the Canons shall be made during the session of the Convention in which the same shall be proposed, unless two-thirds of each order shall concur therein; but any amendment, if approved by a majority less than two-thirds, shall lie over for the consideration and final action of the next Annual Convention.

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CANON I.

*Of a List of Ministers in the Diocese.*

SECTION 1. Within one week before the meeting of every Convention of this Diocese, the Bishop shall prepare, or cause to be prepared, a list of all the Ministers canonically resident in this Diocese, annexing the names of their respective Cures, Parishes, Stations, or places of residence, designating those who are entitled to seats in the Convention; but no Clergyman while suspended from the Ministry shall have a place on the said list. And such list shall be laid before the Convention on the first day of meeting, and be prefixed to the Journal.

SEC. 2. The right of any Clergyman of this Diocese to a seat in the Convention, shall, if disputed, be determined according to the provisions of the third Article of the Constitution, by the Convention itself; whether his name be inserted in the list aforesaid or omitted.

CANON II.

*Of the Members and Organization of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. The evidence of the regular admission of a Clergyman into this Diocese shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention of a compliance with Section VII, of Canon 18, Title I, of the Digest of the Canons of the General Convention; and the evidence of a settlement in a Church thereof shall consist in proof satisfactory to the Convention, of a compliance with the first and second sections of Canon 18, Title I, of the Digest.

SEC. 2. The appointment of a Lay Delegate to the Convention of this Diocese shall be certified in writing by the Rector of the Parish of which he is a representative, or by one of the Wardens, or by the Clerk of the Vestry of such Parish; and no other certificate of the appointment of any Lay Delegate or Delegates to the Convention of this Diocese shall be allowed or received. And no Lay Delegate shall be entitled to a seat in the Convention unless he be entitled to vote for Wardens and Vestrymen of the Parish which he is appointed to represent.

SEC. 3. At every Convention the Bishop shall take the chair, and shall continue to preside during its sitting. He shall possess the usual powers of presiding officers in deliberative assemblies to preserve order and decorum, and shall decide all questions of order without debate, subject to an appeal to the House. He shall have the right to name any clerical member to perform the duties of the chair, but such substitute shall not extend beyond an adjournment, unless directed by the House.

SEC. 4. In case of the absence or disability of the Bishop, or of a vacancy in the office, the senior clerical member of the Standing Committee present shall call the Convention to order and act as President *pro tempore*, and perform all the duties of President until the Convention shall be organized and shall have elected a President.

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SEC. 5. The President having taking the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call over the names of the Clergy entitled to seats in the Convention, and shall enter in the Journal the names of those who are present. Notice shall then be given to the Lay Delegates to place their certificates on the table. They shall be examined by the Secretary and a Committee of two members to be appointed by the President. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared. The names of the Lay Delegates duly appointed shall then be called, and the names of those who are present shall be entered on the Journal. The irregular and defective certificates shall be reported to the Convention as soon as it is duly organized, who shall decide on the admission of the delegates named in them.

SEC. 6. The presence of at least twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and of Delegates from at least twenty Congregations, shall be necessary to the transaction of business, except that a smaller number may adjourn from day to day.

SEC. 7. A quorum being found to be in attendance, the President shall declare the Convention duly organized. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an Assistant Secretary, to be approved by the Convention.

SEC. 8. The Rules of Order of the preceding Annual Convention shall be the Rules of Order until altered by a vote of a majority of the Convention.

### CANON III.

#### *Of the Call of a Convention.*

SECTION 1. Notice of the meeting of any Convention shall be given by the Secretary in a printed letter, transmitted by mail at the expense of the Convention, to every Clergyman in the Diocese, and to the Wardens in every vacant Parish, at least one month before the time of meeting. This letter shall contain a notice of the time and place of holding the Convention, extracts from the Constitution and Canons relating to the appointment of Lay Delegates, and a form of certificate of their election. Notice of the meeting shall also be inserted in any newspaper in which the Bishop may direct such insertion to be made.

SEC. 2. Whenever, under the provision of the Constitution, a special Convention is called for any particular purpose, it shall be the duty of the Secretary in the notice thereof to specify such purpose.

### CANON IV.

#### *Of the Admission of a Church into Union with the Church in this Diocese.*

SECTION 1. To entitle a church to admission into union with the Church in this Diocese, it is required that there be submitted to the Convention of the same, at a stated meeting: (1) A certificate from the Bishop, or in case of his absence or of a vacancy in the Episcopate, of a major part of the Standing Committee, approving the incorporation of such a Church: (2) The certificate of incorporation duly proved and recorded, or a copy thereof certified by the Clerk of the County. But no such certificate shall be given by the Bishop or the majority of the Standing Committee save upon satisfactory evidence of the ability of such Church to pay and continue the sum of at least six hundred dollars a year for the support of a Rector or Missionary; and also that such Church contains at least thirty actual Communicants.

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SEC. 2. Whenever, hereafter, any Church in union with this Convention, shall neglect, for three years in succession, to make a parochial report, no missionary report being made in its behalf; and during the same period shall not employ a Clergyman as its Parish Minister, nor obtain the services of a Missionary, nor make the stated monthly collections as required by Canon X of this Diocese, such Church shall be regarded as having forfeited its connection with the Convention, and be no longer entitled to representation in the same; and the Bishop shall report said Church to the Convention in his Annual Address; but any such Church may be readmitted on the recommendation of the Bishop, and by a resolution of the Convention, and such readmission shall take effect from and after the rising of the Convention which shall have agreed to the same.

CANON V.

*Of the Secretary of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. In addition to the duties imposed upon the Secretary by the Constitution and by Canon III, he shall be required to transmit annually to each of the Bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, and to the Secretary of the last House of Clerical and Lay Deputies in the General Convention, and to the Secretary of every Diocesan Convention a copy of the Journal of the Convention; and shall request the last to send copies of their respective Journals in exchange. He shall also transmit a copy to each Clergyman in the Diocese, and each Lay Delegate attending the Convention, and five copies to each Parish in the Diocese, one of which it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Vestry to preserve with the Parish records.

SEC. 2. He shall also transmit to every General Convention, in addition to the documents mentioned in Section IV, Canon 20. Title 1, of the Digest, a certificate to be signed by himself, containing a list of the Clergymen in this Diocese, and the amount of funds paid or secured to be paid (distinguishing them) to the General Theological Seminary; together with the nomination of Trustees of that Seminary; and also a certificate of the appointment of Clerical and Lay Deputies.

SEC. 3. Any expense incurred by a compliance with the several sections of this Canon shall be paid out of the Diocesan Fund.

SEC. 4. Whenever there shall be a vacancy in the office of Secretary of the Convention, the duties thereof shall devolve upon the Assistant Secretary, if there be one; if not, upon the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

CANON VI.

*Of the Treasurer of the Diocese.*

SECTION 1. At every Annual Convention there shall be chosen a Treasurer of the Diocese. It shall be his duty to receive and disburse all moneys collected under the authority of the Convention, the collection and distribution of which shall not be otherwise regulated. He shall be subject to the direction of the Standing Committee in relation to the mode and place of depositing the funds received by him, and the manner of paying them out, and his accounts and books shall be at all times subject to the inspection of the Standing Committee or any member thereof. Before entering on the duties of his office he shall give a bond to the Standing Committee, in such penalty and with such surety as they shall direct, conditional for the faithful performance of his duties, and for the delivery over to his successor of all funds, securities, books and papers pertaining to his office.

SEC. 2. His accounts shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

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**SEC. 3.** In case of a vacancy in the office, the Standing Committee shall appoint a Treasurer, and the person so appointed shall continue to act until an election is made by the Convention. The Treasurer may be removed at any time from his office by the Standing Committee, for any neglect or misconduct, of which they shall be judges.

**CANON VII.***Of Registers, Parochial Reports, and the Removal of Communicants from one Parish to another.*

**SECTION 1.** The Parish Register required by Section V, Canon 18, Title 1, of the Digest shall specify the name and the time of the birth of the child baptized, with the names of the parents and sponsors; the name of the adult baptized; the names of the parties married, and of two or more special witnesses of the same, and the place where the marriage was solemnized; the names of the persons buried; and also the time when each rite was performed. These Registers shall be kept by the Minister in a book to be provided for that purpose belonging to the Vestry of each Church; which book shall be the Parish Register, and shall be preserved by the Vestry as a part of the records of the Church.

**SEC. 2.** The Parish Register shall contain a list of the families and adult persons in the Cure as far as practicable, and also an accurate list of the persons confirmed from time to time.

**SEC. 3.** In every Parish and Missionary Station a list of the Communicants shall be kept which shall retain the names of all persons who shall have been admitted to the Holy Communion in that Parish or Station until they shall have ceased to be Communicants in the Cure by either (1) death, (2) removal or (3) repulsion and suspension or excommunication by competent authority. In the Annual Report of the Parish, discrimination shall be made by means of separate items between those who shall have received the Holy Communion at least once within two years preceding such report, and all others whose names are on the list as above provided, but who shall not have received the Communion either in public or in private during the two years preceding the report, whatever may have been the occasion or cause of their neglect of their privilege and duty.

**SEC. 4.** The Annual Report shall also indicate all the additions to the list of Communicants during the past year, as well as the losses by death, removal, repulsion or suspension, as required by Section V, Canon 18, Title 1, and Section 1, Canon 20, Title 1, of the Digest, and shall also contain, in addition to the value of churches and rectories, the amount of insurance thereon.

**SEC. 5.** In every case where a Parish is destitute of a Minister, the Register contemplated by this Canon shall be kept by the Wardens, or by some person appointed by the Vestry, whose duty it shall also be to prepare and forward to the Bishop the Annual Parochial Report.

**SEC. 6.** Communicants removing from one Parish to another, in this Diocese, shall procure a certificate as provided for in Canon 12, Title 2, Sec. 1, of the Canons of the General Convention.

**SEC. 7.** The same rule shall apply in this Diocese to Communicants who may wish to be transferred, without changing their residence, from the list of Communicants in one Parish, so as to be received as Communicants in any other Parish or in any other place of worship, where the Holy Communion is habitually celebrated.

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**SEC. 8.** No Rector or other Minister in charge of any Parish in this Diocese shall receive as an habitual Communicant, or enter upon the list of Communicants under his charge, the name of any person who has been a Communicant in any other Parish in this Diocese, without such a certificate or Letter Dimissory from the Parish to which such Communicant last belonged.

**SEC. 9.** Any Communicant, not under censure or ecclesiastical discipline, shall be entitled to such a Certificate or Letter, on application therefor to the Minister in charge of the Parish to which said Communicant belongs, and in case of a vacancy in the pastoral care of a Parish, and in case of any person under discipline, the application shall be referred to the Bishop of the Diocese, or in the vacancy of the Episcopal office, to the President of the Standing Committee, and the answer and decision of the Bishop or of the President of the Standing Committee, as above provided, shall be final and conclusive.

**CANON VIII.**

*Of Deputies to the General Convention.*

**SECTION 1.** The Convention shall, at its regular annual meeting next preceding the regular session of the General Convention, elect by the concurrent ballot of the Clerical and Lay Members, four Clergymen and four Laymen, who shall be communicants of the Church and residents of the Diocese, to act as Deputies from this Diocese to the General Convention. The Deputies so chosen shall hold their office during the term of three years.

**SEC. 2.** Any vacancy occurring among the Deputies between the stated times of election, may be supplied by any Convention during or prior to which such vacancy shall occur.

**SEC. 3.** It shall be the duty of the Deputies-elect to signify to the Bishop, on some day within three weeks of the meeting of the General Convention, and at least one week before such meeting, the acceptance of the appointment, and their intention to perform its duties: in default of which, and in case of their inability or unwillingness to perform the duties of the appointment, all vacancies so occurring by declensions, sickness or death, shall be filled by the designation of the Bishop, from the list of the clergymen and Laymen actually belonging to the Convention in which the Deputies were appointed, and such person or persons so designated by the Bishop, being furnished with his certificate thereof, shall have all the power and authority of Deputies duly elected by the Convention.

**SEC. 4.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, or of the inability of the Bishop to act, the power conferred upon the Bishop by this Canon shall be exercised by the President of the Standing Committee.

**CANON IX.**

*Of the Standing Committee.*

**SECTION 1.** At every Annual Convention an election of a Standing Committee shall be made; which Committee shall consist of four of the Clergy and four of the Laity, to be chosen by ballot, and by the concurrent vote of each order, each Parish having one vote by its delegates. Vacancies in said Committee, occurring by death or otherwise, shall be supplied by the concurrent vote of the Clerical Members and Lay Members of the Committee.

**SEC. 2.** In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop in matters of discipline, shall be performed by



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the Standing Committee, except in those cases where such powers and duties are or may be specially delegated to or enjoined upon the Clerical Members of said Committee; in which case such powers and duties shall be exercised by said Clerical Members alone; provided that no sentence shall be pronounced upon a Clergyman but by a Bishop.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of the Standing Committee shall keep a true record of their proceedings, and report the same annually to the Diocesan Convention. He shall preserve all books, Journals and papers belonging to said Committee, and transmit the same to his successor in office.

## CANON X.

### *Of the Diocesan Missions and Offerings.*

SECTION I. All Members of the Church in the Diocese of Central New York constitute its Diocesan Missionary Society; and the Convention of the Diocese shall be the Diocesan Board of Missions.

SEC. II. For missionary purpose the Diocese shall be divided into six districts, as follows:

First District—Jefferson and Lewis Counties.

Second District—Oneida County, the Village of Oneida, and all the rest of Madison County, except the townships including the parishes of Cazenovia, Canastota, Chittenango and Periyville.

Third District—Broome and Chenango Counties.

Fourth District—Onondaga, Oswego and Cortland Counties, and the townships of Madison County not included in the Second District.

Fifth District—Cayuga and Seneca Counties.

Sixth District—Chemung, Tioga and Tompkins Counties.

SEC. III. 1. The principal officer of each Missionary District shall be called the Dean of the District. He shall be appointed every four years by the Bishop, from the Clergy of the District, after nomination in a regular Convocation of the same. Under the Bishop he shall have the oversight of all Missionary work in his District.

2. Each Missionary District shall annually elect a Secretary and a Treasurer, at its first regular Convocation after the Annual Convention of the Diocese.

3. If the office of Dean of any Missionary District become vacant, by removal or otherwise, the Bishop shall appoint a successor for the remainder of the term.

SEC. IV. 1. In the general Missionary work of the Diocese, the Bishop shall be assisted by a Diocesan Board of Managers consisting, together with the Bishop, of the Treasurer of the Diocese, who shall also be the Treasurer of the Board, the six Deans, and six Clergymen and six Laymen, one of each from each Missionary District, to be elected severally by the Convocations of the District entitled to this representation. In any vacancy of the Episcopate, the Board of Managers shall elect one of its members to preside.

2. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall consult for the promotion of the Missionary work of the Diocese. It shall each year, through its Secretary, present to the Diocesan Board of Missions, at its annual session, a report of the Missionary work of the Diocese during the Conventional year.

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At each Annual Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall submit to the Diocesan Board of Missions for its action, an estimate of the sum required for the Missionary work of the Diocese during the current year. Immediately after the adjournment of the Convention the Diocesan Board of Managers shall meet and determine how much of the money voted by the Diocese for its Missionary work during the year shall be assessed to each District, and what part of it shall be given to the same for apportionment among its stipendiary Clergy. And this determination shall be published in the Journal of the Convention.

4. The Diocesan Board of Managers shall, through its Treasurer, prepare for publication in each Journal of the Convention, a table, by districts, of all the Parishes and Missions in the Diocese, the sum assessed to each District to be raised for Diocesan Missionary work, the amount assessed by the District to each Parish and Mission for the same, and the sum actually given for this purpose by each Parish and Mission. It shall also contain the amount of Stipendiary Funds given to each District, together with the sum apportioned to each of its Stipendiary Parishes and Missions.

5. Other meetings of the Board of Managers shall be held at the call of the Bishop, or, in a vacancy of the Episcopate, of four Deans. Eleven members of the Board, including three Deans, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; but no action of the Board shall be valid without the approval of the Bishop,

SEC. v. 1. Each Missionary District shall hold not less than two stated Convocations yearly. At the first of these, which shall be held as soon after the adjournment of the Annual Convention as the District may determine, appropriations shall be made by it in aid of the Missionary work in the said District under the advice or direction of the Bishop.

2. Each Parish and Missionary Station seeking aid from the Convocation shall make written application through its Vestry or Committee, stating the facts necessary to a full understanding of the case, particularly the number of contributors and the amount pledged or secured in the Parish or Station for the support of the Minister.

3. Each Missionary District shall be represented in its Convocation by the Clergy canonically resident, and by two Lay Delegates from each of its Parishes and Missions.

4. Each Missionary District shall have power to assess upon its own Parishes and Missions whatever sum may canonically be required of it for the Missionary work of the Diocese, and all moneys raised or collected for Diocesan Missions shall be promptly paid by the Treasurer of the District to the Treasurer of the Diocesan Board of Managers, and by him paid to the Missionaries on the order of the Treasurer of the District.

5. At least two weeks before the Annual Convention of the Diocese, the Secretary of each Missionary District shall make report of the year's work of the District to the Secretary of the Board of Managers, including the items called for in Section IV, 4, of this Canon.

6. Any Missionary District may, with the approval of the Bishop, undertake special Missionary work, provided it shall first have complied with all canonical requirements, and shall be free to make its own regulations and conduct its own Missionary work in all ways not conflicting with the provisions of this Canon.

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7. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman in charge of a Parish or Mission, to attend all Convocations of his District, and to report to the same the Missionary work done in his Cure.

SEC. VI. 1. Offerings shall be made systematically in the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese as follows:

For the Communion Alms on the first Sunday in each month.

For the Domestic Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Advent.

For the Christmas Fund, on Christmas Day.

For the Foreign Committee of the Board of Missions, on a Sunday in Epiphany.

For the Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York, or the Bible and Prayer Book Society of New York, in the discretion of the Minister, on Whit-Sunday.

For the Increase of the Ministry, on Easter, or some other near and convenient Sunday.

For the Diocesan Church Building Fund, on the Fourth Sundays in March and September.

For the Mission among Deaf Mutes in the Diocese on the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.

2. Offering for Diocesan Missions shall be made in every Parish and Mission in the Diocese on the third Sunday of each month, when one of the above named Sundays is not the third Sunday. All such offerings shall be forwarded promptly to the Treasurer of the District.

It is also recommended that the Minister of each Parish or Congregation, at the Episcopal visitation, ask an offering which shall be placed in the hands of the Bishop, to be used at his discretion for the benefit of needy persons, and which shall be called the Bishop's Relief Fund.

### CANON XI.

#### *Of the General Fund.*

SECTION 1. In order to provide for what has hitherto been known as "The General Fund," it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of the Diocese, with the Standing Committee, to make an estimate as soon as may be conveniently done after each annual session of the Diocesan Convention, of the amount of money that will be needed during the ensuing year to meet the current expenses and the expenses of the Convention, adding thereto the liabilities of the Diocese chargeable to said Fund, if there be any.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to assess the amount thus agreed upon, on the Parishes in Union with the Convention, at the rate of a uniform per cent. on "The Current expenses of the Parish, including the Rector's salary,"—not including any amount that may have been given to the Parish or its Ministry by the Missionary Board of this Diocese, or by any other missionary organization—or in any other way that the Bishop and Standing Committee may see fit to adopt. And it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report at each Convention the names of all Parishes which shall be in arrears to the General Fund, and the amount of such arrears respectively.

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SEC. 3. The Treasurer shall notify each Parish of the quota thus assigned to it and it shall be the duty of the Wardens and Vestry of each Parish to see that the amount thus due the Diocese shall be forwarded to the Treasurer in quarterly installments, one quarter of the amount being sent on the first days of September, of December, of March, and of June respectively. And in case any Parish shall fail to remit the amount thus called for, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer to report the fact to the Bishop and Standing Committee for such action thereon as they may think necessary.

CANON XII.

*Of the Christmas Fund.*

SECTION 1. All moneys raised or contributed for the Relief of Disabled Clergy and the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy, shall be paid to the Corporation known as "The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York." And it shall be the duty of the Convention at each of its annual meetings to nominate by ballot one person to act as trustee in the said corporation, to fill the vacancy which by the by-laws of said corporation will then occur, and to nominate in like manner other persons to fill any other vacancies in the said board that may have occurred during the year since the last Annual Convention.

SEC. 2. In every Parish in the Diocese there shall be made annually, on Christmas Day, a collection for the relief of Disabled Clergy of the Diocese, and for the benefit of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergy of the Diocese. It shall be the duty of every Clergyman to give due notice of this collection to the Congregation, and of the Wardens of every Parish to forward the same to the Treasurer of the Christmas Fund.

SEC. 3. All appropriations for the Relief of Disabled Clergy shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, on the certificate of the Bishop that the individual has labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than three years, (except in case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) and is disabled by age or physical infirmity from having a parochial charge; but no appropriation shall be made for a larger sum than five hundred dollars per annum, and it shall be paid semi-annually on the first of January and July.

SEC. 4. All appropriations for the benefit of the widow or children of a deceased Clergyman, shall be made by the Trustees of the Christmas Fund on the certificate of the Bishop, that the person or persons is the widow or minor child or children of a deceased Clergyman who was a canonical resident of the Diocese at the time of his death, and who had labored within the limits of the Diocese for a period of not less than one year, (except in the case of Clergymen ordained in the Diocese and having never removed therefrom,) but no appropriation for this purpose shall be made for a larger sum than three hundred dollars per annum, to be paid semi-annually, on the first of April and October; and no appropriation shall be paid to the widow after she is married again, or to orphan or orphans after having attained the age of majority.

SEC. 5. The Trustees of the Christmas Fund shall have power to appropriate a sum not exceeding fifty dollars towards the funeral expenses of a deceased beneficiary.

SEC. 6. All moneys belonging to the Fund and not needed for present relief, shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon security upon real estate

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to an amount not exceeding seventy per cent. of the appraised value of the property, inclusive of buildings, with proper insurance on the buildings, the appraisal to be made by an appraiser appointed by the Trustees for the purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State, or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the Fund; and they shall have the power from time to time to change such securities or investments.

SEC. 7. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees of the Christmas Fund, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers therefor, shall be reported to the appropriate committee according to Canon XIV, signed by said Trustees or a majority of them.

CANON XIII.

*Of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.*

SECTION 1. There shall be five Trustees appointed by the Convention to whom the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate in this Diocese shall be entrusted. It shall be the duty of the said Trustees to appoint a President and Secretary; and no act of said Trustees shall be valid unless authorized by a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of said Trustees by a majority of the same and recorded by their Secretary in a book to be kept as the record of their proceedings, and to be opened to the inspection of the Convention. The said Trustees shall hold their office during the pleasure of the Convention; and all vacancies occurring in said Board of Trustees shall from time to time be filled by the Convention.

SEC. 2. All moneys belonging to the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate shall be loaned by the said Trustees upon securities on real estate to an amount not exceeding seventy per cent. of the appraised value of the property, inclusive of buildings, with proper insurance on the buildings; the appraisal to be made by one appraiser, appointed by the Trustees for that purpose, or said moneys may be held and invested in securities of this State or of the United States; and all securities or investments shall be taken or made in the names of the said Trustees and their successors in office, as Trustees of the said Fund; and they shall have power from time to time to change such such securities and investments.

SEC. 3. The salary of the Bishop shall be paid quarterly, by the Treasurer of the Diocese, on the first days of July, October, January and April, in each fiscal year, and the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund shall remit quarterly, in anticipation of such payments, all sums received by them as income of said Fund, and the receipt of said Treasurer shall be a proper voucher for said Trustees in rendering their annual report to the Convention of this Diocese.

SEC. 4. With a view to the further increase of the principal of the said Fund, such portions of the contributions of the Diocese as may be given or appropriated for that purpose, shall be paid by the Treasurer of the Convention to the order of the said Trustees, to be invested by them for accumulation and without diminution, until the further order of the Convention; and all moneys remaining in the hands of said Trustees for investment, shall be deposited in some safe bank in this State, to the credit of the President and Secretary of the Board.

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SEC. 5. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers thereof shall be reported to the appropriate Committee according to Canon XIV.

CANON XIV.

*Of the Fiscal Year and Financial Reports.*

SECTION 1. The fiscal year of the Diocese shall begin on the first day of May annually, and end on the thirtieth day of the April following. And the Treasurer of the Diocese and all Trustees having in charge any funds belonging to the Diocese shall annually make their reports to the appropriate Standing Committees on or before the fifteenth of May in each year.

SEC. 2. Standing Committees shall be appointed at each Annual Convention, to consider and report to the Annual Convention next ensuing as follows:

1. On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese, consisting of three Laymen.

2. On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, consisting of three Laymen.

3. On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund, consisting of three Laymen.

4. On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund, consisting of three Laymen.

5. On the Report of the Trustee of the VanWagenen Missionary Fund, consisting of one Clergymen and two Laymen.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of each of these several committees to meet in each year at some time between the fifteenth of May and the meeting of the next annual Convention, at the place where the Treasurer resides, or where the funds are held, and make an examination into all the books, papers, vouchers, &c., relating to the respective funds held by the Treasurer or Trustees, and prepare a report to be presented to the Annual Convention next ensuing.

CANON XV.

*Of Vacant Churches.*

SECTION 1. Whenever a Church becomes vacant it shall be the duty of the Vestry to give immediate notice thereof to the Bishop.

SEC. 2. The Bishop shall appoint those of the Clergy in the Diocese, who can with most convenience discharge the duty, to supply such vacant Parishes as have been reported to him, at such times as may be deemed convenient and proper. It shall be the duty of such vacant Churches thus supplied to defray all the expenses incident to such occasional services.

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**CANON XVI.***Of Elections.*

SECTION 1. All the Officers of the Convention shall be elected by ballot. Election by ballot may be dispensed with by a unanimous vote of the Convention. And when an election is by ballot, a majority of the votes in each order shall be necessary to a valid election.

SEC. 2. To facilitate the stated election by ballot, the Secretary shall provide sheets of paper with printed headings, containing the titles of the various offices to be filled by ballot, for the use of the members of the Convention; and all such officers may be voted for at one balloting. No printed ballots shall be allowed.

SEC. 3. In all cases of failure or omission to elect officers by the Convention, the persons last elected shall continue in office until others be chosen.

**CANON XVII.***Of Attending the Meetings of the Convention.*

SECTION 1. Whereas, the regular attendance of the Clergy and Laity at the meetings of the Convention is of essential consequence to the interests of the Church, this duty is hereby enjoined upon them.

SEC. 2. And whereas it is often necessary to travel a considerable distance to the place of meeting of the Convention, it is hereby made the duty of the different Parishes to make provision for the expenses of their Clergy in attending the Convention, either by a collection in Church on Sunday, or by some other mode.

SEC. 3. No member of this Convention shall leave the same during its session without having applied for and received leave of absence.

**CANON XVIII.***Of the Trial of a Clergyman not being a Bishop.*

Whenever any Minister of the Diocese, not being a Bishop thereof, shall become liable to presentment and trial under the provisions of any Canon of the General or Diocesan Convention, the mode of proceedings in this Diocese shall be as follows, viz.:

SECTION 1. The trial shall be on a presentment in writing, addressed to the Bishop of the Diocese, specifying the offences of which the accused is alleged to be guilty, with reasonable certainty as to time, place and circumstances. Such presentment may be made by the major part in number of the members of the Vestry of any Church of which the accused is a Minister, or by any three Presbyters of this Diocese entitled to seats in the Convention or as hereinafter mentioned. Whenever from public rumor or otherwise, the Bishop shall have reason to believe that any Clergyman is under the imputation of having been guilty of any offence or misconduct, for which he is liable to be tried, and that the interest of the Church requires an investigation, it shall be his duty to appoint five persons, of whom three at least shall be Presbyters, to examine the case—a majority of whom may make such examination: and if there is, in their opinion, sufficient ground for presentment, shall present the Clergyman accordingly.



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SEC. 2. A presentment being made in any of the modes above prescribed, the Bishop, if the facts charged shall not appear to him to be such as to constitute an offence, may dismiss it; or if it allege facts some of which do, and some of which do not constitute an offence, he may allow it in part and dismiss the residue, or he may permit it to be amended. When it shall be allowed in whole or in part, the Bishop shall cause a copy of it to be served on the accused, and shall also nominate twelve Presbyters of this Diocese, entitled to seats in the Convention, and not being parties to the presentment, and cause a list of their names to be served on the accused, who shall, within thirty days after such service, select five of them and notify their names in writing to the Bishop; and if he shall not give such notification to the Bishop within the said thirty days, the Bishop shall select five, and the Presbyters so selected shall form a Board for the trial of the accused, and shall meet at such time and place as the Bishop shall direct, and shall have power to adjourn from time to time and from place to place (but always within the Diocese,) as they shall think necessary.

SEC. 3. A written notice of the time and place of their first meeting shall be served at least thirty days before such meeting on the accused, and also on one of the persons making the presentment.

SEC. 4. If at the time appointed for the first meeting of the Board of Presbyters, the whole number of five shall not attend, then those who do attend may adjourn from time to time; and if after one adjournment or more it shall appear to them improbable that the whole number will attend within a reasonable time, then those who do attend, not being less than three, shall constitute the Board, and proceed to the trial, and a majority of them shall decide all questions.

SEC. 5. If a Clergyman presented shall confess the truth of the facts alleged in the presentment, it shall be the duty of the Bishop to proceed to pass sentence; and if he shall not confess them before the appointment of a Board for his trial, as before mentioned, he shall be considered as denying them.

SEC. 6. If a Clergyman presented, after having due notice, shall not appear before the Board of Presbyters appointed for his trial, the Board may nevertheless proceed as if he were present, unless for good cause they shall see fit to adjourn until another day.

SEC. 7. When the Board proceeds to the trial, they shall hear such evidence as shall be produced; which evidence shall be reduced to writing, and signed by the witnesses respectively; and some officer authorized by law to administer oaths may, at the desire of either party, be requested to administer an oath or affirmation to the witnesses, that they will testify the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, concerning the facts charged in the presentment. If on or during the trial, the accused shall confess the truth of the charges as stated in the presentment, the Board may dispense with hearing further evidence, and may proceed at once to state their opinion to the Bishop as to the sentence that ought to be pronounced.

SEC. 8. Upon the application of either party to the Bishop, and it being made satisfactorily to appear to him that any material witness cannot be procured upon the trial, the Bishop may appoint a commissary to take the testimony of such witness. Such commissary may be either a Clergyman or a Layman, and the party so applying shall give to the other at least six days' notice of the time and place of taking the testimony. And if the person on whom the notice shall be served shall reside more than forty miles from the



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place of examination, an additional day's notice shall be given for every twenty miles of the said distance. And both parties may attend and examine the witness; and the questions and answers shall be reduced to writing and signed by the witness, and shall be certified by the commissary and enclosed under his seal and transmitted to the Board, and shall be received by them as evidence. A witness examined before such commissary may be sworn or affirmed in manner aforesaid.

SEC. 9. The Board having deliberately considered the evidence, shall declare in writing, signed by them or a majority of them, their decision on the charges contained in the presentment, distinctly stating whether the accused is guilty or not guilty of such charges respectively, and also stating the sentence which in their opinion should be pronounced; and a copy of such decision shall be without delay communicated to the accused; and the original decision, together with the evidence, shall be delivered to the Bishop, who shall pronounce such canonical sentence as shall appear to him to be proper, provided the same shall not exceed in severity the sentence recommended by the Board; and such sentence shall be final. Before pronouncing any sentence the Bishop shall summon the accused and any three or more of the Clergy, to meet him at such time as may in his opinion be most convenient, in some Church to be designated by him, which shall for that purpose be opened at the time to all persons who may choose to attend, and the sentence shall then and there be publicly pronounced by the Bishop. But the Bishop, if he shall be satisfied that justice requires it, may grant a new trial to the accused, in which case a new Board of Presbyters shall be appointed, the proceedings before whom shall be conducted as before mentioned.

SEC. 10. All notices and papers contemplated in this Canon may be served by a summoner or summoners, to be appointed for the purpose by the Bishop, and whose certificate of such service shall be evidence thereof. In case of service by any other person, the fact shall be proved by the affidavit of such person. A written notice or paper delivered to a party, or left at his last place of residence, shall be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or paper—provided, however, that the service, if not personal, shall be a notice of at least sixty days.

SEC. 11. The accused may have the privilege of appearing by counsel; in case of the exercise of which privilege, and not otherwise, those who present shall have like privilege; which counsel shall in all cases be members of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

SEC. 12. The record of all proceedings upon a presentment of a Clergyman, shall be preserved by the Standing Committee; and for that purpose shall, after final decision, be delivered to their Secretary.

### CANON XIX.

#### *Of the Chancellor of the Diocese.*

The Bishop may nominate for the approval of the Convention a person skilled in ecclesiastical and civil law to be the Chancellor of the Diocese, whose office shall be to act as legal adviser and counsellor to the Bishop, the Standing Committee, ecclesiastical courts, and the Convention, when called upon to do so.

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## **Rules of Order.**

**For Conducting the Business of the Convention of the  
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### **FIRST DAY.**

I. On the first day the order of business shall be as follows:

1. After Divine Service, the President having taken the Chair, the Secretary of the preceding Convention shall call the names of the Clergy entitled to seats, and enter on the record the names of those who are present.
2. The Secretary shall then call the names of the Parishes entitled to representation, and the Lay Delegates of each Parish shall place their certificates on the table.
3. The President shall then appoint a Committee, consisting of two members and the Secretary, to examine the certificates and report thereon.
4. Any irregular or defective certificates shall be reserved until a quorum shall have appeared.
5. The names of the Lay Delegates reported by the Committee on Credentials as duly appointed, shall then be called, and the result noted in the record.
6. If a quorum be found in attendance, viz.:—twenty Clergymen entitled to vote in the Convention, and twenty delegations from the Parishes, the President shall then declare the Convention duly organized for business.
7. The Secretary shall then be elected, who may nominate an Assistant Secretary to be appointed by the Convention.
8. The Following Committees shall then be appointed by the President:
  - i. On the Admission into Union with this Convention of Churches applying for the same—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - ii. On Unfinished Business—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - iii. On the Report of the Missionary Board—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
  - iv. On the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
9. Immediately upon the appointment of the aforesaid Committees, the papers to be examined and reported on by them shall be called for and referred.
10. Presentation of Resolutions; the same to be referred to appropriate Committees or placed on the calendar without debate.

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11. Recess from 6 to 7.30 o'clock P. M.
12. After the recess, the calling of the names of persons entitled to seats in the Convention that did not answer to their names at the previous call.
13. The Report from the Standing Committee on the Admission of New Parishes; the admission of the Parishes and the reception of their Lay Delegates.
14. The reading of an abstract of the proceedings of the Standing Committee of the Diocese.
15. Report from the Secretary and the Treasurer when those officers have any special communications to make to the Convention.
16. Reports from the following Standing Committees:—On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund; on the Treasurer's Accounts; on the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; on Unfinished Business; on the Report of the Missionary Board; on the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund; on the Report of the Trustees of the Bible and Prayer Book Society; on Christian Education, on the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order.
17. Motions, Resolutions and Notices.

## SECOND DAY.

II. On the second day, after Divine Service, the Order of Business, which shall not be departed from without the consent of two-thirds of the members present, shall be as follows:

1. The reading, correcting and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
2. Calling the names of members not present before, and entering in the Journal those who appear.
3. The Annual Address of the Bishop, unless he shall prefer another time for its delivery; if so, it shall be in order at any time.
4. Reports from Special Committees.
5. Motions, Notices and Resolutions shall then be in order.
6. The election of the Standing Committee of the Diocese, and of the Deputies to the General Convention, and the nomination of Trustees of the General Theological Seminary.
7. The election of the Treasurer of the Diocese.
8. The supplying of vacancies, if any, in the Board of Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate; in the Board of Trustees of the Christmas Fund; in the Board of Trustees of the Parochial Fund.
9. The appointing of the following Standing Committees:
  - I. On *Christian Education*—Consisting of THREE CLERGYMEN and TWO LAYMEN.

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- II. *On the Constitution and Canons and Rules of Order*—Consisting of THREE CLERGYMEN and TWO LAYMEN.
- III. *On the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocese*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- IV. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- V. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- VI. *On the Report of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund*—Consisting of THREE LAYMEN.
- VII. *On the Report of the Trustee of the Van Wagenen Missionary Fund*—Consisting of ONE CLERGYMAN and TWO LAYMEN.
- 10. The appointment of the Deans of the Missionary Convocations and the supplying of vacancies, if any, in the list of Deputies to the Federate Council.
- 11. Unfinished Business.
- 12. Miscellaneous Business.

THIRD AND SUBSEQUENT DAYS.

III. On the third, and any subsequent day, after Morning Prayer, the Order of Business shall be as follows:

- 1. Reading and approving of the Minutes of the preceding day.
- 2. The disposal of the Unfinished Business of the Convention, in the order above prescribed for the Second Day; the business, if any, however, which was under consideration at the time of adjournment of the Convention to be first disposed of.

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GENERAL RULES.

IV. Every member who shall be present when a question is stated from the Chair, shall vote thereon, unless excused by the House

V. No motion shall be put or debated until it is seconded, and when seconded, it shall be stated by the President before the debate; and every motion shall be reduced to writing, when required by the President or any member.

VI. If the question in debate contains several distinct propositions, any member may have the same divided.

VII. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, except to lay it on the table; to postpone it indefinitely; to postpone it to a certain time; to commit it, or amend it; and motions for either of these purposes shall have precedence in the order here named. But a motion to adjourn shall always be in order when no member is speaking, and shall be decided without debate; and if it be negatived, shall not be renewed until some other business has intervened.

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VIII. A motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate; but any matter thus laid on the table may be called up again during the same session, on the motion of any member who voted in the affirmative.

IX. On the question being put by the President, it shall be determined by the sound of voices, for or against it; but any member may require a count of the votes, and tellers for that purpose shall be appointed by the Chair—or any three votes may, previous to a decision by count, require the ayes and noes to be taken, which shall be done by calling the names of the Clerical members and the Churches represented, and the votes shall be entered in the Journal.

X. Any five votes may require the ayes and noes to be taken by orders, and when so taken they shall be entered on the minutes.

XI. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.

XII. A question being decided shall not be reconsidered during the same session, without the consent of two-thirds of the votes of the Convention; nor without the motion for that purpose being made by one of the majority on the prior decision; nor shall any question be reconsidered more than once.

XIII. All Reports of Committees shall be in writing, and shall, upon reading or presentation of the same, become the property of the Convention, without any motion for acceptance, and any report recommending action by the Convention shall be accompanied with a Resolution.

XIV. All Special Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise specially directed by the House; in which case they shall be appointed by ballot.

XV. No standing rule or order shall be suspended, changed or rescinded without one day's previous notice of a motion to that effect, unless by the vote of two-thirds of the persons present entitled to vote.

XVI. Before the final adjournment of any session of the Convention, the Minutes of the last day's proceedings shall be read, corrected and approved.

XVII. Unless otherwise ordered by the Convention, it shall meet at 9 o'clock in the morning; take a recess from 1 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon; and from 6 to 7.30 in the afternoon.

## APPENDIX VI.

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### Organization of Parishes.

(1.) **An Act in relation to Religious Corporations, being chapter forty-two of the General Laws.\***

#### **Special Provisions for the Incorporation and Government of Protestant Episcopal Parishes or Churches.**

**SECTION 30. The Meeting for Incorporation.**

31. The Certificates of Incorporation.

32. Corporate Trustees; Vestry; powers and duties thereof.

33. Annual Elections.

34. Changing the number of Vestrymen of parishes hereafter incorporated.

35. Changing date of Annual Elections, number and terms of Office of Vestrymen and terms of Churchwardens of Parishes heretofore incorporated.

36. Changing the qualifications of voters and the qualifications of Wardens and Vestrymen.

**SECTION 30. The Meeting for incorporation.**—Notice of a meeting for the purpose of incorporating an unincorporated Protestant Episcopal parish or congregation, and of electing the first churchwardens and vestrymen thereof, shall specify the object, time and place of such meeting, and shall be made public for at least two weeks prior to such meeting, either by open reading of such notice in time of divine service, at the usual place of worship of such parish or congregation, or by posting the same conspicuously on the outer door of such place of worship.

Only men of full age who have been regular attendants at the worship of such parish or congregation and contributors to the support thereof for one year next prior to such meeting, or since the establishment of such parish or congregation, shall be qualified to vote at such meeting.

The presence of at least six persons qualified to vote thereat shall be necessary to constitute a quorum of such meeting. The action of the meeting upon any matter or question shall be decided by a majority of the qualified voters voting thereon, a quorum being present.

The officiating minister, or if there be none, or he shall be necessarily absent, any other person qualified to vote at the meeting, who is called to the chair, shall preside thereat. Such presiding officer shall receive the votes, be the judge of the qualifications of voters, and declare the result of the votes cast at such meeting.

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\* The Act of 1868, relating to the incorporation of Churches, may be found in any Journal of the Convention prior to 1894.

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The polls of the meeting shall remain open for one hour or longer in the discretion of the presiding officer, or if required, by a vote of a majority of the voters present.

The meeting shall decide whether such unincorporated parish or congregation shall become incorporated. If such decision be in favor of incorporation, such meeting shall decide upon the name of the proposed corporation; what secular day of the week beginning with the first Sunday in Advent, shall be the date of the regular annual election of such corporation; whether the vestrymen thereof shall be three, six or nine; and shall elect by ballot from the persons qualified to be voters thereat, who have been baptized, one-third of the number of vestrymen so decided upon to hold office until the first annual meeting of the corporation to be held thereafter, one-third of such number, to hold office until one year after such annual meeting, and one-third of such number, to hold office until two years after such annual meeting; and shall elect from such qualified voters who are communicants in the Protestant Episcopal Church, two persons to be churchwardens thereof; one to hold office until such annual meeting, and one to hold office until one year after such annual meeting.

SEC. 31. The Certificates of incorporation.—If such meeting shall decide in favor of incorporation and comply with the next preceding section, the presiding officer of such meeting and at least two other persons present and voting thereat, shall execute and acknowledge a certificate of incorporation setting forth:

1. The fact of the calling and holding of such meeting;
2. The name of the corporation as decided upon thereat;
3. The county, and the town, city or village, in which its principal place of worship is, or is intended to be located.
4. The day of the week commencing with the first Sunday in Advent, upon which the annual elections of the corporation shall be held.
5. The number of vestrymen decided upon at such meeting.
6. The names of the vestrymen elected at such meeting and the term of office of each.
7. The names of the churchwardens elected at such meeting and the term of office of each.

On filing such certificate in the office of the Clerk of the County, so specified therein, the members of such parish or congregation and the persons qualified to vote at such meeting, and the persons who shall thereafter, from time to time, be qualified voters at the corporate meetings thereof, shall be a corporation, by the name stated in such certificate and the persons so elected churchwardens and vestrymen shall be its churchwardens and vestrymen for the terms therein stated respectively.

Such corporation shall be an incorporated church, and may be termed also an incorporated parish.

SEC. 32. Corporate Trustees; Vestry: powers and duties thereof.—The churchwardens and vestrymen of an incorporated Protestant Episcopal parish or church, together with the rector thereof, if any, shall be the trustees of the corporation and shall also constitute the vestry of the parish.

No meeting of the vestry or trustees shall be held unless either all the members thereof are present, or three days notice thereof shall be given to each member thereof, by the rector personally or in writing to each member

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thereof, or, if there be no rector or he be incapable of acting, by one of the churchwardens; except that twenty-four hours notice of the first meeting of the vestry or trustees after an annual election, shall be sufficient.

To constitute a quorum of the vestry or board of trustees there must be present either:

1. The rector, at least one of the churchwardens, and a majority of the vestrymen, or

2. The rector, both churchwardens and one less than a majority of the vestrymen, or

3. If the rector be absent from the diocese and shall have been so absent for over four calendar months, or if the meetings be called by the rector and he be absent therefrom, or be incapable of acting, one churchwarden and a majority of the vestrymen, or both churchwardens and one less than a majority of the vestrymen.

But if there be a rector of the parish, no measure shall be taken, in his absence, in any case for effecting the sale or disposition of the real property of the corporation, nor for the sale or disposition of the capital or principal of the personal property of the corporation, nor shall any act be done which shall impair the rights of such rector.

The presiding officer of the vestry or trustees shall be the rector, or if there be none, or he be absent, the churchwarden who shall be called to the chair by a majority of the votes, if both the churchwardens be present; or the churchwarden present if but one be present.

At each meeting of the vestry or trustees each member thereof shall be entitled to one vote.

The vestry shall have power to fill a vacancy occurring in the office of a churchwarden or vestryman by death, resignation or otherwise than by expiration of term, until the next annual election at which, if such vacancy would continue thereafter, it shall be filled for the remainder of the unexpired term.

The vestry may, subject to the Canons of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States, and of the diocese in which the parish or church is situated, by a majority vote elect a rector to fill a vacancy occurring in the rectorship of the parish, and may fix the salary or compensation of the rector.

**SEC. 33. Annual elections of Incorporated Protestant Episcopal Parishes.—**The annual election of a Protestant Episcopal parish, hereafter incorporated, shall be held on the secular day in the week commencing with the first Sunday in Advent, designated in its certificate of incorporation. The annual election of an incorporated Protestant Episcopal parish or church heretofore incorporated shall be held on the day fixed for such annual meeting, by or in pursuance of law, or if no such date be so fixed, then on the Monday next after the first Sunday in Advent.

Notice of such annual election shall be read by the rector of the parish, or if there be none, or he be absent, by the officiating minister or by a churchwarden thereof, on each of the two Sundays next preceding such election, in the time of divine service, or if, for any reason, the usual place of worship of the parish be not open for the divine service, the notice shall be posted conspicuously on the outer door of the place of worship for two weeks next preceding the meeting.

Such notice shall specify the place, day and hour of holding the meeting, the name and term of office of each churchwarden and vestryman whose term of office shall then expire, or whose office shall then be vacant for any cause, and



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the office for which each such officer is to be then elected. The meeting for each such annual election, shall be held immediately after morning service.

The presiding officer of such meeting shall be the rector thereof, if there be one, or if there be none, or he be absent, one of the churchwardens elected for the purpose by a majority of the duly qualified voters present, or if no churchwarden be present, a vestryman elected in like manner. Such presiding officer shall be the judge of the qualifications of the voters; shall receive the votes cast; and shall declare the result of the votes cast at such election. The presiding officer of such meeting shall enter the proceedings of the meeting in the book of the minutes of the vestry, sign his name thereto, and offer the same to as many qualified voters present as he shall think fit, to be also signed by them.

Only men of full age belonging to the parish, who have been regular attendants at its worship and contributors to its support for at least twelve months prior to such meeting, or since the establishment of such parish, shall be qualified voters at any such meeting. The action of the meeting upon any matter or question shall be decided by a majority of the qualified voters voting thereon. The polls of the election shall continue open for one hour, and longer, not exceeding six hours, in the discretion of the presiding officer, or, if required, by a vote of a majority of the qualified voters present and voting.

The churchwardens and vestrymen shall be elected by ballot from persons qualified to vote at such meeting, and no person shall be eligible for election as churchwarden unless he be also a communicant in the Protestant Episcopal Church, nor be eligible for election as vestryman unless he shall have been baptized.

At each annual election of an incorporated Protestant Episcopal parish hereafter incorporated, one churchwarden shall be elected to hold office for two years; and one-third of the total number of the vestrymen of the parish shall be elected to hold office for three years. At each annual election of an incorporated Protestant Episcopal parish or church heretofore incorporated, two churchwardens and the total number of its vestrymen shall be elected to hold office for one year thereafter, unless the terms of office of but one churchwarden or of but one-third of its vestrymen shall then expire, in which case one churchwarden shall be elected to hold office for one year, and one-third of the total number of its vestrymen shall be elected to hold office for three years. Each churchwarden and vestryman shall hold office after the expiration of his term until his successor shall be chosen.

SEC 34. Changing the number of Vestrymen of Protestant Episcopal Parishes hereafter incorporated.—If the vestry of a Protestant Episcopal parish, hereafter incorporated, shall, by resolution, recommend that the number of vestrymen of such parish be changed to either three, six or nine vestrymen, notice of such recommendation shall be included in the notice of the next annual meeting of such parish, and be submitted to such meeting. If such recommendation be ratified by such meeting, the presiding officer thereof, and at least two qualified voters present thereat, shall execute and acknowledge a certificate setting forth such resolution of the vestry, the fact that notice thereof had been given with the notice of such annual meeting; that such meeting had ratified the same; and the number of vestrymen so decided on. Such certificate shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the county in which the original certificate of incorporation is filed and recorded, and such change in the number of vestrymen shall take effect at the time of the next annual corporate election thereafter.

If the number of vestrymen be thereby increased then, in addition to the number of vestrymen to be elected at such next annual corporate meeting one-third of such increased number of vestrymen shall be elected to hold

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office for one year thereafter, one-third of such increased number shall be elected to hold office for two years thereafter, and one-third of such increased number shall be elected to hold office for three years thereafter.

If the number of vestrymen by such change be reduced, such reduction shall not affect the term of office of any vestryman duly elected, and at such next annual corporate meeting, and at each annual meeting thereafter, one third of such reduced number of vestrymen shall be elected to hold office for three years.

**SEC. 35.** Changing date of Annual Elections, number and terms of office of Vestrymen and terms of Churchwardens in Protestant Episcopal Churches heretofore incorporated.—If the vestry of a Protestant Episcopal Parish, heretofore incorporated, shall, by resolution, recommend that the date of the annual election of such corporation be changed to a secular day in the week beginning with the first Sunday in Advent, or that the number of vestrymen be changed to three, six or nine, and that the terms of the churchwardens be changed so that one warden shall be elected annually, notice of such recommendation or recommendations shall be included in the notice of the next annual meeting of such parish, and be submitted to such meeting. If such recommendation or recommendations be ratified by such meeting, the presiding officer thereof and at least two qualified voters present thereat, shall execute and acknowledge a certificate setting forth such resolution of the vestry; the fact that notice thereof had been given with the notice of such annual meeting; that such meeting had ratified the same; the date determined upon for the annual election of the parish; the number of vestrymen so decided on; and the fact that the meeting determined to thereafter elect churchwardens so that the term of one warden shall expire annually.

Such certificate shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County in which the original certificate of incorporation is filed and recorded. If the meeting determined to change the date of the annual election, the next annual election of the corporation shall be held on the day in the week beginning with the first Sunday in Advent, determined on by such meeting, and the terms of the vestrymen and churchwardens which, pursuant to law, would expire at the next annual election of such corporation, shall expire, and their successors shall be elected on such day.

If the meeting determine to change the number of vestrymen and manner of electing wardens and vestrymen, there shall be elected at the first annual election thereafter, one-third of the number of vestrymen so determined on, to hold office for three years, one-third thereof to hold office for two years; and one-third thereof to hold office for one year; and one churchwarden to hold office for one year, and one to hold for two years; and thereafter at the annual election of such parish there shall be elected one-third of the number of vestrymen determined on at such meeting and one churchwarden.

**SEC. 36.** Changing the qualification of voters and the qualifications of Wardens and Vestrymen.—If the vestry of a Protestant Episcopal parish heretofore incorporated shall by resolution recommend that the qualification of voters and the qualifications of wardens and vestrymen be changed to conform in both cases to the requirement of section thirty of this statute, notice of such recommendation or recommendations shall be included in the notice of the next annual meeting of such parish, and be submitted to such meeting. If such recommendation or recommendations be ratified by such meeting the presiding officer thereof and at least two qualified voters present thereat shall execute and acknowledge a certificate setting forth such resolution of the vestry, the fact that notice thereof had been given with the notice of such annual meeting, and that such meeting had ratified the same.

Such certificate shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County in which the original certificate of incorporation is filed and recorded.

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*Form of Certificate of Incorporation.*


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**(2.) Form of Certificate of Incorporation.**

*To all whom these Presents may Concern :*

We, the undersigned, whose names and seals are affixed to this instrument, do hereby certify, that on the [*Second*] day of [*June*] in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and [*ninety-five*], the men of full age, belonging to the Church or Congregation in communion with the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New York, worshipping in [*the School House of School District Number (3) in the Town of Verona, in the County of Oneida, in the State of New York,*] not already incorporated, met at their usual place of worship aforesaid, for the purpose of incorporating themselves under the Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act in relation to Religious Corporations, constituting chapter forty-two of the general laws, in pursuance of notice duly given specifying the object of the meeting, and the time and place thereof which had been publicly read in the time of morning service, on two Sundays next previous to such meeting, by \**[the Rector]*, at the usual place of worship of such Parish or Congregation, and which was also posted in a conspicuous place on the outer door near the main entrance to such place of worship.

And we further certify, that at such meeting, not less than six men of full age, belonging to the Church or Congregation aforesaid, and not already incorporated, and duly qualified to vote at such meeting, met for the purpose aforesaid.

And we further certify that † [*the Rev. John Williams, the Rector of the said Church or Congregation*], presided at the said meeting and received the votes.

And we further certify that the number of Vestrymen decided upon at such meeting was [*three, six or nine.*]

And we further certify, that at the said meeting the following persons were elected Church Wardens and Vestrymen, for the term of office set opposite their names respectively, by a majority of the votes of the persons present at the said meeting qualified to vote, viz. :

A. B. for the term of one year.	}	<i>Were elected Church Wardens.</i>
C. D. for the term of two years.		
E. F. for the term of one year.	}	<i>Were elected Vestrymen.</i>
G. H. for the term of two years.		
I. J. for the term of three years.		

And we further certify, that by a majority of the votes of the persons present and qualified as aforesaid [*Tuesday*] in the week beginning with the first Sunday in Advent was fixed and determined for the annual election of the successors of the said Church Wardens and Vestrymen.

And that it was in like manner determined that the said Church or Congregation shall be known in law by the name of [*the Rector, Church Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Paul's Church, in the town of Verona, County of*

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\* Or by the officiating Minister : or by Alfred Bailey, belonging to the said Church or Congregation.

† Or the Rev. John Williams, the Rector of the said Church or Congregation being necessarily absent by reason of illness, (or whatever may be the cause), Mr. Thomas Clark was called to the chair ; and, or there being no Rector, Mr. Henry Churchill, one of the Church Wardens (or Vestrymen) or Mr. Daniel Thomas, was called to the Chair, and

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*Form of Certificate of Incorporation.*

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*Oneida, and State of New York,*] and that its principal place of worship is [or. *is intended to be*] located in said [town, city or village and county as the case may be] and State of New York.

In testimony whereof, we the said [John Williams], who was the presiding officer at the said meeting, and [Thomas Clark and William Smith], who were present and witnessed the proceedings, and voted at said meeting, and were selected and named to sign and seal this certificate, have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed our seals, the [second] day of [June], in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and [ninety-five].

[John Williams, ]	[SEAL.]
[Thomas Clark. ]	[SEAL.]
[William Smith, ]	[SEAL.]

The certificate thus made out, and signed and sealed, must be duly acknowledged by the parties signing and sealing the same, before some officer authorized to take the acknowledgment, or proof of deeds or conveyances of real estate, to be recorded in the County where the Church or place of worship is situate.

Being thus signed, sealed and acknowledged the certificate must be recorded by the Clerk of the County, or by the officer whose duty it is, or may hereafter be made, to record such instruments in the County in which the Church is situate.

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*Incorporation of Free Churches.*

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**Incorporation of Free Churches.**

**(1.) An Act for the Incorporation of Societies to Establish Free Churches. Passed April 30, 1854.**

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Any seven or more persons of full age, citizens of the United States, and a majority of them being residents of this State, who shall associate themselves for the purpose of founding and continuing one or more Free Churches, may make, sign and acknowledge, before any officer authorized to take the acknowledgment of deeds of land to be recorded in this State, and may file in the office of Secretary of State, and also of the Clerk of the County in which any such Church is to be established, a certificate in writing, in which shall be stated the name, or title, by which such society shall be known in the law, the purpose of its organization, and the names of seven trustees, of whom not less than five shall be persons who are not ministers of the Gospel, or priests of any denomination, to manage the same; but such certificate shall not be filed, unless with the written consent and approbation of a Justice of the Supreme Court of the district in which any such Church shall be intended to be established, or in the city of New York, of a Judge of the Superior Court of the said city, to be indorsed on such certificate.

SEC. 2. Upon the filing of such certificate, the persons named therein as trustees and their successors, being citizens of the United States, and residents of this State, shall be a body politic and corporate, with all the rights, powers, and duties, and subject to all the restrictions and obligations and other provisions, so far as the same may be applicable, and consistent with this act, specified and contained in the act entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific, and Missionary Societies," passed April 12, 1848, and the act amending the same passed April 7, 1849, except that the limitation in the first of the said acts of the value of the real estate that may be held by any society in the city or county of New York, incorporated under this act, shall not be applicable to any Church edifice erected or owned by such society, or the lot of ground on which the same may be built, and except that the provision in the first of the said acts, in relation to the personal liability of the trustees, shall be applicable only to the trustees who shall have assented to the creation of any debt.

SEC. 3. Any vacancies occurring in the said board of trustees shall be supplied by the remaining trustees, at any legal meeting of the members; but there shall always be at least five members of the board who are not ministers of the Gospel or priests of any denomination.

SEC. 4. The seats or pews in every church building or edifice owned or occupied by any corporation organized under this Act, shall be forever free for the occupation and use during public worship, of all persons choosing to occupy the same, and conducting themselves with propriety; and no rent, charge, or exaction shall ever be made or demanded for such occupation or use; nor shall any real estate belonging to any such corporation, be sold or mortgaged by the trustees thereof, unless by the direction of the Supreme Court, to be given in the same manner, and in the like cases, as provided by law in relation to religious incorporations.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

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*Incorporation of Trustees of Funds.*

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**(2.) Certificate of Incorporation of Free Churches.**

We, whose names are hereto subscribed, male persons of full age, citizens of the United States, and a majority of whom are residents of the State of New York, do hereby certify that we have associated ourselves together for the purpose of founding and continuing a free church in the City [or town] of——, State of New York; that the name or title by which such society shall be known in law was determined to be the Free Church of the——, in the——of——. That the purpose of its organization is the ministering of the Word and Sacraments according to the doctrine and worship and discipline of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America. That the following are the names of seven trustees who are to manage the affairs of the said Church and body corporate, *five* of whom are not ministers of the gospel or priests of any denomination, namely:

[Signed in duplicate by all, and to be acknowledged, not proved, and to be approved by a Judge of the Supreme Court of the district, and filed in the office of the County Clerk, and a duplicate in the office of the Secretary of State.]

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**(C.)**

**Incorporation of Trustees of Funds.**

**With By-Laws of Trustees and Form of Bequest.**

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**(1.) An Act Incorporating the Trustees of the Episcopate Fund.**

**AN ACT** to incorporate the Trustees for the management and care of the fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York. Passed April 27, 1841.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** Alexander B. Johnson, John E. Hinman, and Hiram Denio of the County of Oneida, Garry V. Sackett of the County of Seneca, and Thomas H. Rochester, of the County of Monroe, and their successors duly elected and appointed in the manner hereinafter prescribed, are hereby constituted a body corporate, by the name of "The Trustees for the Management and Care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York," and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and be capable of taking and holding by gift, grant or devise, and of purchasing, holding and conveying any estate, real or personal, necessary for the purpose of said corporation, provided the yearly value or income of the same shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars.

**SEC. 2.** The object of the said corporation shall be the management and care of the Fund now provided, together with that which may hereafter be contributed or acquired, and any accumulation arising upon the investment thereof, for the support of the office of Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York, and the appropriation of the income of said Fund to that purpose according to the direction to be from time to time given by the Convention of said Church in said Diocese.

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*Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.*

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SEC. 3. The said Trustees shall be five in number, and shall hold their office during the pleasure of the said Convention, and all vacancies occurring in said Trustees shall from time to time be filled by said Convention. The said Trustees shall appoint a President and Secretary, and no act of said Trustees shall be valid unless authorized by a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of said Trustees by a majority of the same, and recorded by the Secretary in a book to be kept as a record of their proceedings, which book shall be open to the inspection of the said Convention.

SEC. 4. A statement of the proceedings of said Trustees hereby incorporated, exhibiting the condition of the Fund hereby entrusted to their charge, together with the items of receipts and disbursements, with the vouchers therefor, shall be reported to each Annual Convention, and signed by said Trustees, or a majority of them.

SEC. 5. The said Trustees hereby incorporated shall be bound to conform to any instructions to be given them by said Convention, touching the management of the said Fund, and the disposition of the income thereof; provided that such instructions shall be in writing, and shall be entered on the Journals of the said Convention; and provided also that the income of the said Fund shall in no case be diverted to or expended for any other purpose than that of sustaining the Episcopal office in the said Diocese.

SEC. 6. The provisions of title third of the eighteenth chapter of the first part of the Revised Statutes, shall apply to the corporation hereby created, so far as the same are not inconsistent with this Act.

I have compared the preceding with an original Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, and do certify that the same is a true and correct transcript thereof and of the whole of the said original. Given under my hand and seal of office this 28th day of April, 1841.

JOHN C. SPENCER, *Secretary of State.*

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**(2.) An Act Incorporating the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.**

CHAPTER 50.—An Act for the Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York. Passed March 26, 1863.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Ward Hunt, George H. Mumford, William B. Douglass, Alexander L. Chew, Edgar H. Hurd, Russell H. Haywood and their successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate, under the title of "Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York."

SEC. 2. The affairs of the said corporation shall be managed by a Board of six Trustees, and the persons named in the first section of this act shall be the first Trustees of the said corporation.

SEC. 3. The said Trustees shall be divided by lot into three classes. The term of the first class shall expire on the first day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-three; the term of the second class shall expire on the first day of September following; the term of the third class shall expire on the first day of September then ensuing. The vacancies in said classes shall be filled as they occur, by two Laymen, who shall be elected by ballot by



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*Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.*

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the Convention of said Diocese. at its regular annual meeting in each year; the Trustees so to be elected shall hold the said office for three years from the expiration of the terms of their predecessors. The Acting Bishop of the Diocese shall be *ex-officio* a member of the Board of Trustees.

SEC. 4. The said Trustees are authorized to receive and hold by deed, conveyance or last will and testament, for the accumulation of said fund, real and personal estate, to such an amount that the annual income accruing therefrom shall not exceed thirty thousand dollars. The said Fund shall be devoted in part to the assistance and support of officiating ministers of the said Church, engaged in Parochial duty within the said Diocese, and this portion of the Fund shall be called "Fund for Clerical Support;" and in part to the purchase of glebes and the erection of parsonages within the limits of organized parishes in the said Diocese in communion with the said Church, and which shall be called "Fund for Parsonage Aid." All real or personal property conveyed, devised or given to the Trustees without specification as to the appropriation thereof, shall be devoted equally to the two purposes; but all donors to the Fund, by gift or devise, may specify whether the same is to be appropriated for "Clerical Support" or for "Parsonage Aid," and a separate account shall be kept of the portion of the Fund devoted to these purposes.

SEC. 5. In the distribution of these Funds, regard shall be had by the Trustees, in the exercise of a sound discretion, to the equal necessities of the Ministers of the Parishes applying for them, without prejudice or favor.

SEC. 6. For the purpose of distributing such Funds, the said Trustees shall meet on the first Monday of August in each year, or at such other time as they may appoint, and after determining the amounts of money to be distributed for the ensuing year, they shall consider the applications for assistance, which may then have been received. Such applications shall be in writing, signed either by the Minister or by order of the Vestry of the Parish, and shall state the facts necessary to a full understanding of the necessity of the case, and particularly the amounts already contributed or secured toward the support of the Minister, or for the erection of a parsonage, as the case may be. The said applications shall be separately considered by the Trustees, and a minute made of their decision thereon, together with a statement of the reason for refusing the same, if the application be rejected. In no case shall the amount awarded from the Funds be more than one-half of the funds already contributed and secured, as may satisfactorily appear by the written application; and, in making grants from the Fund in aid of parsonages, in no case shall any moneys be paid from the same Fund, except on assurances satisfactory to the Trustees that all the remaining moneys necessary to the purchase of a glebe or erection of a parsonage are secured, and that no debt or incumbrance will remain thereon.

SEC. 7. The Trustees shall make an annual report to the Diocesan Convention, at their regular meeting, of the state of the Fund; of all applications for assistance therefrom, of the grants made, with the conditions, if any, attached thereto, and of the applications which have been refused, and the reason for the refusal thereof, and a duplicate copy of such report shall also be rendered annually to the Comptroller of the State.

SEC. 8. The said Trustees are further authorized to receive, by donations or devise, moneys and land, devoted by the giver to the purposes of clerical support, parsonage aid in particular Parishes and Parochial and Theological Schools and Missions, within the said Diocese, and they shall hold and apply the same in strict accordance with the condition attached in any such donation or devise, if not incompatible with the laws of this State;



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and in cases where the Bishop of the Diocese has been heretofore, or shall be hereafter made a testamentary Trustee for any of the purposes contemplated by this act, he shall have the right to surrender the said trust to the Trustees of this Fund at will, and in case of his not doing so before his death, the said testamentary trust shall inure on his death to the Trustees of this Fund, subject to all the conditions prescribed by the donor, but the annual income accruing from the property said Trustees are allowed to hold by virtue of this section, and of section four, shall not exceed thirty thousand dollars in the aggregate.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect immediately.

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**(3.) An Act Enabling Parishes to Transfer Personal and Real Estate to the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.**

CHAPTER 509—An Act to enable incorporated Parishes of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York to make certain transfers of their real and personal estate. Passed June 7, 1873.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Any incorporated religious Society or Parish of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York shall have power to convey or transfer all or any portion of the real or personal estate of such Society or Parish to the corporation known as "Trustees of the Parochial Fund," in the said Diocese, incorporated by the act entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," passed April twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, provided that such conveyance or transfer shall be first approved by a resolution of the Wardens and Vestry of such Society or Parish, duly entered in their minutes; and provided, further, that any property so conveyed or transferred shall be held by the said Trustees of the Parochial Fund solely for the use and benefit of the Society or Parish making the conveyance or transfer, in the discretion of the said Trustees; and provided further, that the whole income of property to be acquired by the said Trustees within the purview of this act shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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**(4.) An Act Providing for the Division and Management of the Episcopate and Parochial Funds.**

CHAPTER 429—An act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Western New York. Passed April 28, 1868.

It having been represented to the Legislature, that the Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church, called the Diocese of Western New York, is about to be divided territorially into two Dioceses, and that a Diocese of said Church is about to be established in the easterly part of said existing Diocese; and that certain funds amounting to about the sum of fifty-one thousand dollars, are now held by a corporation entitled "The Trustees for the management and care of the Funds for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese

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of Western New York," which corporation was created by an Act of the Legislature, passed in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, being chapter one hundred and thirty-four of the acts of that year; and that certain other Funds amounting to over eighteen thousand dollars, are now held by a corporation entitled "The Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," which last mentioned corporation was created by an Act of the Legislature, passed in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-three, being chapter fifty-nine of the acts of that year; and it having been further represented to the Legislature that the Annual Convention of the said Church, for the said Diocese of Western New York, at its last annual meeting, held in the month of August last, did determine that such division of said Diocese was expedient to be made, and that in the event of such division, the said funds hereinbefore mentioned should be equally divided between the two Diocese, which should be formed in consequence of such division; and it being further represented that by the resolves of such Church, the said division would be consummated during the present year, and that it would be necessary in order to the preservation of the portion of said Funds which should then belong to the new Diocese, to be formed out of the easterly part of said existing Diocese, that some corporate bodies having legal continuity and succession should exist to receive and manage said funds; therefore,

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly,  
do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Whenever such division of the Diocese of Western New York as is hereinbefore mentioned shall take place, and be consummated, it shall be lawful for the Convention of said new Diocese to be formed out of the eastern part of the existing Diocese, to appoint five Trustees to be denominated the Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the said new Diocese, by the name which shall be given to such new Diocese; and such Trustees shall thereupon be a body corporate by that name, and shall have perpetual succession, and be capable of taking and holding the portion of the aforesaid Fund for the support of the Episcopate, which shall belong to such new Diocese, and of taking and holding by gift, grant and devise, and of purchasing, holding and conveying any estate, real or personal, necessary for the purpose of said corporation, provided the yearly value or income thereof shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars; that the object of the said corporation shall be the management and care of the said Fund which shall belong to the said new Diocese, together with that which may be hereafter acquired, and any accumulation arising from the investment thereof, for the support of the office of Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the said new Diocese, and the appropriation of the income of said Fund to that purpose, according to the directions to be from time to time given by the Convention of said Church in said new Diocese.

SEC. 2. All the portions of the act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Trustees for the management and care of the Fund for the support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Western New York, passed April twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and forty-one, are hereby made applicable to the corporation provided for in the first section of this Act, except that where the Diocese of Western New York, or the Convention of that Diocese is mentioned or referred to, the said new Diocese and the Convention thereof shall be deemed to be intended and shall be substituted.

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**SEC. 3.** It shall be lawful for the Convention of such new Diocese to appoint six Trustees, to be denominated Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church, of the said new Diocese, by the name which shall be given to it; and such Trustees shall be a body corporate by that name and shall have perpetual succession, and shall be capable of taking and holding that portion of the Fund now possessed by the corporation created by the Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Western New York," passed March twenty-six, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, which shall belong to such new Diocese, and all such other moneys as shall be contributed thereto, or which shall be accumulated from the income thereof; and that all the provisions of the said last mentioned Act following the Second Section thereof, shall apply to the corporation provided for in this Section, except that where the Diocese of Western New York, or the Convention of that Diocese is mentioned, the said new Diocese and the Convention thereof shall be deemed to be intended and shall be substituted.

**SEC. 4.** The two existing corporations in this Act mentioned, are hereby authorized to pay over to the corporation herein provided for, the portions of said Funds which, according to the said resolution of the Diocese of Western New York, shall belong to said new Diocese; and nothing in this Act contained shall be construed further to affect or in any wise impair the said existing corporations.

**SEC. 5.** This Act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
*Office of the Secretary of State,* } ss.

I have compared the preceeding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the city of Albany, this twenty-fourth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty eight.  
 HOMER A. NELSON, *Secretary of State.*

**(5) Acts Amending and Enlarging the Powers of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.**

**CHAPTER 106**—An Act supplementary to Chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled "An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," and supplementary to Chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York." Passed April 4, 1857.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** The incorporation known as the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York, incorporated under and by virtue of chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western

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New York," shall have power to take and receive, by gift, grant, devise or bequest, any property, real or personal, and hold the same; first in trust for the use and benefit of any congregation or parish which may be incorporated and in union with the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York; or, second, in trust for the assistance or support of any such mission or missionaries in said Diocese as may be approved of by the Bishop; the money or other property so used for missionary purposes to be expended under the general direction of the Bishop thereof, or the Bishop in council with the Missionary Board of said Church in said Diocese, or, in case of a vacancy in the bishopric, or an extended absence of the Bishop, then, under the general direction of the Standing Committee in said Diocese; or third, in trust to assist weak and feeble parishes in said Diocese to support their ministers or Sunday Schools, or, to build or repair their church edifices or parsonages; or fourth, in trust for the assistance or support of any parochial, divinity, or theological school, or any scholarship in any such school in said Diocese which may be approved by the Bishop; or, fifth; to institute scholarships in St John's Military School for Boys, which is an incorporated Church School within said Diocese; or otherwise to aid in the support of said school or any successor thereof; sixth, for the general use and purpose of the Church in said Diocese in cases when no special or particular use or purpose of the gift is attached thereto; provided always, that the Trustees shall hold and invest or apply each fund or the interest or income thereof in strict accordance with the terms of the trust or condition attached to it by the gift, grant, devise or bequest producing such fund, so that in no case shall the money or property given, granted, devised or bequeathed for one purpose or object, be applied or used for another; and provided, further, that the net annual income of any separate fund shall not exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

FREDERICK COOK,  
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 308.—An Act to amend chapter one hundred and six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act supplementary to chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled 'An act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,' and supplementary to chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled, 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,'" Approved by the Governor May 16, 1898. Passed, three-fifths being present.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An Act supplementary to chapter fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled 'An Act for the incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,' and supplementary to chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled 'An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York,'" is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

*By-Laws of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.*

SEC. 1. The corporation known as the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York, incorporated under and by virtue of chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, entitled "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE INCORPORATION OF TRUSTEES FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND CARE OF CERTAIN FUNDS NOW HELD FOR THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF CENTRAL NEW YORK," shall have power to take and receive, by gift, grant, devise or bequest, any property, real or personal, and hold the same: First, in trust for the use and benefit of any congregation or parish which may be incorporated and in union with the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York; or, second, in trust for the assistance or support of any such mission or missionaries in said Diocese as may be approved by the Bishop; the money or other property so used for missionary purposes to be expended under the general direction of the Bishop, or of the Bishop in council with the Missionary Board of said Church in said Diocese or in case of a vacancy in the Bishopric, or an extended absence of the Bishop, then under the general direction of the Standing Committee in said Diocese; or, third, in trust to assist weak and feeble parishes in said Diocese to support their ministers or Sunday Schools, or to build or repair their church edifices or parsonages; or fourth, in trust for the building, the maintenance or support of a hospital or infirmary in said Diocese, such hospital or infirmary to be managed and conducted by persons designated and appointed from time to time by the Trustees of the aforesaid corporation; or for the assistance or support of any parochial, divinity or theological school, or any scholarship in any such school in said Diocese, which may be approved by the Bishop; or fifth, to institute scholarships in St. John's Military School for boys, which is an incorporated Church School within said Diocese, or otherwise to aid in the support of said school or any successor thereof; or sixth, for the general use and purposes of the Church in said Diocese, in cases where no special or particular use or purpose of the gift is attached thereto; provided, always, that the Trustees shall hold and invest or apply such fund or the interest or income thereof, in strict accordance with the terms of the trust or condition attached to it by the gift, grant, devise or bequest creating such fund, so that in no case shall the money or property given, granted, devised or bequeathed for one purpose or object, be applied or used for another; and provided further, that the net annual income of any separate fund shall not exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

FREDERICK COOK,  
Secretary of State.

## (6.) By-Laws of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund.

### I.

#### *Officers and Elections.*

The officers of the Board of Trustees shall be a President, who shall be the Bishop of the Diocese, a member of the Board *ex-officio*; and a Secretary and

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Treasurer, who shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Trustees, on the first Tuesday of June of each year, or if said annual meeting shall fail to be held, then at the first special meeting thereafter. The Secretary and Treasurer shall hold their offices for one year, and until their respective successors in-office are appointed. They shall be chosen by ballot, unless such ballot is dispensed with by an unanimous vote of the members present. The Secretary and Treasurer may be the same person. Vacancies in the offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be filled at any meeting of the Board of Trustees.

II.

*Quorum.*

Four members shall constitute a quorum, for the transaction of business, but not less than two members may adjourn a meeting with a view to a quorum.

III.

*Presiding Officers.*

The Bishop or Acting Bishop of the Diocese shall preside at all meetings of the Board. In his absence one of the Trustees present, chosen for the purpose, shall preside. In addition to his powers as Presiding Officer, the President may, whenever he may deem it expedient, call special meetings of the Trustees, and may himself or shall direct the Secretary to give notice of the time and place thereof,

IV.

*The Secretary.*

The duty of the Secretary shall be to conduct the correspondence of the Board: to prepare and transmit all letters in connection with its business; to keep in proper books copies of all letters written by himself or by direction of the Board, and also copies of all letters of communication on the business of the Board, which may be brought before it; to keep the minutes of the Board and its proceedings; to have charge of all its documents; to execute all papers, conveyances and instruments in writing required to be executed by the Corporation, under seal and acknowledged when authorized by the Board; to give due notice of the time and place of meetings of the Board, stated or special, when directed by the President; in case of the death or inability of the President, to call special meetings of the Board on the written requisition of any two members.

V.

*The Treasurer.*

The Treasurer shall collect, receive and keep the Funds and Securities of the Board of Trustees. He shall open and keep regular accounts of such funds and securities, showing the amount, nature, investment and deposit of the same, having special reference to the distribution made under Section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of the Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Western New York," passed March 26, 1863, the provisions of which Act are made applicable to this corporation, so far as provided by the Act passed by the Legislature of this State on the 28th day of April, 1868, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Trustees for the management and care of certain funds now held for the Protestant Episcopal



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Church in the Diocese of Western New York;" and also to the donations and devises, appropriations and testamentary trusts under Section 8 of the aforesaid Act, passed March 26, 1863, or of any other Act of the Legislature now, or that hereafter may be applicable thereto, showing in distinct separate accounts the funds, moneys or lands devoted to the purpose respectively mentioned therein. By and with the advice and consent of the Trustees, or a majority of the Trustees resident at Syracuse, he shall deposit, invest and manage the funds and moneys belonging to the Board, and may let or demise any real estate given or devoted for the purpose of the Act for a period not exceeding one year, and shall make and present to the board a written statement of the disposition or investment of all funds or property of the Board at every annual meeting. He shall, in conjunction with the President, prepare and submit to the Board the Annual Report to the Diocesan Convention, required by Section 7 of the aforesaid Act of the Legislature, passed March 26, 1863.

## VI.

*Special Meetings.*

Special meetings may be called by the President or Secretary, as before provided, upon the written requisition of any two Trustees.

## VII.

*Alteration of By-Laws.*

The By-Laws may be altered at any meeting by the unanimous vote of all the Trustees, or the same may be altered by a majority of all the Trustees, upon notice given at the next preceding meeting of the intended alteration.

*Permanent Missionary Fund.*

The moneys and securities received by this Board from the Diocese of Western New York, on the occasion of its division, amounting to \$11,384.09, shall, together with any additions since made, or hereafter to be made thereto, continue to be denominated in the accounts and the reports of the Treasurer, "The Permanent Missionary Fund," as the same was so denominated in the accounts and reports of the Treasurer of the said Diocese of Western New York before the division. That the Treasurer pay the interest of said fund, from time to time, as the same may accrue, to the Treasurer of this Diocese, for the sole use and benefit of Missions therein. That the Treasurer keep a separate account of each of the other funds held by this board, and pay the interest of each according to the terms of the trust under which it is held.

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**(7.) Incorporation of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.**

The undersigned, being persons of full age, and citizens of the United States, and citizens of and residents within the State of New York, desiring to associate themselves together and form a Society for Benevolent, Charitable and Mission purposes, do make and acknowledge this certificate in writing.

The name or title by which this society shall be known in law is "The Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York."

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The particular business and objects of this Society shall be the distribution of Bibles and Prayer Books, and shall be carried on in the city of Utica, Oneida County and State of New York.

The number of Trustees of this Society shall be six, of whom the Bishop of the Diocese of Central New York shall be one, and five Laymen to be elected annually by the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York.

The names of the Trustees of this Society who shall manage its affairs for the first year of its existence, shall be the Right Reverend F. D. Huntington, William B. Jackson, Levi Blakeslee, Thomas W. Seward, Horace O. Moss and John J. Peck.

In witness whereof, we have hereto set our hands and seals this 26th day of May, A. D. 1874.

F. D. HUNTINGTON,  
WM. B. JACKSON,  
LEVI BLAKESLEE,  
T. W. SEWARD,  
J. J. PECK,  
H. O. MOSS.

I hereby approve of and consent to the filing of the within proposed organization.

LEROY MORGAN,  
*Justice Supreme Court, 5th Judicial District of New York.*

June 29, 1874.

ONEIDA COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, SS.

I hereby certify that the original copy of the foregoing instrument, signed and sealed, and the execution thereof duly acknowledged by the parties signing and sealing the same before officers authorized to take such acknowledgment, is on file in this office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto affixed the seal of said County, and subscribed my name this 29th day of August, 1874.

[L. S.]

JAMES B. PADDON, *Clerk.*

## (8.) By-Laws of the Bible and Prayer Book Society.

### I.

#### *Officers.*

The Officers of the "Bible and Prayer Book Society of Central New York," shall be a President, who shall be the Bishop of the Diocese; a Secretary and Treasurer; and an Executive Committee of three,—all members of the Board of Trustees.

### II.

#### *Duties of Officers.*

The duties of the Officers shall be such as usually pertain to officers so named. The Executive Committee, of which the Bishop shall be Chairman, shall from time to time receive applications for Bibles and Prayer Books from



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within the Diocese, consider the same, and act upon them; in no case, however, granting any gifts or incurring any expense which shall reduce the principal, or original amount of the endowment, without the consent of the Board.

III.

*The Treasurer and the Executive Committee.*

The Treasurer and the Executive Committee shall invest or deposit the endowment in such a manner as they shall deem expedient, with full securities, and shall be prepared to exhibit their accounts annually to the Examining Committee of the Diocese. They shall also provide a Depository of the books in the city of Utica.

IV.

*The Secretary.*

The Secretary shall prepare and present to each Annual Convention of the Diocese a report of the proceedings of the Board.

V.

*Meetings.*

There shall be a yearly meeting of the Board, notified by the Secretary, on the Second Thursday in June, when the officers may be elected. Special Meetings may be called at any time by the Bishop.

VI.

*Vacancies.*

A vacancy occurring in the Board may be filled by vote of the Board at any meeting.

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**(9.) Incorporation of the Trustees of the Christmas Fund.**

We, George J. Gardner, of Syracuse, N. Y.; J. Dean Hawley, of Syracuse N. Y.; Richard F. H. Ledyard, of Cazenovia, N. Y.; William S. Andrews, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Edward N. Westcott, of Syracuse, N. Y., being of full age, citizens of the United States and citizens and residents of the State of New York, associate ourselves together and form a corporation for benevolent and charitable purposes under the provisions of Chapter 319 of the laws of 1848, and the acts amendatory thereof, and do hereby certify:

1. The name of such corporation shall be the Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York.

2. Its business and its objects shall be to provide for and assist pecuniarily, so far as practicable, disabled clergy and the widows and orphans of deceased clergymen of the Diocese of Central New York. The locality of such business and the office where it shall be carried on, shall be in Syracuse, in the county of Onondaga and State of New York.

3. The number of the Trustees of said Corporation shall be five, and their names for the first year are as follows: George J. Gardner, of Syracuse, N. Y.; J. Dean Hawley, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Richard F. H. Ledyard, of Caze-

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novia, N. Y.; William S. Andrews, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Edward N. Westcott, of Syracuse, N. Y.

Witness our hand and seals this 29th day of October, 1888.

GEORGE J. GARDNER,	[L. S.]
J. DEAN HAWLEY,	[L. S.]
RICHARD F. H. LEDYARD,	[L. S.]
WILLIAM S. ANDREWS,	[L. S.]
EDWARD N. WESTCOTT.	[L. S.]

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
County of Onondaga, } ss.

On this 29th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, before me, the subscriber, personally appeared George J. Gardner, William S. Andrews, J. Dean Hawley and Edward N. Westcott, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing certificate of incorporation, and who severally duly acknowledged that they executed the same.

W. J. HART,

*Notary Public for Onondaga County.*

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
County of Madison, } ss.

On this 19th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, before me, the subscriber, personally appeared Richard F. H. Ledyard, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing certificate of incorporation, and who duly acknowledged that he executed the same.

FRANK J. PULFORD,

*Notary Public for Madison County.*

I hereby consent to the filing of the foregoing certificate of incorporation and approve the same

IRVING G. VANN,

*Justice Supreme Court.*

STATE OF NEW YORK, }  
Office of the Secretary of State, } ss.

It is hereby certified. That the certificate of incorporation of Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York, with acknowledgment thereto annexed, was filed and recorded in this office on the 31st day of October, 1888.

Witness my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany, this 31st day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

FREDERICK COOK,

*Secretary of State.*

Also filed in Clerk's office of Onondaga County.

(10.) Form of Bequest.

*I give, devise and bequeath unto "The Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Central New York," or unto ("The Trustees for the Management and Care of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Diocese of Central New York") or unto ("The Trustees of the Christmas Fund of the Diocese of Central New York" the sum of.....Dollars.*

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## Canonical Offerings.



COMMUNION ALMS:—*On the First Sunday in the Month.*

FOR DOMESTIC MISSIONS:—*On a Sunday in Advent.*

FOR AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY AND WIDOWS AND ORPHAN FUNDS:—*On Christmas Day.*

FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS:—*On a Sunday in Epiphany.*

FOR THE INCREASE OF THE MINISTRY:—*On Easter or other near and convenient Sunday.*

FOR THE BIBLE AND PRAYER BOOK SOCIETY:—*On a Sunday.*

FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS:—*On the Third Sunday of a month when one of the above named Sundays is not the Third of a month.*

FOR THE BISHOP'S RELIEF FUND:—*At the Episcopal Visitation.*

FOR THE DIOCESAN CHILD BUILDING FUND:—*On the First Sunday in March and September.*

FOR THE MISSION AMONG DEAF MUTES:—*On the Third Sunday after Trinity.*

All Offerings, except for Parochial purposes, whether Diocesan, General, or Special Objects, should be sent to GEORGE J. GARDNER, Treasurer, Syracuse.

When a remittance is made directly for any special object, Treasurer requests that a voucher, or receipt, be produced or forwarded to him, or he be otherwise advised of the same by letter other than that containing statement of remittance, in order that the Annual Report may show the aggregate of all offerings in Diocese, and thus conform to the sum total of the Parochial Reports.

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### Form of Bequest.

*I give, devise, and bequeath unto "The Trustees of the Parochial Fund of the Episcopal Diocese of Central New York," or such of them as may survive and succeed to the Fund for the Support of the Episcopal Diocese of Central New York," or such of The Trustees of the Episcopal Diocese of Central New York," the sum of .....*









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